Liquidator's Progress Report

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Pursuant to Sections 92A and 104A and 192 of the Insolvency Act 1986

To the Registrar of Companies

Company Number

01536367

Name of Company

Medicentres (UK) Limited

I/We

Situl Devji Raithatha, 38 De Montfort Street, Leicester, LE1 7GS

Robert Cundy, Hayes House, 6 Hayes Road, Bromley, Kent, BR2 9AA

the liquidator(s) of the company attach a copy of my/our Progress Report under section 192 of the Insolvency Act 1986

The Progress Report covers the period from 11/11/2015 to 10/11/2016

Signed _____

Date 09/01/17

Springfields Advisory LLP 38 De Montfort Street Leicester LE1 7GS

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TO ALL KNOWN SHAREHOLDERS & CREDITORS

Our ref:

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Date:

9 January 2017

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Dear Sir / Madam

Medicentres (UK) Limited - In Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation ("the Company")

We write following the end of the fifth anniversary of the Liquidation We detail below our report on the progress of the Liquidation for the period from 11 November 2015 to 10 November 2016 ("the Period"). This report should be read in conjunction with our previous reports including those issued during the Administration Period

1. Company and Liquidators' details

Company Name

Medicentres (UK) Limited

Company Registered number

01536367

Registered Office

38 De Montfort Street

Leicester LE1 7GS

Name of Liquidators

Situl Devji Raithatha

Licensed Insolvency Practitioner of

Springfields Advisory LLP 38 De Montfort Street

Leicester LE1 7GS

Robert Cundy

Licensed Insolvency Practitioner of RJC Financial Management Ltd

6 Hayes Road Bromley Kent BR2 9AA

Date of Appointment

11 November 2011



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2. Receipts and payments & the Liquidators' actions in the Period

We enclose a summary of our receipts and payments account ("R&P") for the Period Please note that the receipts and payments are shown exclusive of VAT The funds are held on an interest bearing account

Rates Refund

A rates refund of £21,618 81 was received in the Period No further funds are expected from this source.

We trust that you will find the remaining receipts and payments self-explanatory

3. Investigations

The investigation into the conduct of the directors continues and we have considered the role and involvement of certain other individuals who may be considered as either shadow or de facto directors

We have instructed solicitors who have issued pre-action letters, with a view to commencing proceedings against certain of the individuals

As there is an ongoing legal action, we are restricted from providing further information in this report. However, we are liaising with the majority creditors to seek their opinion on the ongoing action

4. Outcome for creditors

Secured Creditors

There are no known secured creditors of the Company.

Preferential Creditors

The preferential claims are limited to employees' claims for unpaid wages and salaries (subject to statutory limits) and accrued holiday pay, which may be subrogated to the Secretary of State following payment by the Redundancy Payments Office.

All the employees of the Company at the date of Administration transferred to the purchaser under the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations on 25 July 2011 Accordingly it is not anticipated that there will be any preferential claims and, to date, no claims have been received

Prescribed Part

Pursuant to Section 176A of the Act where a floating charge is created after 15 September 2003, a prescribed part of the Company's net property shall be made available to non-preferential unsecured creditors

As there are no secured creditors of the Company the Prescribed Part does not apply in this instance

Non-Preferential Unsecured Creditors

Based on the financial information provided by the Company's management, the total non-preferential unsecured creditor claims amounted to £1,961,647 We have received claims from 45 creditors totalling £2,636,459 99 to date We have not received claims from 47 creditors with estimated claims totalling £255,053 64

A First Dividend at a rate of 11p in the £ was declared and paid to this class of creditor on 4 April 2014. Significant funds have been set aside for unproven creditors and unsettled claims. Claims totalling £2,213,237 68 have been admitted for dividend to date and claims in the sum of £78,368 45 rejected. There are unsettled claims of £344,853.86

Equalising dividends of £126,376 26 were paid in the Period to creditors whose claims had not been admitted when the dividend was declared

We expect to be in a position to make further distributions to creditors although we are unable to confirm the timing and quantum at this stage.

