

# **BASSI CORPORATION PTY LTD**

(In Liquidation) ACN 088 072 968

# Initial information for creditors

Section 70-30 Insolvency Practice Rules (Corporations) 2016

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- (ii) Formal Proof of Debt or Claim

# 1. Introduction

1.1 The purpose of this document is to provide you with information about the liquidation of Bassi Corporation Pty Ltd ("the company") and your rights as a creditor.

# 2. Notification of appointment

- 2.1 I was appointed Liquidator of the company by a resolution of the company's member on 29 November 2018.
- 2.2 A copy of my Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities ("DIRRI") is attached at Annexure A. The DIRRI assists you to understand any relevant relationships that I have, and any indemnities or upfront payments that have been provided to me. I have considered each relationship and it is my opinion that none of the relationships disclosed in the DIRRI results in a conflict of interest or duty, or affects my independence.

# 3. What is a creditors' voluntary liquidation?

3.1 A creditors' voluntary liquidation, or CVL, is a liquidation initiated by the company because it is unable to pay all of its creditors in full. This means that the company is insolvent.

# 4. What happens to your debt?

- 4.1 According to the company's records, you may be a creditor of the company.
- 4.2 All creditors of the company are now creditors in the liquidation. As a creditor, you have certain rights, although your debt will now be dealt with in the liquidation.
- 4.3 If you have leased property to the company, have a retention of title claim or hold a security interest in relation to the company, please immediately contact this office.

# 5. Your rights as a creditor

- 5.1 Annexure B to this circular contains information about your rights as a creditor, including your right to:
  - Make reasonable requests for a meeting.
  - Make reasonable requests for information.
  - Give directions to me.
  - Appoint a reviewing liquidator.
  - Replace me as liquidator.

# 5. Your rights as a creditor (cont.)

5.2 I draw your attention to your right to request a meeting in the first 20 business days of a creditors' voluntary liquidation. If I receive a request for a meeting from at least 5% of known creditors that are not a related entity of the company, I am required to hold a meeting, as long as the request is reasonable. Guidance on whether a request is reasonable or not is included in the information sheet at Annexure B.

# 6. Summary of the company's affairs

6.1 I received a Report on Company Activities and Property ("RoCAP") from the director on 6 December 2018. A summary of the company's affairs compiled from the information in the RoCAP is attached at Annexure C.

# 7. Listing of creditors

- 7.1 Attached at Annexure D is a list of creditors, including their addresses and the estimated amounts of their claims, as shown in the records of the company. Any creditors related to the company are identified.
- 7.2 Enclosed is a Proof of Debt or Claim form to enable you to lodge your claim in the liquidation.

# 8. What happens next?

- 8.1 I will proceed with the liquidation, including:
  - (i) Recovering and selling any available property.
  - (ii) Investigating the company's affairs.
  - (iii) Reporting to the corporate regulator, the Australian Securities and Investments Commission ("ASIC").
- 8.2 If I receive a request for a meeting that complies with the guidelines set out in the information sheet at Annexure B, I will hold a meeting of creditors.
- 8.3 I will write to you within three months of my appointment advising whether a dividend is likely and updating you on the progress of my investigations.
- 8.4 I may write to you again after that with further information on the progress of the liquidation.

#### 9. Liquidator's remuneration

- 9.1 Attached at Annexure E is my Initial Remuneration Notice. This document provides you with information about how I propose to be paid for undertaking the liquidation.
- 9.2 Attached at Annexure F is a detailed report on my remuneration, called a Remuneration Approval Report. I am unable to pay my remuneration without the approval of creditors or the Court.

#### 9. Liquidator's remuneration (cont.)

- 9.3 In accordance with the Initial Remuneration Notice and Remuneration Approval Report, my estimated remuneration for the external administration is \$60,000.
- 9.4 I propose to have my remuneration approved by a proposal without a meeting. Information about passing resolutions without a meeting and a Notice of Proposal to Creditors is enclosed. I request that you return to this office the completed Notice of Proposal to Creditors by 4.00pm on Friday, 11 January 2019.
- 9.5 If you are yet to submit your claim in the liquidation, the Notice of Proposal to Creditors should be returned together with a Proof of Debt or Claim form and supporting documentation.

#### 10. More information

- 10.1 The Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association ("ARITA") provides information to assist creditors with understanding liquidations and insolvency.
- 10.2 Information is available from ARITA's website at arita.com.au/creditors.
- 10.3 ASIC also provides information sheets on a range of insolvency topics. These information sheets can be accessed on ASIC's website at asic.gov.au (search for "insolvency information sheets").

If you have any queries in relation to this matter, please contact David Blanchett or Sarah Marsegaglia of this office.

