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## Administrator's progress report

Name of Company

A G Major Limited

Company number

00329992

High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, Birmingham District Registry

Court case number

8585 of 2009

(a) Insert full name(s) and address(es) of administrator(s)

(b) insert date

We Ian Michael Pankhurst Senate Recovery Ltd 4 Jury Street Warwick

Jeremy Bowden Senate Recovery Ltd 4 Jury Street Warwick **CV34 4EW** 

administrators of the above company attach a progress report for the period

From

1 October 2010

**CV34 4EW** 

31 March 2010

Τo

Signed

Dated

Joint Administrators

22 April 2010

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AG MAJOR LIMITED IN ADMINISTRATION

JOINT ADMINISTRATORS SIX MONTHLY REPORT PURSUANT TO RULE 2.47 OF THE INSOLVENCY RULES 1986



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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

1 1 The purpose of this report is to detail the conduct of the Administration covering the first six months since the date of my appointment from 1 October 2009 to 31 March 2010

#### 2. ASSET REALISATIONS

#### Sale of Business

- 2.1 As previously reported in my proposals report, two interested parties submitted offers for the purchase of the Company's business and assets on a going concern basis
- 2 I instructed SHM Smith Hodgkinson ("SHM"), Birmingham based valuers to undertake a professional valuation of the business and assets on a going concern basis. Following a review of the offers received by SHM an offer of £70,000 was accepted from Theon coluk for the purchase of the business and assets. A sale contract was prepared and completed on 23 October 2009 and payment has been received in full. Details of the sale consideration are shown below.

	Realised Value £
Books & Records and Customer Lists	1
Office Furniture & Equipment	1,000
Goodwill & Intellectual Property	1
Plant & Machinery	67,497
Vehicle	1,500
Work in Progress	1_
-	70,000

#### Licence fee

- The company's trading premises was leased by the company from Milton Keynes County Council under a 999 year lease. Following a review of the lease by my agents, the lease is of nil value. Therefore as part of the sale agreement the company granted a licence to the new purchaser to use the premises until negotiations had been concluded between the purchaser and the council. Under the licence agreement the sum of £5,567.23 per month was to be paid until February 2010. To date, £25,598.50 has been received and paid to Milton Keynes County Council.
- 2.4 I can confirm that the licence has been extended for an additional month as the transfer of the lease has not been completed



#### **Book Debts**

- The company operated a factoring agreement with Cable Finance Limited ("Cable") At the time of my appointment Cable were owed approximately £61,039 The sales ledger amounted to £265,120 and the directors estimated that approximately £159,072 would be recoverable
- Cable have confirmed that no surplus or reassigned debtors will be sent to the company as cross guarantees were in place with the associated companies, TR Realisations Limited (Formerly Tracel Limited) and Morite Winding Co Limited (both in Administration) whereby any surplus made would be used to repay any shortfall due under all companies. It is expected that a shortfall will be made on the cross guarantee between all three companies

#### **Financed Assets**

2 7 The Company was in possession of one item of plant & machinery financed with HSBC Equipment Finance (UK) Limited Under the sale agreement, £2,735 09 was paid to HSBC Equipment Finance (UK) Limited from the proceeds of the sale

#### 3. ASSETS TO BE REALISED

3.1 The only remaining asset outstanding is the additional licence fee of £5,567.23 There are no further assets to be realised

#### 4. INVESTIGATION

4.1 In accordance with the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986 I have submitted a report/return on the conduct of the directors of the Company to the Insolvency Service. As this is a confidential report I am not able to disclose the content.

#### 5. OUTCOME FOR CREDITORS

#### **Secured Creditors**

- General Capital Finance Limited ('General Capital') hold a debenture conferring a fixed and floating charge created on 30 November 2007 and registered on 20 December 2007 General Capital has agreed to waive their right to enforce their security and have subsequently taken security over Playfair Products Limited, who purchased the business and assets of TR Realisations Limited (Formerly Tracel Limited), the parent Company.
- 5 2 Cable hold a guarantee and debenture created on 18 September 2009 and registered on 23 September 2009 conveying fixed and floating charges over the company's assets. As stated earlier in my report it is likely there will be a surplus following collection of the company's book debts, however, under the



cross guarantee it is likely that any surplus funds will be used to repay any shortfall under the cross guarantee

#### **Preferential Creditors**

Preferential creditors amounted to approximately £19,655 at the time of my appointment in respect of arrears of wages and outstanding holiday pay owed to the company's former employees and to the Redundancy Payments Office (in respect of claims already paid by them). It is unlikely funds will be available for a dividend to be made to the company's preferential creditors

#### **Unsecured Creditors**

The company's unsecured creditors' claims were estimated at £264,857. It is unlikely that there will be sufficient funds for a dividend to be paid to the company's unsecured creditors.

#### 6. RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

6 1 A summary of my receipts and payments covering the period from the date of my appointment to 31 March 2010 is attached at Appendix A

#### 7. JOINT ADMINISTRATORS REMUNERATION & DISBURSEMENTS

- 7 1 The Administrators proposals report dated 13 November 2009 provided for the creditors to agree the basis upon which my remuneration should be fixed At the meeting of creditors held on 30 November 2009 the creditors agreed that my remuneration should be fixed by reference to time properly spent by myself and my staff in the attending to matters arising in the Administration and that I may draw my fees as and when funds are available
- In addition, creditors have also approved my pre appointment costs of £7,220 in accordance with Rule 2 67 1(c) for advising the company and directors in respect of the procedural formalities required to place the company into Administration. Creditors will note from the attached receipts and payments account, to date I have drawn £7,000 against these costs.
- My time costs to date total £45,858, which represents 172 05 hours of mine and my staff's time that has been spent on this case, at an average hourly charge-out rate of £267. Of this sum, I have drawn fees of £39,900 in respect of the time charges accrued to date. My time costs are further analysed on Appendix D by reference to the grade of staff involved with the case and the tasks which they have been involved.
- In addition, creditors also duly authorised that I may charge my allocated disbursements that have been incurred on behalf of the administration of the case. My total disbursements total £1,020 of which all has been reimbursed to my firm. Disbursements are made up as follows.