5. Liquidators' remuneration

By way of a postal resolution dated 22 March 2012, our remuneration was agreed on a time costs basis. We enclose breakdowns summarising our time costs, subject to the posting of timesheets, for the Period. This also includes cumulative figures for the period from 11 November 2011 to 10 November 2016. Details of the amounts drawn on account of these costs are shown on the enclosed R&P. We also enclose schedules of our firms' current charge out rates for your information.

There are certain tasks that have to be undertaken on nearly every Liquidation Although they are required by statute or regulatory guidance, or are necessary for the orderly conduct of the proceedings, they do not produce any direct benefit for creditors, but still have to be carried out A description of the routine work undertaken in the Liquidation in the Period is as follows

A description of the routine work undertaken in the liquidation to date is as follows:

1. <u>Administration and Planning</u>

- Case planning devising an appropriate strategy for dealing with the case and giving instructions to the staff to undertake the work on the case
- Dealing with all routine correspondence and emails relating to the case

- Maintaining and managing the office holder's cashbook
- Undertaking regular bank reconciliations of the bank account containing estate funds
- Reviewing the adequacy of the specific penalty bond on a regular basis
- Undertaking periodic reviews of the progress of the case.
- Overseeing and controlling the work done on the case by case administrators
- Preparing, reviewing and issuing annual progress reports to creditors and members
- Filing returns at Companies House
- Preparing and filing VAT returns
- Preparing and filing Corporation Tax returns

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2. Creditors

- Dealing with creditor correspondence, emails and telephone conversations regarding their claims
- Maintaining up to date creditor information on the case management system
- Reviewing proofs of debt received from creditors, adjudicating on them and formally admitting them for the payment of a dividend
- Requesting additional information from creditors in support of their proofs of debt in order to adjudicate on their claims.

6. Liquidation Expenses

Please find attached details of our expenses incurred and paid in the Period

The following agents or professional advisors were utilised in the Period.

Professional Advisor	Nature of Work	Fee Arrangement
Moon Beever LLP	Solicitors regarding remaining Administration issues and creditor claims	Time costs
Irwin Mitchell LLP	Solicitors regarding wrongful trading action – instructed to replace SGH Martineau LLP	A Conditional Fee Arrangement with 100% uplift if the claim is successful
Baker Tilly Restructuring & Recovery LLP	Forensic accountancy work	
		Fixed fee
Goodman Nash Limited	Business Rates Review	Percentage of Recoveries

The choice of professionals was based on our perception of their experience and ability to perform this type of work, the complexity and nature of the assignment and the basis of our fee arrangement with them. The fees charged have been reviewed and we are satisfied that they are reasonable in the circumstances of this case.

7. Creditors' Rights

Further information about creditors' rights can be obtained by visiting the creditors' information micro-site published by the Association of Business Recovery Professionals (R3) at http://www.creditorinsolvencyguide.co.uk/ Details about how an office holder's fees may be approved for each case type are available in a series of guides issued with Statement of Insolvency Practice 9 (SIP 9) and can be accessed at http://www.insolvency-practitioners.org.uk/regulation-and-guidance/guides-to-fees. Alternatively a hard copy can be provided on request

An unsecured creditor may, with the permission of the Court or with the concurrence of 5% in value of the unsecured creditors (including the creditor in question) request further details of the Liquidators' remuneration and expenses, within 21 days of receipt of this report. Any secured creditor may request the same details in the same time limit.

An unsecured creditor may, with the permission of the Court or with the concurrence of 10% in value of the creditors (including the creditor in question), apply to Court to challenge the amount and/or basis of the Liquidator's fees and the amount of any proposed expenses or expenses already incurred, within 8 weeks of receipt of this report. Any secured creditor may make a similar application to court within the same time limit

8. Summary

The Liquidation will remain open until the legal action has been finalised and all unsettled claims have been dealt with We will make distributions to creditors as and when there are sufficient funds available to do so.

Once these issues have been dealt with, the Liquidation will be finalised and we will progress to close our files

9. Other

Insolvency Code of Ethics

We would advise you that we are bound by the Insolvency Code of Ethics ("the Code") when carrying out all professional work relating to an insolvency appointment. No threats have been identified to the fundamental principles of the Code, which would prevent us from continuing in office

Provisions of Services Regulations 2009

In order to comply with the Provisions of Services Regulations 2009, the necessary disclosure is available at the head offices of our respective firms.