Yours faithfully

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JENNIFER E. LOW Liquidator of Bassi Corporation Pty Ltd

## DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, RELEVANT RELATIONSHIPS AND INDEMNITIES

Practitioners appointed to an insolvent entity are required to make declarations as to:

- A. their independence generally;
- B. relationships, including;
  - (i) the circumstances of the appointment;
  - (ii) any relationships with the company and others within the previous 24 months;
  - (iii) any prior professional services for the company within the previous 24 months;
  - (iv) that there are no other relationships to declare; and
- C. any indemnities given, or upfront payments made, to the Practitioner.

This declaration is made on my own behalf and on behalf of my firm, Sheridans.

#### Independence

I, Jennifer E. Low, of Sheridans, have undertaken a proper assessment of the risks to my independence prior to accepting the appointment as Liquidator of the company in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards. This assessment identified no real or potential risks to my independence. I am not aware of any reasons that would prevent me from accepting this appointment.

#### Declaration of relationships

#### A. Circumstances of appointment

This appointment was referred to me by Gurmit Singh of ATM Accounting & Tax Management, the company's accountant. I believe that this referral does not result in a conflict of interest or duty because referrals from solicitors, business advisors and accountants are commonplace and do not impact on my independence in carrying out my duties as liquidator.

On 28 November 2018, a meeting was held between Mr Gurvinder Singh Bassi, Mr Gurmit Singh, me and Mr David Blanchett of this office. Additionally, on 29 November 2018 a meeting was held between Mr Kuldeep Singh Johda, Mr Gurvinder Singh Bassi, Mr Gurmit Singh, me and Mr David Blanchett and Ms Sarah Marsegaglia of this office. These meetings were held for the purpose of:

- obtaining sufficient information about the company to advise on the solvency of the company;
- discussing the formalities of placing the company into Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation; and
- Clarifying and explaining the various options available to the company and the nature and consequences of an insolvency appointment.

#### Declaration of relationships (cont.)

In my opinion, these meetings do not affect my independence for the following reasons:

- the Courts and the Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association's Code of Professional Practice specifically recognise the need for practitioners to provide advice on the insolvency process and the options available and do not consider that such advice results in a conflict or is an impediment to accepting the appointment;
- the nature of the advice provided to the company is such that it would not be subject to review and challenge during the course of the liquidation; and
- the pre-appointment advice will not influence my ability to be able to fully comply in an objective and impartial manner with the statutory and fiduciary obligations associated with the liquidation of the company.

I have provided prior to my appointment no other information or advice beyond that outlined in this DIRRI to the company or to its director or to any of its advisors.

B. Relevant relationships (excluding professional services to the company)

I advise that I was appointed Liquidator of a related entity, Jemm & Co Investments Pty Ltd on 7 June 2018. I note that a former director of the company, Ms Patricia Bassi, was the director of Jemm & Co Investments Pty Ltd on the date of its liquidation. Further, Mr Gurvinder Singh Bassi, a former director of the company, is Ms Bassi's ex-partner.

I advise that I had correspondence with the company's current director, Mr Kuldeep Singh Johda prior to my appointment. The correspondence between myself and Mr Kuldeep Singh Johda relates to his purchase of plant and equipment from Jemm & Co Investments. I note that this transaction was between my auctioneer and Mr Johda in his own capacity and not in his capacity as director of the company. Further, this transaction occurred prior to Mr Johda's appointment as director of the company.

I understand that there have been transactions between the company and Jemm & Co Investments Pty Ltd in relation to the sale of assets, loan agreements and corporate guarantees.

I believe that this relationship does not result in a conflict of interest or duty for the following reasons:

- Related party transactions are reviewed as a part of the normal investigation process in a liquidation. The nature of the transactions between the two companies mean that the liquidations can be conducted more efficiently by one practitioner; and
- At the time of my appointment, I was not aware of any conflicts of interest between the two companies or the company's current and former directors.

#### Declaration of relationships (cont.)

Should such a conflict arise, I will:

- Advise creditors on how the issue will be managed; or
- Seek directions from the court; or
- Seek approval for the continuation of the appointment by the court, or the appointment of another liquidator
- C. Prior professional services to the company

I and my firm have provided no professional services to the company in the previous 24 months.

D. No other relevant relationships to disclose

There are no other known relevant relationships, including personal, business and professional relationships, from the previous 24 months with the company, an associate of the company, a former insolvency practitioner appointed to the company or any person or entity that has security over the whole or substantially the whole of the company's property that should be disclosed.

#### Indemnities and upfront payments

I have been provided with the following indemnity for the conduct of the liquidation:

Name	Relationship	Nature of indemnity or payment
Gurvinder Singh Bassi	Former director	\$20,000 payable \$5,000 in advance, followed by three fortnightly instalments of \$5,000 each.

