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### 1 Company details

Company number 00543042

Company name in full H. & T. Bellas Limited

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### 2 Liquidator's name

Full forename(s) Guy Robert Thomas

Surname Hollander

### 3 Liquidator's address

Building name/number Mazars LLP

Street 30 Old Bailey

Post town London

County/Region

Postcode EC4M7AU

Country

### 4 Liquidator's name ①

Full forename(s) Simon David

Surname Chandler

#### ① Other liquidator

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another liquidator.

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## H. & T. BELLAS LIMITED (“the Company”) - IN LIQUIDATION

### Final Account to the Sole Member

This is the Joint Liquidators' final account to the sole member covering the period 30 June 2022 to 24 August 2023.

#### 1. Introduction

- 1.1. The purpose of this report is to provide the member with an account showing how the liquidation has been conducted, how assets have been disposed of and all progress made since my appointment.
- 1.2. I was appointed Joint Liquidator of the Company together with Mr S D Chandler by the written resolution passed on 30 June 2022.
- 1.3. I am authorised to act as an Insolvency Practitioner in the UK by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and Mr S D Chandler is authorised in the UK by the Insolvency Practitioners Association.
- 1.4. Identification details relating to the Company and the Liquidators are attached at Appendix A.

#### 2. Liquidators' Receipts and Payments

- 2.1. A summary of receipts and payments covering the period since my appointment is attached at Appendix B. A comparison of the figures provided in the directors' declaration of solvency to actual realisations made in the liquidation is included.
- 2.2. An explanation of the assets realised, and the expenses paid is provided below.

#### 3. Asset realisations

- 3.1. Assets realised to date comprise:
- 3.2. **Debtors due from Group Companies**
  - 3.2.1. The directors' declaration of solvency listed debtors due from group companies in the amount of £83,000.
  - 3.2.2. This amount was distributed in specie on 28 June 2023.

#### 4. Liabilities

##### 4.1. Secured Creditors

- 4.1.1. There are no secured creditors.

## 4.2. **Preferential Creditors**

- 4.2.1. There are no preferential creditors.

## 4.3. **Unsecured Creditors**

- 4.3.1. As required by insolvency legislation, an advertisement for creditors to claim was published on 12 July 2022.
- 4.3.2. The directors' declaration of solvency did not include any unsecured creditors and no claims were received.

## 5. **Distributions to the member**

### 5.1. **Cash distributions**

- 5.1.1. There are no cash assets to distribute in this matter.

### 5.2. **Distribution in specie**

- 5.2.1. The written resolution passed on 30 June 2022 resolved that the Liquidators be authorised to divide all or such part of the assets of the Company in specie to the member of the Company.
- 5.2.2. As detailed in section 3.2 of this report, a distribution in specie in the amount of £83,000 in respect of the debtors due from group of companies was made to the shareholder on 28 June 2023. This represented a distribution at a rate of £1.19 per ordinary £1 share.

## 6. **Liquidators' Remuneration**

- 6.1. A resolution was passed by the member enabling the Liquidators to draw remuneration on the basis of a fixed fee of £1,400 plus VAT in respect of the planning phase work and a fixed fee of £2,250 plus VAT in respect of the liquidation phase work.
- 6.2. It was further resolved that we issue our invoice to Saint-Gobain Limited, the Company's ultimate parent, for settlement.
- 6.3. A first and final invoice in the amount of £3,650 plus VAT, was rendered to Saint-Gobain Limited, on 29 July 2022, in respect of the agreed fixed fee and in accordance with our letter of engagement.
- 6.4. Attached at Appendix C is further information of the work likely to be carried out during the Liquidation. Should you require any further explanations or details in respect of the work undertaken, this can be provided upon request.

## 7. **Liquidators' Expenses**

- 7.1. Expenses are any payments from the estate which are neither an office holder's remuneration nor a distribution to a creditor or a member. Expenses also include disbursements. Disbursements are payments which are first met by the office holder, and then reimbursed to the office holder from the estate.

