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

02589734

Name of Company

Abersoft Limited

I/We

Ian J Gould, Pannell House, 159 Charles Street, Leicester, LE1 1LD

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 02/06/2013 to 01/06/2014

Signed

BDO LLP 125 Colmore Row Birmingham B3 3SD

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Abersoft Limited (In Liquidation) Liquidator's Abstract of Receipts & Payments

Statement of Affairs	_	From 02/06/2013 To 01/06/2014	From 23/03/2011 To 01/06/2014
	GENERAL FIXED CHARGE		
250,000 00	Freehold Property	120,000 00	120,000 00
200,000 00	Rent Receivable	NIL	2,292 39
(628,052 00)	Other Property Expenses	NIL.	(1,696 00
(020,002 00)	Insurance	(13,658 68)	(16,850 46
	Legal Fees & Expenses Utilities	(1,597 00)	(2,437 00
		(1,459 97)	(3,506 98
	Property Management Charges	(2,497 09)	(5,481 59
	Corporation Tax	(94 07)	(436 14
	Office Holder's Fee	(10,000 00)	(10,000 00
	Barclays Bank PLC	(78,284 00)	(78,284 00
	Agents Fees	(3,600 00)	(3,600 00
		8,809 19	0 23
	ASSET REALISATIONS		
NIL	Plant & Machinery	NIL	NII
NIL	Trade Debtors	NIL	NII
NIL	Other Debtors	NIL	NII
7412	VAT Refund	NIL	37 5
68,085 00	Funds held by Solicitors	NIL	68,085 0
00,000 00	Bank Interest Gross	NIL	3 7
	Bank Interest Net of Tax	39 23	135 9
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	COST OF REALISATIONS		
	Specific Bond	NIL	10 00
	Preparation of S of A	NIL	7,500 0
	Office Holders Fees	20,000 00	20,000 0
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	Corporation Tax	0 09	3 5
	Non-Reclaimable VAT	15 73	15.7
	Statutory Advertising	NIL	209 2
	Bank Charges	16 00	16 00
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	FLOATING CHARGE CREDITORS		
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	Barclays Bank Plc	36,716 00	36,716 0
		(36,716 00)	(36,716 00
	UNSECURED CREDITORS		
(41,648 12)	Trade & Expense Creditors	NIL	NI
(8,118 68)	Customs & Excise	NIL	NI
•		NIL NIL	NI
	DISTRIBUTIONS		
(100,000 00)	Ordinary Shareholders	NII	NII
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31 July 2014

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Dear Sirs

Abersoft Limited - In Liquidation ("the Company")
Report to creditors on the progress of the Liquidation pursuant to Rule 4.49C of the
Insolvency Rules 1986

I write to give you a progress report on the conduct of the Liquidation for the period 2 June 2013 to 1 June 2014 ("the period").

As you are aware, Brian Hamblin and Chris Latos were appointed Joint Liquidators of the above Company on 23 March 2011. Following Chris Latos' departure from PKF (UK) LLP, I replaced him as Joint Liquidator of the Company Brian Hamblin retired from the firm on 1 June 2012 and was removed from office as Joint Liquidator of the Company with immediate effect, by order of the Court. I continue in my capacity as sole Liquidator. There has been no other impact on the Liquidation.

As previously advised the business of PKF (UK) LLP was transferred to BDO LLP on 28 March 2013. There has been no change to the Insolvency Practitioner appointed to deal with this matter and contact details are as stated on this letterhead.

The following schedules are attached to this report:

- 1. Statutory information.
- 2 An abstract of the Liquidator's receipts and payments account for the period of the report and for the liquidation overall.
- An analysis of the time charged to the liquidation estate in the period covered by this report and for the liquidation overall

General overview

This is the fourth progress report on the conduct of the Liquidation and details the position for the period.





Progress of the liquidation

I have attempted to maximise realisation of the Company's assets which is discussed in greater detail below.

I am pleased to advise that the sale of the freehold property was completed in this period. Also, bank interest in the sum of £39 was realised.

Asset Realisations

Unit 8 Science Park, Aberystwyth ("Unit 8")

As previously advised, the Company owned a property at Unit 8 Science Park, Aberystwyth ("Unit 8") Prior to the Liquidation appointment, a sale had been agreed. However, subsequently the sale failed to complete.

A further offer was received and accepted in February 2013, however, the purchaser failed to complete. Finally, a third offer in the sum of £120,000 was received and completion took place in November 2013

As you will be aware Barclays Bank Plc ("the Bank") held a legal charge against the property which is discussed in detail below.

Bank Interest

Bank interest net of tax in the sum of £39 has been received during the period.