This does not include any statutory indemnities. I have not received any other indemnities or upfront payments that should be disclosed.

Dated: 12 December 2018

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JENNIFER E. LOW

Note:

- 1. If circumstances change, or new information is identified, I am required under the Corporations Act 2001 and the ARITA Code of Professional Practice to update this Declaration and provide a copy to creditors with my next communication as well as to table a copy of any replacement declaration at the next meeting of the company's creditors.
- 2. Any relationships, indemnities or upfront payments disclosed in the DIRRI must not be such that the Practitioner is no longer independent. The purpose of the DIRRI is to disclose relationships that, while they do not result in the Practitioner's having a conflict of interest or duty, ensure that creditors are aware of those relationships and understand why the Practitioner nevertheless remains independent.

# Creditor Rights in Liquidations

As a creditor, you have rights to request meetings and information or take certain actions:



# Right to request a meeting

In liquidations, no meetings of creditors are held automatically. However, creditors with claims of a certain value can request in writing that the liquidator hold a meeting of creditors.

A meeting may be requested in the first 20 business days in a creditors' voluntary liquidation by  $\geq$  5% of the value of the debts held by known creditors who are not a related entity of the company.

Otherwise, meetings can be requested at any other time or in a court liquidation by:

- > 10% but < 25% of the known value of creditors on the condition that those creditors provide security for the cost of holding the meeting
- ≥ 25% of the known value of creditors
- creditors by resolution, or
- a Committee of Inspection (this is a smaller group of creditors elected by, and to represent, all the creditors).

If a request complies with these requirements and is 'reasonable', the liquidator must hold a meeting of creditors as soon as reasonably practicable.

# Right to request information

Liquidators will communicate important information with creditors as required in a liquidation. In addition to the initial notice, you should receive, at a minimum, a report within the first three months on the likelihood of a dividend being paid.

Additionally, creditors have the right to request information at any time. A liquidator must provide a creditor with the requested information if their request is 'reasonable', the information is relevant to the liquidation, and the provision of the information would not cause the liquidator to breach their duties.

A liquidator must provide this information to a creditor within 5 business days of receiving the request, unless a longer period is agreed. If, due to the nature of the information requested, the liquidator requires more time to comply with the request, they can extend the period by notifying the creditor in writing.

# Requests must be reasonable.

# They are not reasonable if:

Both meetings and information:

- (a) complying with the request would prejudice the interests of one or more creditors or a third party
- (b) there is not sufficient available property to comply with the request
- (c) the request is vexatious

Meeting requests only:

 (d) a meeting of creditors dealing with the same matters has been held, or will be held within 15 business days

Information requests only:

- (e) the information requested would be privileged from production in legal proceedings
- (f) disclosure would found an action for breach of confidence
- (g) the information has already been provided
- (h) the information is required to be provided under law within 20 business days of the request

If a request is not reasonable due to (b), (d), (g) or (h) above, the liquidator must comply with the request if the creditor meets the cost of complying with the request.

Otherwise, a liquidator must inform a creditor if their meeting or information request is not reasonable and the reason why.

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Right to

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liquidator



#### Right to give directions to liquidator

Creditors, by resolution, may give a liquidator directions in relation to a liquidation. A liquidator must have regard to these directions, but is not required to comply with the directions.

If a liquidator chooses not to comply with a direction given by a resolution of the creditors, they must document their reasons.

An individual creditor cannot provide a direction to a liquidator.

#### Right to appoint a reviewing liquidator

Creditors, by resolution, may appoint a reviewing liquidator to review a liquidator's remuneration or a cost or expense incurred in a liquidation. The review is limited to:

- remuneration approved within the six months prior to the appointment of the reviewing liquidator, and
- expenses incurred in the 12 months prior to the appointment of the reviewing liquidator.

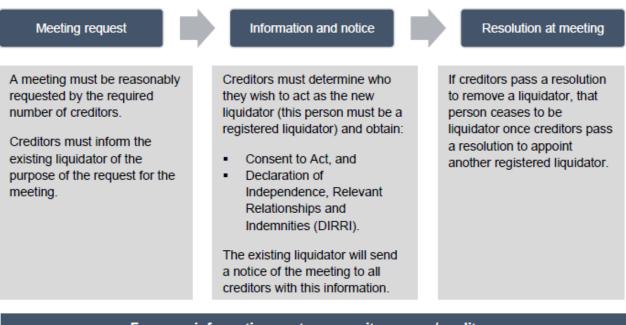
The cost of the reviewing liquidator is paid from the assets of the liquidation, in priority to creditor claims.

