CREDIT RATING REPORT CHOWDHURY AUTO RICE & BOILER MILL



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Key Snapshot:

BDT. In Million

Particulars	2021	2020
Revenue	105.46	95.87
EBIT	7.84	6.53
Net Profit	5.96	5.53
Total Assets	51.71	49.99
Total Equity	22.10	27.54
Debt	29.61	22.45
Net Profit Margin (%)	5.6%	5.8%
CCC (Days)	81	86
ICR (X)	4.16	6.56





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WCRSE 3 Stable 11 October 2022 10 October 2023

WCRSE 3 rating is equivalent to Bangladesh Bank SME rating scale of SME 3 under BRPD circular number BRPD(BIC)661/14B(P)/2014/2093

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Bank Name	Mode of Investment	Sanctioned Amount	Outstanding Amount	Date of Outstanding
NCC Bank Limited	CC (Hypo)	9.00	9.23	10.10.2022

Financial Based on-Management prepared financial statements up to 31st December 2021.

Methodology: SME rating methodology published on the WCRCL website at www.wasocreditrating.com

RATING RATIONALE

WCRCL has assigned 'WCRSE 3' (pronounced as WASO Credit Rating Small Enterprise Three) rating under the SME Rating to Chowdhury Auto Rice & Boiler Mills(hereinafter referred as "CAR&BM" or "The Enterprise") based on its financial and other relevant qualitative and quantitative information upto the date of the rating issuance.

The above rating has been assigned based on the fundamentals of the enterprise which includes:

- Experienced and skilled management
- Satisfactory banking relationship
- Owned business premises and storage facility
- Good mortgage security coverage against loan
- Good business network
- Have insurance policy

However, the above rating has been moderated to some extent due to some factors like:

- Tight liquidity position considering long cash conversion cycle
- Lack of disclosure in the financial statements
- Low interest coverage ratio
- Low management information system (MIS) and Manual accounting system
- Highly levered capital structure

The SME rating implies that the enterprise is adjudged to above average level of credit worthiness in relation to other small enterprises.

WCRCL also viewed the enterprise with "Stable" outlook and believes that CAR&BM will be able to maintain its good fundamentals in the foreseeable future.