Costs incurred other than Liquidator's expenses

During the period the following costs were incurred and paid in the liquidation

Insurance - paid to JLT Specialty	£13,659
Legal Fees & Expenses - paid to Morris	£1,597
& Bates Solicitors	
Utility Costs - paid to Opus Energy	£1,460
Property Management Charges - paid to	£2,497
Cefnllan Management Co	
Agents Fees - paid to Stuart Hogg &	£3,600
John Francis Agents	
Corporation Tax - paid to HMRC	£94
Bank Charges - Paid to RBS Bank plc	£16
Non-Reclaimable VAT	£16
	£22,939

All costs previously charged to the case have been detailed in previous reports to creditors and are detailed on the attached abstract of receipts and payments

Future statutory costs of £84 are expected.



Creditor Claims

Secured Creditor

As previously reported, the Bank holds a debenture conferring fixed and floating charges over the whole of the Company and its undertaking created on 7 January 2003 and registered at Companies House on 24 January 2003.

The Bank also held a legal charge against Unit 8 which was created on 9 July 2010 and registered at Companies House on 14 July 2010.

Our legal advisors have confirmed the validity of the charges

The Company was indebted to the Bank in the sum of £628,052 at the date of appointment.

The sum of £78,284 has been distributed to the Bank in this period in respect of its fixed charge security over Unit 8.

A further sum of £36,716 has also been distributed to the Bank in respect of its floating charge security over other Company assets leaving the Bank suffering a shortfall of £513,052 against its indebtedness. This amount is subject to final interest and charges

As previously advised there would appear to be other debentures and legal charges outstanding against the Company, however, we have been advised by the directors of the Company and the solicitors who dealt with the previous sale of Unit 12 that these have all been satisfied

Preferential Creditors

I am not aware of any preferential creditors in the Liquidation.

Unsecured, Non-Preferential Creditors

The Company's unsecured creditors were estimated to total £41,648 in the directors' estimated statement of affairs.

Claims totalling £23,381 have been received to date, which includes HM Revenue & Custom's claim for VAT in the sum of £11,200.

Based on current information there is no likelihood of a distribution to the unsecured, non-preferential creditors. As a consequence, work has not currently been undertaken on agreeing any claims

Distributions

Section 176A of the Insolvency Act 1986 requires a Liquidator to set aside a prescribed amount of the Company's "net property" towards the satisfaction of unsecured debts. Net property is the amount of property that would otherwise be available for satisfaction of holders of debentures secured by, or holders of, any floating charge created by the Company on or after 15 September 2003



In this case the floating charges predates 15 September 2003 and therefore a prescribed part calculation does not apply

Please note that in accordance with Rule 4.186 and Rule 11.7 of the Insolvency Rules 1986, as amended, I would confirm that due to insufficient funds, no dividend will be declared to unsecured, non-preferential creditors in this matter as the funds realised have been used or allocated for defraying expenses of the Liquidation

Remuneration and disbursements

I can confirm that approval of the Liquidator's basis for remuneration was obtained at a Meeting of Creditors held on 10 September 2010 in accordance with Rule 4 127 of the Insolvency Act 1986 when a resolution was passed that his remuneration be fixed by reference to the time properly given in attending to matters arising in the Liquidation at PKF (UK) LLP's, (now BDO LLP) usual charge out rates.

At the same meeting of creditors, it was further approved that PKF (UK) LLP (now BDO LLP), be paid the sum of £7,500 plus Disbursements and VAT in respect of their costs of convening the meeting of creditors and providing general assistance in the period immediately prior to the Liquidation. This amount was paid on 25 March 2011.

The time costs incurred in the period, amount to £15,225 and represents 83 hours at an average hourly rate of £182. The total time costs incurred since appointment on 23 March 2011 to 1 June 2014 amount to £38,477 representing hours 205 at an average hourly rate of £188.

Against these time costs, I have drawn fees of £10,000 in respect of fixed charged realisations in this period. This amount has been agreed by Barclays Bank Plc. I have drawn further fees of £20,000 in this period in respect of floating charge realisations. This amount has also been agreed by Barclays Bank Plc.

A detailed analysis of the time costs incurred is enclosed and the charge out rates for the period are summarised as follows:

Staff grade	Average rate (£ per hour)
Partner / Director	461 - 295
Senior Manager / Manager	271 - 230
Supervisor / Senior Administrator	183
Administrator / Support Staff	172 - 99

These amounts are derived from BDO LLP's normal rates for time properly spent by the Liquidator and his staff in attending to matters arising in the Liquidation. Where members of staff have been employed on this case they have been so based on their experience and abilities in dealing with a case of this nature. Where appropriate certain staff have dealt with a specific area of the liquidation due to their specialist skills in that area. BDO LLP's scale rates may increase from time to time over the period of an assignment.



All staff who have worked on this matter, including cashiers and secretarial staff, have charged time directly to the assignment and are included in the enclosed analysis. The cost of staff employed in central administration functions is not charged directly to the assignment but is reflected in the general level of charge out rates

Liquidator's Disbursements

Disbursements charged to the estate in the period covered by this report amount to £22,939.