Category 1	£
Room Hire Specific Bond	110 00 180 00
Total	290 00
Category 2	£
102 Creditors @ £5 each Registered Office Fee IPS Accounting System Charge Company Search Stationery Costs	510 00 100 00 25 00 20 00 75 00
Total	730 00

#### 8 ESTIMATED OUTCOME STATEMENT

An estimated outcome statement in respect of this matter is attached at Appendix C Based on the asset realisations made to date, the costs of the Administration to date and estimated future costs and realisations, it is estimated that there will be insufficient funds to enable a dividend to be paid to any class of creditor

#### 9. CONCLUSION OF THE ADMINISTRATION

It currently appears likely that there are insufficient funds available, after the costs of the Administration, to allow a dividend to be distributed to any class of creditor. Therefore, it seems likely that the exit route from Administration will be Dissolution. My next report to creditors will be immediately prior to the anniversary of my appointment in October, unless there are grounds to extend the Administration or when I have completed my closing formalities.

I M PÄNKHURST JOINT ADMINISTRATOR



#### **APPENDIX A**

#### STATUTORY INFORMATION

COMPANY NAME.

AG MAJOR LIMITED

**COMPANY NUMBER:** 

00329992

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

C/O SENATE RECOVERY LIMITED

4 JURY STREET

WARWICK CV34 4EW

NAME OF ADMINISTRATORS:

IAN MICHAEL PANKHURST

SENATE RECOVERY LIMITED

4 JURY STREET WARWICK CV34 4EW

JEREMY BOWDEN

SENATE RECOVERY LIMITED

4 JURY STREET WARWICK CV34 4EW

DATE OF APPOINTMENT:

1 OCTOBER 2009

**DATE OF REPORT** 

1 APRIL 2010

DATE OF CREDITORS' MEETING:

**30 NOVEMBER 2009** 

APPOINTED BY:

THE COMPANY DIRECTOR

COURT DETAILS:

THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

**CHANCERY DIVISION** 

BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT REGISTRY

NO 8585 OF 2009



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### **APPENDIX B**

JOINT ADMINISTRATORS RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD 1 OCTOBER 2009 TO 31 MARCH 2010



# A G. Major Limited (In Administration)

## Income and Expenditure Account 01 October 2009 to 31 March 2010

Plant & Machinery 67,497 Furniture & Equipment 1,000 Motor Vehicles 1,500 Work in progress 1 Books and records 1	(£)
Furniture & Equipment       1,000         Motor Vehicles       1,500         Work in progress       1         Books and records       1         Bank Interest Net of Tax       0         License Fee       25,598         EXPENDITURE         HSBC Asset Finance       2,735         Pre-appointment Administrators Fees       7,000         Office Holders Fees       39,900         Office Holders Expenses       1,020         Agents/Valuers Fees (1)       6,000         Legal Fees       9,598         Legal disbursements       157         Statutory Advertising       408         Rents Payable       24,849         91,668       91,668	00
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Balance 3,930.	.67
	13
MADE UP AS FOLLOWS	
Vat Receivable 3,407	67
Bank 1 Current 522	
	30
3,930.	13

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## **APPENDIX C**

## **ESTIMATED OUTCOME STATEMENT**



## AG MAJOR LIMITED IN ADMINISTRATION

### **ESTIMATED OUTCOME STATEMENT AS AT 31 MARCH 2010**

		Statement of Affairs	Achieved to date <u>£</u>	Estimated Movement <u>£</u>	Estimated Final Position <u>£</u>
Sec	cured Assets	<u></u>	_		<del></del>
1	Goodwill	NIL	1	NIL	1
2	Book Debts  Less due to Cable Finance Limited*	159,072 (61,039)	NIL NIL	160,680 (61,039)	160,860 (61,039)
	Anticipated surplus c/d	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
Ass	set Realisations				
	Plant & Machinery Furniture & Equipment Motor Vehicles Stock Books and Records Licence Fee Bank Interest Net of Tax	52,000 NIL 1,500 NIL NIL NIL NIL	67,497 1,000 1,500 1 1 25,599 0 44	NIL NIL NIL NIL 5,567 NIL	67,497 1,000 1,500 1 1 31,166 0 44
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	Estimated Funds Available For Preferential Creditors	Malana			(0)

<sup>\*</sup> Cable Finance Limited ("Cable") are currently in the process of collecting out against sums due to them. Based on information provided by Cable, there will be no surplus to be made available to creditors due to cross guarantees as detailed within this report at 2.6

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**APPENDIX D** 

**ANALYSIS OF TIME COSTS - SIP 9** 



SIP 9 - Time & Cost Summary Period 1 October 2009 to 31 March 2009

Time Summary

		Hours	s			
Classification of work function	Partner	Manager	Partner Manager Administrator	Total Hours	Time Costs £	Avg hourly rate £
Admin & Planning	5 75	7 50	56 50	69 75	9,812	141
Investigations	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0	0
Realisation of Assets	73 75	0 25	0 00	74 00	26,975	365
Creditors	19 60	7 20	0 00	26 80	8,471	316
Trading	1 50	0 00	0 00	1 50	600	400
Total Hours	100 60	14 95	56 50	172 05		
Total Time Costs (£)					45,858	
Average Hourly Rate by Grade (£)						267