- Springfields Advisory LLP at 38 De Montfort Street, Leicester LE1 7GS
- RJC Financial Management, 6 Hayes Road, Bromley, Kent BR2 9AA

10. Disclaimer

This report has been prepared for the sole purpose of updating creditors and shareholders of the Company for information purposes to fulfil the necessary statutory requirements of the Liquidators The report is private and confidential and may not be relied upon, referred to, reproduced or quoted from, in whole or in part, or otherwise used by creditors or shareholders for any purpose other than updating them for information purposes, or any other person for any purpose whatsoever.

If you have any queries, please contact Luke Littlejohn of Springfields.

Dated: 9 January 2017

Situl Devji Raithatha

Joint Liquidator

Robert Cundy Joint Liquidator

Robert Cundy is licensed to act as an insolvency practitioner in the UK by the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants

Medicentres (UK) Limited (In Liquidation) Joint Liquidators' Abstract of Receipts & Payments

Statement of Affairs		From 11/11/2015 To 10/11/2016	From 11/11/2011 To 10/11/2016
	ASSET REALISATIONS		
	Transfer from Administration	NIL	504,890 96
	Administration VAT Refund	NIL	44,497 37
	Wrongful Trading Settlement	NIL	134,500 00
	Claims against Directors	NIL	NIL
	Funds from Client Account	NIL	4,390 67
	Rent	NIL	84,096.42
	Rent Deposit	NIL	26,450 53
	Deposit held by Solicitor	NIL	1,527 00
	Bank Interest Gross	376 01	4,108.58
	Rates Refund	21,618 81	21,683 88
	Bank of Scotland funds	NIL	12,528 72
	Third Party Funds	NIL	79,705 55
	Transfer from CVA	NIL	334 23
	Unclaimed Dividends	NIL	764 04
		21,994 82	919,477 95
	COST OF REALISATIONS		
	Specific Penalty Bond	NIL	1,844 00
	Liquidators' Remuneration	12,522 00	159,630 00
	Rent & Property Expenses Payable	NIL	8,024 57
	Accountancy Costs	NIL	3,875 00
	Courier Costs	NIL	124 80
	Legal Fees and disbursements	9,000 00	46,477.49
	Administration Legal Fees	NIL	10,946 49
	Corporation Tax	NIL	699 71
	Software Costs	NIL	110.00
	Meeting Room Hire	NIL	77 70
	Postage & Report Website Fees	196 37	1,103 76
	Travel Costs	277 00	
		1,584 90	1,319 83
	Storage Costs	6,485 64	7,139 83
	Agent Costs	0,465 64 	6,485 64
	Statutory Advertising	NIL	151-62
	Bank Charges		30 00
	Third Party Funds	NIL (20.065.04)	150,015 73
		(30,065 91)	(398,056 17)
	UNSECURED CREDITORS		• • • • • • • • •
	Distribution (see note)	126,376 26	243,456 29
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		(134,447.35)	277,965 49
	REPRESENTED BY		
	Vat Receivable		45 28
	Current A/c - Bank 1		277,920 21
			277,965 49

Medicentres (UK) Limited (In Liquidation) Joint Liquidators' Abstract of Receipts & Payments

Statement	From 11/11/2015	From 11/11/2011
of Affairs	To 10/11/2016	To 10/11/2016

Distribution of 11p in the £ was declared on 4 April 2014 to the unsecured, non-preferential creditors
Equalising dividends have subsequently been paid

Time Entry - Cumulative Detailed SIP9 Time & Cost Summary

Springfields Advisory LLP

ME1435 - Medicentres (UK) Limited From 11/11/2015 To 10/11/2016 Project Code POST

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^{**} Denotes codes included in cumulative date that ere not present in the period

Springfields Advisory LLP Charge out rates and disbursements policy for Insolvency Department With effect from 1st August 2016 (subject to periodic review)

Hourly Rate effective 1 August

Grade	2016	2015 (comparative)
	(£)	(£)
Partner	425	410
Manager	250 – 320	240 – 310
Administrator	145 – 215	140 - 210

Time is recorded in units of 6 minutes (prior to 08/01/2007 this was 15 minutes)

In some instances where there is undue risk to the firm in recovering its standard hourly rates in full, typically as a consequence of the pursuit of causes of action where the outcomes are far from certain, or where there are considered to be undue risks associated with the conduct of an assignment, then approval for a percentage uplift on standard hourly rates may be sought. The percentage uplift sought will vary depending upon the circumstances of each case.