An individual creditor can appoint a reviewing liquidator with the liquidator's consent, however the cost of this reviewing liquidator must be met personally by the creditor making the appointment.

#### Right to replace liquidator

Creditors, by resolution, have the right to remove a liquidator and appoint another registered liquidator.

For this to happen, there are certain requirements that must be complied with:



#### For more information, go to www.arita.com.au/creditors

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**Form 509** Corporations Act 2001 497(1)(a)(i)

# **Presentation of** summary of affairs of a company

If there is insufficient space in any section of the form, you may attach an annexure and submit as part of this lodgement Related forms: 5604 Information about the company's affairs sent to creditors

#### **Company details**

,,	Company name Bassi Corporation Pty Ltd				
	ACN 088072968		· ~		
Lodgement details	Who should ASIC contact if there is a query about this form? ASIC Registered agent number (if applicable)				
An image of this form will be available as part of the public register.	67947 Firm/organisation Shenidans, chartered	accountants			
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	Suburb/City PERTH	State/Territory	Postcode		

#### Summary of assets and liabilities

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Conti	nued Summary of assets and liabilities			
		Valuation (for each entry show whether cost or net book amount) \$	Estimated r Realisable Values \$	
1	Assets not specifically subject to security interest (a) interest in land (b) sundry debtors (c) cash on hand (d) cash at bank (e) stock (f) work in progress (g) plant and machinery (h) other assets Sub-total	23500	23500	
2	Assets subject to specific security interests Less amounts owing	-		
	Total Assets	_(\$ 16000 )		
	Total Estimated Realisable Values	-	(\$ 7500	)
3	Less amounts payable in advance of secured creditor(s) including employee entitlements			
4	Less amounts owing and secured by debenture or circulating security interests over assets			
5	Less preferential claims ranking behind secured creditors			
6	Less balances owing to partly secured creditors	-		
	Total Claims (\$	-		
	Security Held (\$	-		
7	Less creditors (Unsecured) Amount claimed			
8	Add contingent assets Estimated to produce			
9	Less contingent liabilities Estimated to rank			
	Estimated deficiency or Estimated surplus		\$	
	Subject to costs of liquidation			
	Share capital \$ 1.00			
	Issued \$ 1.00			
	Paid Up \$ 1.00			
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Signature		
This form must be signed by a director, secretary or liquidator.	Name of person signing Kuldeep Singh Jodha Capacity Director	
	Signature	
	Date signed D D I M M V Y	
	Cond completed and signed forms to:	 

Lodgement

Send completed and signed forms to: Australian Securities and Investments Commission, PO Box 4000, Gippsland Mail Centre VIC 3841. 
 For more information

 Web
 www.asic.gov.au

 Need help?
 www.asic.gov.au/question

 Telephone
 1300 300 630

1 September 2017

# LISTING OF CREDITORS

Name	Address	Amount Ş
Priority creditors	· ·	
Harsh Bhardwaj	Supressed	523.28
Mahinderjeet Kaur Ghans	Supressed	12,733.50
Kylie Gillis	Supressed	821.43
Karamjit Kaur Brar	Supressed	786.56
Navjot Kaur Jhajj	Supressed	780.68
Ramandeep Kaur Somal	Supressed	15,280.19
Harpreet Kaur	Supressed	2,998.02
Harpreet Kaur	Supressed	161.05
Kirandeep Kaur	Supressed	783.60
Kuldeep Kaur	Supressed	618.03
Mandeep Kaur	Supressed	2,841.10
Parmjeet Kaur	Supressed	4,113.90
Parveet Kaur	Supressed	5,987.90
Ramandeep Kaur	Supressed	4,419.80
Talvinder Kaur	Supressed	195.90
Sunil Kumar	Supressed	13,988.44
Joanna Ledesma	Supressed	1,051.10
Kamal Prasad Bhandari	Supressed	2,550.20
Pankaj Sharma	•	,
Rishav Sharma	Supressed	12,145.80
	Supressed	3,526.20
Navjot Singh Bansal	Supressed	783.60
Gurbir Singh	Supressed	14,343.96
Jaspreet Singh	Supressed	1,494.80
Malkeet Singh	Supressed	15,944.94
Narinderpal Singh	Supressed	13,973.28
Sarabjeet Singh	Supressed	2,350.80
Satnam Singh	Supressed	391.72
Shamsher Singh	Supressed	1,277.59
Total priority creditors		136,867.37
Unsecured creditors		
Austrend International Pty Ltd	c/- CLI Lawyers PO Box 2503 PERTH WA 2503	15,895.33
Atari Holdings Pty Ltd ATF the Bassi Family Trust ①	PO Box 1555 BOORAGOON WA 6954	32,924.55
Prospa Advance Pty Ltd	Level 1, 4-16 Yurong Street DARLINGSHURST NSW 2000	24,000.00
Bankwest	Bankwest GPO Box 8093 PERTH WA 6894	15,000.00
Alinta Energy	Locked Bag 55 PERTH WA 6849	4,246.41
Synergy	GPO Box K851 PERTH WA 6842	1,439.72
Cleanaway	GPO Box 5072 BRISBANE WA 4001	329.31
Western Resource Recovery	113 Ewing Street WELSHPOOL WA 6106	216.70
Total unsecured creditors		94,052.02
Total creditors		230,919.39