7.2. Details of all expenses incurred by the Liquidators during the course of the liquidation can be found below:

Type of Disbursement	Description	Amount incurred in period (£)
Specific Bond	It is a legal requirement that I take out a specific bond in respect of the value of the assets. On the basis the assets recovered were likely to total £83,000, the bond paid to Aviva Insurance Limited was £27.	27.00
Statutory Advertising	Costs are paid to Courts Advertising for statutory advertising requirements including London Gazette advertisements for notice of the appointment, notice of the resolution to wind up and notice for creditors to submit claims.  It should be noted that this amount is inclusive of the advertising costs for the Company and seven other companies within the Saint Gobain Limited group of companies that also entered liquidation on 30 June 2022.	931.50
Swear Fee	Costs are paid to Debenhams Ottaway in respect of the provision of a solicitor to witness the swearing of the Declaration of Solvency.	80.00
Mileage	Travel costs incurred by employees of Mazars LLP for attending the client's premises.  It should be noted that this amount is inclusive of mileage costs for the Company and seven other companies within the Saint Gobain Limited group of companies that also entered liquidation on 30 June 2022	44.46
Land Registry Search	Searches of HM Land Registry completed as part of due diligence process completed prior to the appointment of Liquidators, to ensure that there were no remaining property interests in the name of the Company.  It should be noted that this amount is inclusive of search costs for the Company and seven other companies within the Saint Gobain Limited group of companies that also entered liquidation on 30 June 2022.	3.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,085.96</b>

- 7.3. An invoice in the amount of £1,785.96 plus VAT was rendered to Saint-Gobain Limited on 29 November 2022 in respect of the Joint Liquidators' disbursements and in accordance with our letter of engagement (which, again, also includes an element of disbursements incurred jointly in the liquidation of this and seven other companies in the Saint Gobain group that also entered liquidation on 30 June 2022.
- 7.4. I have reviewed the expenses incurred to date and I am satisfied that they are fair and reasonable and proportionate in the circumstances of the case.

## 8. **Member's Rights**

- 8.1. The member was notified of their rights as follows in the draft version of this report which was delivered to the member on 30 June 2023.

a. **To request further information**

Pursuant Rule 18.9 of the Insolvency (England and Wales) Rules 2016, a member with concurrence of at least 5% of the total voting rights or a member with permission of the court, may, within 21 days of receipt of the draft final account, ask the Liquidators for further information about the remuneration and expenses as set out in the draft final account.

b. **To apply to Court**

Pursuant to Rule 18.34 of the Insolvency (England and Wales) Rules 2016, a member with concurrence of at least 10% in value of the total voting rights or a member with the permission of the court may, within 8 weeks of the receipt of the draft final account, apply to the court on one or more of the following grounds:

- a. That the remuneration charged by the Liquidators, or
- b. That the basis fixed for the Liquidators' remuneration, or
- c. That the expenses incurred by the Liquidators,

is in all of the circumstances, excessive or inappropriate.

- 8.2. Following delivery of the draft final account to the member the minimum period of 8 weeks has passed, and no such requests or applications have been received.

## 9. **Next steps**

- 9.1. Once my final account has been delivered to the member and the registrar of companies, I will vacate office and will automatically be released under section 171(6) of the Insolvency Act 1986.

I trust that this is sufficient information for your requirements but please do not hesitate to contact me should you need anything further.



G R T Hollander  
Joint Liquidator

Authorised to act as an insolvency practitioner in the UK by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales and bound by the Insolvency Code of Ethics. Where personal data is required to be processed, this will be dealt with in accordance with the Mazars LLP Insolvency Services Privacy Statement which can be accessed at:

[www.mazars.co.uk/Legal-and-privacy](http://www.mazars.co.uk/Legal-and-privacy).