Disbursements policy

Disbursements incurred in the course of an appointment are recharged to the case in accordance with SIP 9 on all insolvency appointments. These fall into two categories

Category 1 disbursements are costs which comprise external supplies and are paid to an independent third party. These generally include, for instance, advertising, bond, travel expenses (excluding mileage) and external storage of records

Category 2 disbursements are costs which are directly referable to the appointment but not a payment to an independent third party. These may include shared or allocated costs that can be allocated to the appointment on a proper and reasonable basis, e.g. business mileage. Category 2 disbursements require approval by creditors before they can be drawn

Category 2 disbursements

Photocopying / printing	10p per sheet
Internal storage of books and records	Initial charge for intake: £6.10 per box
	Storage £0 40 per month per box in storage at month end
Internal storage of PC/IT equipment	Storage £3 60 per month per item in storage at month end
Internal room hire	£100 per statutory meeting
Mıleage (own car usage)	45p per mile

Creditors' Guide to Fees (Produced by the Association of Business Recovery Professionals)

Creditors should note that a copy of the appropriate Creditors' Guide to Fees is available on request from this office or a copy can be accessed on the Insolvency Practitioners Association website www.insolvency-practitioners.org.uk under the heading 'Regulation and Guidance' and then by following the link to 'Creditors' Guides'.

All amounts detailed above are shown exclusive of VAT, which will be charged at the prevailing rate

Joint Liquidators' Remuneration Schedule Medicentres (UK) Ltd Between 11 November 2015 and 10 November 2016

Classification of work function	Partner/ Director	Manager	Other Senior Professionals	Assistants & Support Staff	Total Hours	Time Cost	Average Hourly Rate
Administration & Planning	1 50	0 50	1 50	3 00	6 50	1,365 00	210 00
Enquines & Investigations	19 30	0 00	0 00	1 40	20 70	7,671 00	370 58
Realisation of Assets	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Trading	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Creditors (inc Employee Matters)	2 10	0 00	0 00	0 10	2 20	828 00	376 36
Case Specific Matters	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Statutory and compliance	0 00	0 00	0.00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Reporting	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Total hours	22 90	0 50	1 50	4 50	29 40		
Time costs	8,931 00	150 00	360 00	423 00	9,864 00		
Average hourly rate	390 00	300 00	240 00	94 00	335 51		

Description	Total Incurred £	Total Recovered £
	0 00	0 00
Totals	0.00	0 00

Summary of Fees

Time spent in administering the Assignment Total value of time spent to 10 November 2016

Hours £ 29 40 9,864 00

Joint Liquidators' Remuneration Schedule Medicentres (UK) Ltd Between 11 November 2011 and 10 November 2016

Classification of work function	Partner/ Director	Manager	Other Senior Professionals	Assistants & Support Staff	Total Hours	Time Cost	Average Hourly Rate
Administration & Planning	18 20	3 40	4 50	3 80	29 90	7,613 00	254 62
Enquiries & Investigations	214 00	11 00	18 30	6 60	249 90	67,573 00	270 40
Realisation of Assets	2 00	2 00	0 50	0 00	4 50	1,042 50	231 67
Trading	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Creditors (inc Employee Matters)	7 70	0 00	0 00	0 10	7 80	2,566 00	328 97
Case Specific Matters	0 20	0 00	2 30	3 40	5 90	544 50	92 29
Statutory and compliance	0 70	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 70	175 00	250 00
Reporting	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Total hours	242 80	16 40	25 60	13 90	298 70		
Time costs	69,755 00	4,130 00	4,585 00	1,044 00	79,514 00		
Average hourly rate	287 29	251 83	179 10	75 11	266 20		

Description	Total Incurred £	Total Recovered £
Statutory Advertising	76 50	76 50
Bordereaux	924 00	924 00
Meeting Room Hire	77 70	77 70
Insolv System Set Up	110 00	110 00
Travel costs	17 20	17 20
Postage costs	99 89	0 00
Totals	1,305 29	1,205.40