### INITIAL REMUNERATION NOTICE

The purpose of this Initial Remuneration Notice is to provide you with information about how I propose my remuneration for undertaking the liquidation will be set.

#### 1. Remuneration methods

There are four basic methods that can be used to calculate the remuneration charged by an insolvency practitioner. They are:

- A. **Time based / hourly rates:** This is the most common method. The total fee charged is based on the hourly rate charged for each person who carried out the work multiplied by the number of hours spent by each person on each of the tasks performed.
- B. Fixed fee: The total fee charged is normally quoted at the commencement of the administration and is the total cost for the administration. Sometimes a practitioner will finalise an administration for a fixed fee.
- C. **Percentage:** The total fee charged is based on a percentage of a particular variable, such as the gross proceeds of asset realisations.
- D. **Contingency:** The practitioner's fee is structured to be contingent on the achievement of a particular outcome.

# 2. Method chosen

Given the nature of this administration I propose that my remuneration be calculated at an hourly rate for the time spent by each member of my staff. I believe this method to be appropriate because it accurately reflects the work required to administer this matter.

#### 3. Explanation of hourly rates

The rates for my remuneration calculation are set out in the following table together with a general guide showing the qualifications and experience of staff engaged in the administration and the role they take in the administration. The hourly rates charged encompass the total cost of providing professional services and should not be compared to an hourly wage.

	Hourly rate (excl. GST)	
Staff Level	Ş	Experience rate classification
Registered Liquidator	538	Liquidator & Bankruptcy Trustee bringing her specialist skills to the administration or insolvency task.
Director	432	More than 10 years' insolvency experience, more than 4 years as a manager. Answerable to the appointee but otherwise responsible for all aspects of administration.
Senior Manager	381	More than 7 years' insolvency experience, more than 3 years as a manager, qualified accountant. Answerable to the appointee but otherwise responsible for most aspects of administration. Experienced and competent at all levels. Controls staff and their training.
Manager	301	6 - 7 years. Qualified accountant, with well-developed technical and commercial skills. Has significant conduct of most administrations. Answerable to the appointee but otherwise manages administrations on a day to day basis. Controls 2 - 4 staff.

# 3. Explanation of hourly rates (cont.)

Staff Level	Hourly rate (excl. GST) \$	Experience rate classification
Supervisor	265	4 - 6 years. CA Program complete. Has conduct of minor administrations and experience in controlling 1 - 3 staff. Assists planning and control of medium to larger jobs.
Senior 1	243	2 - 4 years. CA Program normally completed within this period. Assists planning and control of small to medium sized jobs as well as performing some of the more difficult work on larger jobs.
Senior 2	221	2 - 3 years. CA Program would normally be commenced. Required to control the fieldwork on small jobs and is responsible for helping to complete fieldwork on medium to large jobs.
Intermediate 1	185	1 - 2 years. Graduate required to assist in day-to-day field work under supervision of more senior staff.
Intermediate 2	175	0 - 1 year. Trainee / graduate required to assist in day-to-day field work under supervision of more senior staff.
Graduate	147	0 - 1 year. HSC, graduate or completing part-time degree. Required to assist in administration and day-to-day field work under supervision of more senior staff.
Secretary	137	Appropriate skills including word processing competency.

Sheridans' Scale of Fees is increased on 1 August each year (effective from 2014) in line with the CPI amount. Sheridans' current Scale of Fees is available from Sheridans' office on request.

#### 4. Estimated remuneration

I estimate that this administration will cost approximately \$60,000 to complete, subject to the variable of the investigation into the affairs of the company and the conduct of its officers, which may have a significant effect on this estimate. I am unable to determine the effect of this variable until I have commenced work on this aspect of the administration.

I received an indemnity of \$20,000 to contribute to the estimated costs. This has been disclosed in my DIRRI. Approved remuneration may exceed the amount of this indemnity and can be paid from the assets of the administration after approval by creditors or the Court.

