# 2<sup>nd</sup> SURVEILLANCE CREDIT RATING REPORT BISMILLAH RICE AGENCY

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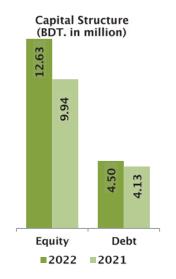
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## **Key Snapshot:**

BDT. in million

Particulars	2022	2021	
Revenue	22.51	19.57	
EBIT	4.30	3.67	
Net Profit	2.80	2.30	
Total Assets	17.13	14.07	
Total Equity	12.63	9.94	
Total debt	4.50	4.13	
Net Profit Margin (%)	12.4%	11.8%	
CCC (Days)	257	248	
ICR (X)	2.90	2.72	



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E	Rating Notches	Outlook	Date of Declaration	Date of Expiration
SME	WCRSME3	Stable	03 October 2023	02 October 2024

				BDT. in million
Bank Name	Mode of Investment	Sanctioned Amount	Outstanding Amount	Date of Outstanding
Uttara Bank PLC	CC(H)	3.50	2.195	23.08.2023
	Total	3.50	2.195	

Financial Based on-unaudited financial statements up to 31 December 2022.

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

### RATING RATIONALE

WCRCL has reaffirmed 'WCRSME3' (pronounced as WASO Credit Rating Small & Medium Enterprise Three) rating under the SME Rating to Bismillah Rice Agency (hereinafter referred as "BRA" or "The Enterprise") based on its financial and other relevant qualitative and quantitative information up-to 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
- Good mortgage security coverage against loan
- Good business network
- Low levered capital structure

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

- Tight liquidity position with long cash conversion cycle
- Low interest coverage ratio
- Low disclosure of financial statements
- Low management information system (MIS) and Manual accounting system

The rating implies that the enterprise has an above average credit quality.

WCRCL also viewed the enterprise with "Stable" outlook and believes that BRA will be able to maintain its good fundamentals in the foreseeable future. This rating may be revised in case of any extraordinary changes in line with the sponsor's equity investment, debt obligations, management, business operations and/or changes in any macro and micro factors in the economy.