H. & T. Bellas Limited  
In Liquidation

## IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

### Details relating to the Company

<b>Company name</b>	<b>H. &amp; T. Bellas Limited</b>
<b>Previous names</b>	Meyer 6 Limited Montague L. Meyer (Northern) Limited Gabriel Wade(Services)Limited
<b>Trading name</b>	H. & T. Bellas Limited
<b>Company number</b>	00543042
<b>Registered office</b>	Saint-Gobain House East Leake, Loughborough, Leicestershire, LE12 6JU
<b>Trading address</b>	Saint-Gobain House East Leake, Loughborough, Leicestershire, LE12 6JU

### Details relating to the appointment of Liquidators

<b>Date of appointment</b>	30 June 2022
<b>Liquidators</b>	G R T Hollander and S D Chandler, both of Mazars LLP, 30 Old Bailey, London, EC4M 7AU IP No(s) 009233 and 008822
<b>Liquidators' Address</b>	Mazars LLP, 30 Old Bailey, London, EC4M 7AU
<b>Liquidators' Contact telephone number</b>	+44 (0)121 232 9500

**H. & T. Bellas Limited**  
**(In Liquidation)**  
**Joint Liquidators' Summary of Receipts & Payments**  
**To 24/08/2023**

<b>Dec of Sol £</b>		<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
	ASSET REALISATIONS		
83,000.00	Debtors due from group companies	83,000.00	83,000.00
	DISTRIBUTIONS		
	Ordinary Shareholders	83,000.00	(83,000.00)
<b>83,000.00</b>			<b>NIL</b>
	REPRESENTED BY		
			<b>NIL</b>

Note:

## H. & T. Bellas Limited In Liquidation

### Introduction

This summary provides details of the work that is anticipated to be carried out by the proposed Liquidators and their staff in a members' voluntary liquidation.

- Case acceptance and ethical reviews.
- Completing case strategy notes and providing strategy updates to the client.
- Managing and maintaining the case on the Firm's client systems and our specialist insolvency software system.
- Filing.
- Updates to the client regarding the strategy of the liquidation.

Appropriate case administration and planning ensures that the case is managed coherently and efficiently, with minimisation of costs and avoidance of duplication of work. Strong internal processes aid to add value through the efficient management of the case. This work is also required in order to appropriately document and record how the case has been administered in accordance with regulatory requirements.

The following activities are required in order to ensure the Company is compliant with tax requirements:

- Notifying HM Revenue & Customs ("HMRC") of my appointment and establishing whether they have any outstanding claims or ongoing investigations.
- Reviewing the Company's VAT position; finalising the pre-Liquidation VAT account (if not already done); deregistering the Company for VAT once all of the taxable assets have been sold in line with the VAT regulations.
- Complete any outstanding pre-appointment Tax Returns in order to correctly establish HMRC's claims.
- Preparing post Liquidation Corporation Tax and VAT returns, as required by statute.

In accordance with statutory requirements, a notice seeking creditors' claims will be advertised in the Gazette.

As this is a solvent liquidation any creditor claims are to be paid in full, together with statutory interest.

In the event that there are creditor claims outstanding at the date of appointment, the following work will be undertaken to ensure that any creditors are dealt with appropriately.

- Responding to any queries which arise.
- Logging creditor claims.
- Collating information from the Company records to assist with claim adjudication work.

#### Distributions

- For any distributions to creditors - adjudication of creditor claims, requesting further information where necessary or dealing with rejected claims.
- Distributions to members.
- Preparing dividend calculations.
- Processing and payment of distributions.

#### Reporting

- Reporting the outcome of any meetings.
- Annual progress reports.

#### Cashiering

- Setting up case details on our insolvency software system.
- Setting up bank accounts, including deposit accounts as necessary.
- Bank account maintenance, including periodic reconciliations.
- Issuing payments and banking receipts and preparing the appropriate paperwork for such transactions.

This work is required in order to ensure that the estate bank account is operated in accordance with guidance issued by my regulatory body.

#### Statutory and Compliance

- Preparation and lodgement of statutory appointment documents.
- Initial notices and advertisements following appointment.
- Case monitoring and statutory compliance, including internal case reviews.
- Case bordereau.

This work is required in order to ensure that the case has been administered in accordance with regulatory requirements.