# 5. Disbursements

Disbursements are divided into three types:

- Externally provided professional services these are recovered at cost. An example of an externally provided professional service disbursement is legal fees.
- Externally provided non-professional costs such as travel, accommodation and search fees these are recovered at cost.
- Internal disbursements such as photocopying, printing and postage. These disbursements, if charged to the Administration, would generally be charged at cost, though some expenses such as telephone calls, photocopying and printing may be charged at a rate that recoups both variable and fixed costs. The recovery of these costs must be on a reasonable commercial basis.

### 5. Disbursements (cont.)

I am not required to seek creditor approval for disbursements paid to third parties, but must account to creditors. However, I must be satisfied that these disbursements are appropriate, justified and reasonable.

I am required to obtain creditor's consent for the payment of disbursements only where there may be a profit or advantage. Creditors will be asked to approve my disbursements where there is a profit or advantage before these disbursements are paid from the administration.

Details of the basis of recovering disbursements in this administration are provided below.

Disbursement		Rate cl. GST)
Faxes	Local:	\$2.50
	Interstate:	\$4.00
	International:	\$4.00
Meeting room hire	\$150.00	
Postage	Local and interstate:	\$1.50
	International:	cost
	Other:	cost
Printing and photocopying	20 cents/page	
Storage	Cost	
Telephone	National calls (inc. mo	bile): \$1.00
	International:	cost
Staff vehicle use	66 cents/per km	
Statutory advertising	Cost	

Dated: 12 December 2018

#### **REMUNERATION APPROVAL REPORT**

This Remuneration Approval Report provides you with the information you need to be able to make an informed decision regarding the approval of my remuneration for undertaking the liquidation of the company. This report has the following information included:

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# Part 1: Declaration

I, Jennifer E. Low, of Sheridans, have undertaken a proper assessment of this remuneration claim for my appointment as Liquidator of the company in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards. I am satisfied that the remuneration claimed is in respect of necessary work to be properly performed in the conduct of the liquidation.

#### Part 2: Executive summary

The total remuneration for this appointment is estimated to be \$60,000. Remuneration currently claimed is summarised below:

Period	Report reference	Amount (excl. GST) \$
Resolution 1: 29 November 2018 to the conclusion of the liquidation*	Part 3	60,000
* Approval for future remuneration sought is based on an estimate of the work necessary to the completion of the administration. Should additional work be necessary beyond what is contemplated, further approval may be sought from creditors.		

Please refer to report section references detailed in the above table for full details of the calculation of the remuneration approval sought.

#### Part 3: Remuneration

#### 3.1 *Remuneration claim resolutions*

I will be seeking approval of the following resolution to approve my remuneration for the period 29 November 2018 to the conclusion of the liquidation:

That the Liquidator's future remuneration calculated on the basis of time spent by the Liquidator and her staff, at the standard scale rates set by Sheridans for work of this nature, be approved for the period 29 November 2018 to the conclusion of the liquidation to a limit of \$60,000 plus GST, and that the Liquidator be authorised to draw her fees on a monthly basis, or as required, beyond which further approval will be required in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001. The standard scale rates will be increased in accordance with the CPI at 1 August each year, rounded up to the nearest \$.

#### 3.2 Details of remuneration

The table below sets out the expected costs for the major tasks that are likely to be performed by the Liquidator and her staff. The table also sets out a detailed description of the tasks likely to be performed within each task area.

Task area	General description	Includes	
Assets	Plant and equipment	Liaising with valuers, auctioneers and interested parties	
\$17,000		Reviewing asset listings	
	Assets subject to	All tasks associated with realising a charged asset	
	specific charges		
	Leasing	Reviewing leasing documents	
		Liaising with owners/lessors	
<b>C</b> 11		Tasks associated with disclaiming leases	
Creditors	Creditor enquiries,	Receive and respond to creditor enquiries	
\$12,000	requests & directions	Maintaining creditor request log	
		Review and prepare initial correspondence to creditors and	
		their representatives	
		Considering reasonableness of creditor requests Obtaining legal advice on requests	
		Documenting reasons for complying or not complying with	
		requests or directions	
		Compiling information requested by creditors	
	Secured creditor	Notifying PPSR registered creditors of appointment	
	reporting	Preparing reports to secured creditor	
		Responding to secured creditor's queries	
	Creditor reports	Preparing Statutory Report by Liquidator, investigation,	
		meeting and general reports to creditors	
	Dealing with Proofs of	Receipting and filing POD when not related to a dividend	
	Debt	Corresponding with OSR and ATO regarding POD when not	
		related to a dividend	
	Meeting of Creditors	Preparation of meeting notices, proxies and advertisements	
	(if applicable)	Forward notice of meeting to all known creditors	
		Preparation of meeting file, including agenda, certificate of	
		postage, attendance register, list of creditors, reports to	
		creditors, advertisement of meeting and draft minutes of	
		meeting	
		Preparation and lodgement of minutes of meetings with ASIC	
		Responding to stakeholder queries and questions	
	Droposals to graditors	immediately following meeting	
	Proposals to creditors	Preparing proposal notices and voting forms	
		Forward notice of proposal to all known creditors Reviewing votes and determining outcome of proposal	
		Preparation and lodgement of proposal outcome with ASIC	
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# Part 3: Remuneration (cont.)

