The Insolvency Act 1986

Administrator's progress report

	Name of Company A & M Bodyworks Limited		Company number 4979557	
	In the Bury St Edmunds County Court	[full name of court]	Court case number AO 02 2008	
(a) Insert full name(s) and address(es) of administrator(s)	I / We (a)Ian Bull, of Ian Bull & Co , South Suffolk Business Centre, Alexandra Road Sudbury, Suffolk CO10 2ZX			
	administrator(s) of the above company attach a progress report for the period			
(b) Insert dates	from	to		
`,	Signed Joint / Administrator Dated A Me 201)	(b) 9 September 2008		

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TO THE CREDITORS

5 December 2008

Dear Sirs

A & M Bodyworks Limited in Administration

I write with my interim report on the above case

Receipts and payments to date have been as follows

Receipts

.	£ Per statement of affairs	£ Actual
Goodwill payment	1,500	0
Going concern sale proceeds	1,250	2,000
Book debt receipt	14,000	364
VAT refund	0	_223
		<u>2,577</u>
Payments		
Settlement of hire purchase contract		700
Payment of wage arrears		460
Legal fees		330
Statutory advertising		245
Administrator's fees		263
Agent's fees		200
VAT		<u>303</u>
		2,501
Balance		76

Book debts (per statement of affairs £14,000)

A critical issue in the matter of debt collection has been that the company had retained copy invoices and order documentation on a lap top with hard copies produced only periodically. Shortly after my appointment that computer suffered irrevocable damage and despite reference to IT consultants with a view to recovery of the data, nothing could be done to restore the necessary records. The latest backup ran to the end of December 2007 only, and thus all of the current invoices, representing the bulk of the outstanding debts, have been lost. Against the background of insolvency, prospects of recovery have receded significantly. In the absence of hard copy records, legal action is not an option. I continue to endeavour to collect, but to date only £364 has been received.

Goodwill payment (per statement of affairs £1,500)

The contract for the sale of the business as a going concern provided for 1% of VAT exclusive turnover in the first nine months of trading by the purchasing company to be paid into the administration. With that period shortly to expire, I will be pressing for payment. Such indications as I have received from the purchasing company suggest that turnover has disappointed, and the payment is thus likely to fall far short of the estimated sum. Any funds received will be subject to the bank's fixed charge over goodwill.

Costs of the administration

To date I have spent 26 hours on the conduct of the administration, analysed as to 12 2 on administration and reporting, 2 4 hours on administration, 10 7 hours on realisations and 7 on creditors' claims By resolution passed at the meeting of creditors, my fees are to be based on my time costs, reported at £175 per hour (total £3,550) To date I have drawn only £263.

Conclusion

Prospects of any distribution in this matter have receded and the likely outcome is a striking from the Register upon completion of the administration. My final report is due in March 2009

Yours faithfully For and on behalf of

A_b& M Bodyworks Limited

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Administrator