Summary of Fees

Time spent in administering the Assignment Hours 298 70
Total value of time spent to 10 November 2016 £ 79,514 00
Total Joint Liquidators' fees charged to 10 November £ 60,000 00
2016

RJC FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT LIMITED CHARGING POLICY Introduction

This note applies where a licensed insolvency practitioner in the firm is acting as an office holder of an insolvent estate and seeks creditor approval to draw remuneration either as a combination of, or on one of the following basis of the time properly spent in dealing with the case, on a fixed fee basis, or as a percentage of realisations. It also applies where further information is to be provided to creditors regarding the office holder's fees following the passing of a resolution for the office holder to be remunerated on the above basis. Best practice guidance requires that such information should be disclosed to those who are responsible for approving remuneration.

Office Holder's fees in respect of the administration of insolvent estates

The office holder has overall responsibility for the administration of the estate. He will delegate tasks to members of staff. Such delegation assists the office holder as it allows him to deal with the more complex aspects of the case and ensures that work is being carried out at the appropriate level. There are various levels of staff that are employed by the office holder and these appear below.

If remuneration is to be charged on the basis of time properly spent in dealing with the case, the firm operates a time recording system which allows staff working on the case along with the office holder to allocate their time to the case. This time is recorded at the individual's hourly rate in force at that time which is detailed below.

Should remuneration be charged on a fixed fee basis, this fee is fixed having taken into account the complexity of the case and those tasks that would be necessary to conclude the case.

Should remuneration be charged as a percentage of realisations, this is based on an estimate of the percentage that the office holder believes reflects the risk that he is taking of not achieving any realisations, the nature of the assets involved, the complexity of the case and the anticipated benefit for the creditors

Expenses incurred by Office Holders in respect of the administration of Insolvent estates

Best practice guidance classifies expenses into two broad categories.

- Category 1 expenses (approval not required) specific expenditure that is directly related to the
 case usually referable to an independent external supplier's invoice. All such items are charged to
 the case as they are incurred.
- Category 2 expenses (approval required) items of incidental expenditure directly incurred on the
 case which include an element of shared or allocated cost and which are based on a reasonable
 method of calculation.
- (A) The following items of expenditure are charged to the case (subject to approval):
 - Internal meeting room usage for the purpose of creditors is charged at the rate of £100
 - Car Mileage is charged at the rate of 40 pence per mile
 - Storage of books & records (when not chargeable as a Category 1 expense) is charged on the
 basis that the number of standard archive boxes for all such cases in respect of the period for
 which the storage charge relates.
- (B) The following items of expenditure will normally be treated as general office overheads and will not be charged to the case although a charge may be made where the precise cost to the case can be determined because the item satisfies the test of a Category 1 Expense: Telephone & Facsimile, Printing & Photocopying, Stationery

RJC Financial Management Ltd charge-out rates

Grade of Staff	Hourly Charge -out rate
Partner	£390
Manager	£300
Senior Administrator	£240
Administrator	£180
Assistant	£90

Time is recorded in units of 0.10 of an hour (i.e. 6 minute units)

Medicentres (UK) Limited - In Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation

Details of expenses incurred and paid from 11 November 2015 to 10 November 2016 (all expenses shown exclusive of VAT)

Expenses

Туре	Notes	Outstanding b/f (£)	Incurred in Period (£)	Paid in Period (£)	Outstanding c/f (£)
Agent Costs (rates refund)		-	6,485 64	6,485 64	-
Legal Fees & Disbursements	1	10,934 88	37,726 62	9,000 00	39,661 50
Postage Costs		-	196 37	196 37	-
Storage Costs	2	_	1,584 90	1,584 90	_
Travel Costs		•	277 00	277 00	-
TOTAL		10,934 88	46,270 53	17,543 91	39,661 50

Notes

- 1) Included in the sum incurred in the Period is the sum of £28,489 62, which relates to legal advice on potential legal claims to be brought by the Company and an associated company in Liquidation. At present, no agreement is in place between the division of these costs between the two estates but it is assumed for the purpose of this schedule that the costs will be divided equally
- 2) These costs to continue to accrue and are billed periodically