

Press Release

Steel India Company

January 27, 2022



Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	5.00	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	5.00	-	-
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuite has reaffirmed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE B**' (read as **ACUITE B**) on the Rs. 5.00 crore bank facilities of Steel India Company. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on best available information.

About the Company

SIC, established in 2006, is a Pune based firm promoted by Mr. Mohammed Nayeem Choudhary. The firm trades in metal scrap and took over the existing business of Bombay Steel (established in 1983). The latter was engaged in the trading of iron and steel scrap.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower:

Acuite has been requesting for data, information and undertakings from the rated entity for conducting surveillance & review of the rating. However, the issuer/borrower failed to submit such information before the due date.

This rating is therefore being flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and Acuite's policies.

Limitation regarding information availability:

The rating is based on information available from sources other than the issuer/borrower (in the absence of information provided by the issuer/borrower). Acuite endeavoured to gather information about the entity/ industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuite cautions lenders and investors regarding the use of such information, on which the indicative credit rating is based.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

The rated entity has not shared the latest Financial Statements despite repeated attempts.

Rating Sensitivity

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Material Covenants

None.

Liquidity Position

No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon.

Outlook

Not Applicable.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

None.

Any other information

Acuité is yet to receive the latest No Default Statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm>
- Default Recognition: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
30 Oct 2020	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
08 Aug 2019	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
16 May 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.50	ACUITE B (Issuer not co-operating*)
18 Feb 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE B Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.50	ACUITE B Stable (Reaffirmed)
27 Nov 2015	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE B Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.50	ACUITE B Stable (Reaffirmed)
06 Nov 2014	Cash Credit	Long Term	3.50	ACUITE B Stable (Assigned)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	1.50	ACUITE B Stable (Assigned)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Punjab National Bank	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.50	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Proposed Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.50	ACUITE B Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*

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