Category 1 disbursements charged at cost are as follows:

	£
Insurance	13,659
Legal Fees & Expenses	1,597
Utility Costs	1,460
Property Management Charges	2,497
Agents Fees	3,600
Corporation Tax	94
Bank Charges	16
Non-Reclaimable VAT	16
	22,939

Total Disbursements paid from the Liquidation estate since the date of appointment amount to £35,097 and are summarised on the attached abstract of receipts and payments.

No Category 2 disbursements have been charged for the period

A creditors' guide to fees, which provides information regarding creditors' rights in relation to insolvency practitioners' fees, can be obtained by visiting our website. The relevant guide can be accessed throughwww bdo.co.uk/cgtf.

In accordance with Rule 4.49E of the Insolvency Rules 1986 any unsecured creditor with the concurrence of at least 5% in value of the total unsecured creditors (including the value of their own claim) or with the permission of the court, or any secured creditor may make a formal request in writing to the Liquidator for further information about the remuneration or expenses (other than pre-liquidation costs) set out in this report. Such a request must be made within 21 days from the date of receipt of this progress report.

Additionally, creditors who believe that the Liquidator's remuneration is, in the circumstances, excessive or inappropriate may apply to the court under the provisions of Rule 4.131 of the insolvency Rules 1986. Such application may be made by a secured creditor or any unsecured creditor, the latter requiring the concurrence of 10% of the total unsecured creditors (including their own claim) or the permission of the court.

Complaints

If you have a complaint you should address it in the first instance to the Senior Partner, BDO LLP, 55 Baker Street, London W1U 7EU. If you are still dis-satisfied, complaints to the office holder's regulatory body should be made via the Insolvency Service Complaints Gateway

Complaints to the single Complaints Gateway may be made either by:



- calling the Insolvency Service Enquiry Line on 0845 602 9848 (Monday to Friday 8am to 5pm), or
- completing and emailing the online complaints form on the Insolvency Service website http://www.insolvencydirect.bis.gov.uk/contactus/ipcomplaint/complaintform.htm, or
- completing the online complaints form and posting it to: IP Complaints, Insolvency Service, 3rd Floor, 1 City Walk, Leeds, LS11 9DA

For more details, please visit: http://www.bis.gov.uk/insolvency/contact-us/IP-Complaints-gateway

I trust this report provides you with all the information you require. In the meantime should you have any queries or wish to discuss the matter please contact Kaye O' Reilly on 0116 250 4456.

Yours faithfully For and on behalf of Abersoft Limited

lan J Gould Liquidator

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Statutory Information

Company name

Abersoft Limited

Registration number

06476958

Registered office address

125 Colmore Row, Birmingham, B3 3SD

Liquidator(s) details

Ian J Gould **BDO LLP**

125 Colmore Row, Birmingham, B3 3SD

Appointed 10/09/2010

Resigned:

Brian J Hamblin

PKF LLP

New Guild House, 45 Great Charles Street, Queensway,

Birmingham, B3 2LX Appointed: 10/09/2010 Resigned 01/06/2012

Christopher Latos PKF (UK) LLP

Farringdon Place, 20 Farringdon Road, London EC1M 3AP Appointed: 23/03/2011

Resigned 10/06/2011

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SIP9 Analysis of OfficeHolders Timecosts as at 31/05/2013

Client: 4019271 Abersoft Limited

					Administrator	tor	Assistant	: :	5	
Average Cost per hour:	£348.0		£252 00		£174 00		£118 00		£190.00	
	Amount (£)	Hours	Amount (£)	Hours	Amount (£)	Hours	Amount (£)	Hours	Amount (£)	H
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Secured Creditors (reporting/accounting for funds, etc.	442 00	1 20	00 0	000	1,677 90	9 60	119 20	0 85	2,239 10	11 65
Non Preferential Creditors	162 00	0 40	00 0	000	282 60	1 70	328 50	2 25	773 10	4 35
Employee Claims	00 0	000	000	00 0	197 10	1 10	00 0	000	197 10	1 10
Fixed Asset Realisation	700 70	1 90	00 0	000	3,632 00	21 10	00 0	000	4,332 70	23 00
Other Asset Realisations	00 0	000	000	000	70 00	0 40	00 0	000	70.00	0 40
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insurance & Bonding	202 50	0 20	17 80	0 05	963 40	5 20	138 00	1 00	1,321 70	6 76
Legal Correspondence/Litigation	511 15	1 45	000	000	462 10	2 70	00 0	000	973.25	4.15
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Name of assignment - Abersoft Limited in Liquidation

Summary of time charged and rates applicable for the period from 1 June 2013 to 1 June 2014

Hours Value £ Ho		PAR	PARTNER	MAN	MANAGER	ASSISTANT MANAGER	MANAGER	SENIOR ADMINISTRATOR	HISTRATOR	ADMINISTRATOR	RATOR	OTHER STAFF	TAFF	TOTAL	AL.	AVERAGE
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