4th SURVEILLANCE CREDIT RATING REPORT AKASH ENTERPRISE

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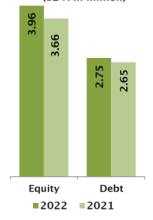
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Key Snapshot:

Particulars	2022	2021
Revenue	21.45	19.50
EBIT	2.64	2.25
Net Profit	2.42	2.06
Total Assets	6.71	6.31
Total Equity	3.96	3.66
Debt	2.75	2.65
Net Profit Margin (%)	11.3	10.6
CCC (Days)	72	74
ICR (X)	12.75	12.48

Capital Structure (BDT. in million)



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6	Rating Notch	Outlook	Date of Declaration	Date of Expiration
SME Rating	WCRSME3	Stable	05 December 2023	04 December 2024

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

RATING RATIONALE

WCRCL has upgraded WCRSME3 (pronounced as WASO Credit Rating Small and Medium Enterprise Three) rating under the SME Rating to Akash Enterprise (hereinafter referred as "AE" 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:

- Long business experiences of the proprietor in the business
- Good business network
- Low levered capital structure
- Comfortable interest coverage position
- Satisfactory banking relationship
- Good mortgage security coverage against loan

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

- No disclosure in the financial statements
- Tight liquidity position with long cash conversion cycle
- No insurance coverage for the inventory in stock
- Manual accounting system

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

WCRCL also viewed the enterprise with "Stable" outlook and believes that AE 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.