Task area	General description	Includes	
Employees	Employee enquiries	Receive and follow up employee enquiries via telephone	
\$2,000		Maintain employee enquiry register	
		Review and prepare correspondence to creditors and their	
		representatives via facsimile, email and post	
		Preparation of letters to employees advising of their	
		entitlements and options available	
		Receive and prepare correspondence in response to	
		employee's objections to leave entitlements	
	FEG	Correspondence with FEG	
		Preparing notification spreadsheet	
		Preparing FEG quotations Completing FEG questionnaires	
	Calculation of	Calculating employee entitlements	
	entitlements	Reviewing employee files and company's books and records	
	cheftenents	Reconciling superannuation accounts	
		Reviewing awards	
	Other employee issues	Correspondence with Child Support	
		Correspondence with Centrelink	
Investigation	Conducting	Collection of company books and records	
\$17,000	investigation	Correspondence with ASIC to receive assistance in obtaining	
		reconstruction of financial statements, company's books and	
		records and Report as to Affairs	
		Reviewing company's books and records	
		Review and preparation of company nature and history	
		Conducting and summarising statutory searches	
		Preparation of comparative financial statements	
		Preparation of deficiency statement	
		Review of specific transactions and liaising with directors	
		regarding certain transactions	
		Liaising with directors regarding certain transactions	
		Preparation of investigation file	
		Lodgement of investigation with ASIC	
		Preparation and lodgement of supplementary report if	
	Litigation (	required	
	Litigation / Recoveries	Internal meetings to discuss status of litigation	
	(if applicable)	Preparing brief to solicitors Liaising with solicitors regarding recovery actions	
	(II applicable)	Attending to negotiations	
		Attending to settlement matters	
	ASIC reporting	Preparing statutory investigation reports	
	, bie reporting	Preparing affidavits seeking non-lodgement assistance	
		Liaising with ASIC	
Administration	Correspondence	General correspondence	
\$12,000	Document	First month, then six-monthly administration reviews	
	maintenance/file	Filing of documents	
	review/checklist	File reviews	
		Updating checklists	
	Insurance	Identification of potential issues requiring attention of	
		insurance specialists	
		Correspondence with insurer regarding initial and ongoing	
		insurance requirements	
		Reviewing insurance policies	
		Correspondence with previous brokers	
	Bank account	Preparing correspondence opening and closing accounts	
	administration	Requesting bank statements	
		Bank account reconciliations	
		Correspondence with bank regarding specific transfers	
	ASIC Forms	Preparing and lodging ASIC forms including 205, 505 etc.	
		Correspondence with ASIC regarding statutory forms	
	ATO and other	Notification of appointment	
	statutory reporting	Preparing BAS	
	Finalisation	Notifying ATO of finalisation	
		Cancelling ABN / GST / PAYG registration	
		Completing checklists	
		Finalising WIP	
	Planning / Review	Discussions regarding status of administration	
	Books and records /	Dealing with records in storage	
	storage	Sending job files to storage	

#### Part 3: Remuneration (cont.)

#### 3.3 Total remuneration reconciliation

At this point in time I estimate that the total remuneration for this liquidation will be \$60,000, being the current approval amount being sought. This is consistent with the estimate provided in the Initial Remuneration Notice dated 12 December 2018.

In preparing this Remuneration Approval Report, I have made my best estimate of what I believe the liquidation will cost to complete. However, should the liquidation not proceed as expected, I will advise creditors and I may seek approval of further remuneration and provide details on why the remuneration has changed.

#### 3.4 Likely impact on dividends

A Liquidator is entitled to receive remuneration for necessary work that has been properly performed in relation to the liquidation.

A Liquidator must distribute any property realised in accordance with the prescribed order and priorities set out by Section 556 of the Corporations Act 2001. Given that a Liquidator's remuneration is generally afforded priority ahead of any distribution to creditors, any such payment of remuneration approved by creditors will reduce the funds available for distribution to creditors.

The quantum (if any) of the dividend to creditors is ultimately impacted by the Liquidator's remuneration, the asset realisations achieved by the Liquidator and the value of creditor claims admitted to participate in the dividend.

#### 3.5 *Remuneration recovered from external sources*

I received an indemnity of \$20,000, towards the estimated costs of the liquidation. This has been disclosed in my DIRRI.

#### Part 4: Disbursements

See my Initial Remuneration Notice (Annexure E) for details of the types of disbursements.

I have undertaken a proper assessment of disbursements claimed for the company, in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards. I am satisfied that the disbursements claimed are necessary and proper and do not require creditor approval.

#### Part 5: Summary of receipts and payments

There have been no receipts and payments in the liquidation to date.

#### Part 6: Queries

If you have any queries in relation to the information in this report, please contact David Blanchett or Sarah Marsegaglia of this office.

General information is also available on the ARITA and ASIC websites (see section 10 of the attached initial information report).

#### Part 7: Approval of remuneration

In summary, approval of the following proposal is being sought:

That the Liquidator's future remuneration calculated on the basis of time spent by the Liquidator and her staff, at the standard scale rates set by Sheridans for work of this nature, be approved for the period 29 November 2018 to the conclusion of the liquidation to a limit of \$60,000 plus GST, and that the Liquidator be authorised to draw her fees on a monthly basis, or as required, beyond which further approval will be required in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001. The standard scale rates will be increased in accordance with the CPI at 1 August each year, rounded up to the nearest \$.

Attached is a Notice of Proposal to Creditors form for the above resolution. I would be grateful if you would complete the form and return it to this office by no later than 4.00pm on Friday, 11 January 2019.

If you require any assistance in completing the form, please contact David Blanchett or Sarah Marsegaglia of this office.

An information sheet concerning proposals without meetings can be found at the ARITA website, arita.com.au/creditors.

#### NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO CREDITORS

#### Proposal for creditor approval

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#### Reasons for the proposal and likely impact on creditors if passed

The proposal is a request to creditors for approval of my prospective remuneration. If my remuneration is approved, I will draw these funds from current and future funds available. This will reduce the dividend payable (if any) to creditors of the company. Failure to approve remuneration via circular resolution means that I shall be required to call a meeting of creditors to seek approval of my remuneration. This action will result in additional fees and costs for which I shall seek approval.

#### Vote on proposal

Creditors have the option of approving, not approving or objecting to the proposal being resolved without a meeting of creditors. Please select the appropriate Yes, No or Object box referred to below:

Yes  $\Box$  I approve the proposal

No I do not approve the proposal

Object  $\Box$  I object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting of creditors

Your claim against the company must be admitted for the purposes of voting by the Liquidator for your vote to count. Please select the option that applies:

□ I have previously submitted a Proof of Debt and supporting documents

□ I have enclosed a Proof of Debt and supporting documents with this form

#### Creditor details

Name of creditor: \_\_\_\_\_\_ ACN/ABN: \_\_\_\_\_

I am not a related creditor of the company
 I am a related creditor of the company, relationship: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of creditor/authorised person: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this document and return with any supporting documents by no later than 4.00pm on Friday, 11 January 2019 for your vote to be counted, by email to general@sheridansac.com.au or by facsimile to (08) 9221 9340. Completed forms may also be sent by post to PO Box Z5209, Perth WA 6831, although you should ensure these are sent in time to arrive by the date the vote closes.

#### PROOF OF DEBT OR CLAIM

This is to state that the company was on 29 November 2018 and still is justly and truly

indebted to \_\_\_\_\_\_ for:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ cents

Date	Consideration (how the debt arose)	Amount \$	Remarks (include details of voucher substantiating payment)

To my knowledge or belief the creditor has not, nor has any person by the creditor's order, had or received any satisfaction or security for the sum or any part of it except for the following: (insert particulars of all securities held. If the securities are on the property of the company, assess the value of those securities. If any bills or other negotiable securities are held, show them in a schedule in the following form).

Date	Drawer	Acceptor	Amount \$	Due date

I am employed by the creditor and authorised in writing by the creditor to make this statement. I know that the debt was incurred for the consideration stated and that the debt, to the best of my knowledge and belief, remains unpaid and unsatisfied.  $\mathbb{O}$ 

I am the creditor's agent authorised in writing to make this statement in writing. I know that the debt was incurred for the consideration stated and that the debt, to the best of my knowledge and belief, remains unpaid and unsatisfied.  $\mathbb{O}$ 

① Delete both if this proof is made by the creditor personally. Otherwise, strike out or leave, as appropriate.

Please ensure this proof is signed for completion, before lodgement.

Date:	
Signature:	 
Name:	 
Occupation:	 
Creditor's address:	 

 $\square$  I nominate to receive electronic notification of notices or documents in accordance with Section 600G of the Corporations Act 2001 at the following email address: