## Liquidator's Progress Report

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

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(a) Insert full name	Name of Company			
of company	(a) A Buckle Construction Limi	ted		
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	the liquidator(s) of the company under section 192 of the Insolve			rogress Report
	The Progress Report covers the to 09 May 2015	e pe	rood from 10 May 201	4

Signed

Date

16/6/15

Presenter's name, address and reference Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP, Festival Way, Festival Park,

Stoke-on-Trent ST1 5BB

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# IN THE MATTER OF A.BUCKLE CONSTRUCTION LIMITED IN LIQUIDATION

# JOINT LIQUIDATORS' PROGRESS REPORT 26 JUNE 2015

# LINDSEY COOPER AND JEREMY WOODSIDE JOINT LIQUIDATORS

BAKER TILLY RESTRUCTURING AND RECOVERY LLP FESTIVAL WAY FESTIVAL PARK STOKE-ON-TRENT ST1 5BB

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#### 1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

This report has been prepared in accordance with insolvency legislation to provide creditors, members and the Registrar of Companies with information relating to the progress of the liquidation in the period from 10 May 2014 to 09 May 2015. This report should be read in conjunction with any previous reports that have been issued, copies of which are available on request.

This report has been prepared solely to comply with the statutory requirements of Section 104A of the Insolvency Act 1986 and Rule 4 49C of the Insolvency Rules 1986 (as amended). It has not been prepared for use in respect of any other purpose, or to inform any investment decision in relation to any debt or financial interest in the company. Any estimated outcomes for creditors are illustrative and may be subject to significant change.

Neither the Liquidators nor Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP accept any liability whatsoever arising as a result of any decision or action taken or refrained from as a result of information contained in this report

#### 2. PROGRESS OF THE LIQUIDATION IN THE PREVIOUS TWELVE MONTHS

#### 2.1. Realisation of Assets

#### **Book Debts**

The largest debtor relates to one individual who owed the Company £65,534 as at the date of Liquidation Knights Solicitors LLP ("Knights") have been instructed by the Joint Liquidators to assist with this matter

Negotiation remains ongoing between Knights and the debtor

#### 2.1.1. Connected Party Transactions

As previously advised, the director of the Company, Mr Buckle, purchased the chattel assets of the Company for the sum of £600 plus VAT These funds have been received in full

#### 2.2. Investigations

In accordance with our statutory obligations, we have filed the appropriate documentation with the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills in relation to the conduct of the directors.

#### 2.3. Change in Joint Liquidator

As previously advised, as a result of John-Paul O'Hara leaving the firm, by Court Order dated 14 November 2013 he was removed as Joint Liquidator and Lindsey Cooper was appointed in his place



As a result of Paul Finnity retiring from Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP, by Court Order dated 30 March 2015, he was removed as Joint Liquidator and Jeremy Woodside (IP No 9515) of Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP was appointed in his place. A Notice to this effect was advertised in the London Gazette on 15 April 2015, and in accordance with the terms of the Order, Paul Finnity was released from office with effect from 7 May 2015.

The costs of the application were met by Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP. The order also provided that each creditor of the estate was at liberty to apply to vary or discharge the Order within 21 days of publication in the Gazette (or receipt of this report, if sooner).

#### 2.4. Administration and Planning

Time has been spent by the Joint Liquidators and their staff as categorised in the SIP9 summary attached as Administration and Planning The time spent includes the following:

- file reviews which then help to determine the future strategy of the case
- overseeing the running of the Liquidation bank account including recording all receipts and payments and bank reconciliations
- general secretarial tasks and filing
- preparing and filing all post appointment tax and VAT returns

#### 3. ASSETS REMAINING TO BE REALISED

The Joint Liquidators will continue to pursue the outstanding book debt.

#### 4. CREDITORS' CLAIMS AND DIVIDEND PROSPECTS

#### 4.1. Secured Creditors

There are no secured creditors

#### 4.2. Preferential Creditors

A payment to the preferential creditors is dependent on any future realisations from the book debts.

#### 4.3. Unsecured Creditors

A payment to the unsecured creditors is dependent on any future realisations from the book debts

#### 4.4. Prescribed Part

The "Prescribed Part" is a statutory amount, calculated as a percentage of net floating charge realisations, which entitles unsecured creditors to a share of realisations. This is calculated on a sliding scale up to maximum of £600,000



before costs

There are no creditors secured by charges over the assets and undertakings of the Company. There is therefore no requirement to estimate the amount of the prescribed part of the assets under Section 176A of the Insolvency Act 1986 (as amended)

#### 5. RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS SUMMARY

We attach as Appendix B a summary of our receipts and payments for the period from 10 May 2014 to 09 May 2015.

#### **VAT Basis**

Receipts and payments are shown net of VAT, with any amount due to or from HM Revenue and Customs shown separately

#### 6. COSTS AND JOINT LIQUIDATORS' REMUNERATION

#### 6.1. Joint Liquidators' Remuneration and Disbursements

The Joint Liquidators' remuneration was approved on a time cost basis by creditors on 10 May 2013. We have incurred time costs of £18,323 00 since the date of our appointment. No amount has been paid due to insufficient funds and the full balance remains outstanding.

Approval was also given to the drawing of disbursements, including category 2 disbursements. Details of the current rates are attached at Appendix D.

# 6.2. Remuneration and Disbursements incurred in the period from 10 May 2014 to 09 May 2015

We have incurred time costs of £6,405.00 in the current period. An analysis of time incurred in the period is attached at Appendix G. Details of the sums drawn in respect of remuneration in the period covered by the report are shown on the receipts and payments account (Appendix B).

Category 2 disbursements incurred in the period are detailed in Appendix E

#### 7. JOINT LIQUIDATORS' STATEMENT OF EXPENSES

A statement of the expenses incurred during the period, is attached at Appendix F. This includes all expenses incurred by the Joint Liquidators in the period of the report irrespective of whether they have been paid or not and may include estimated amounts where actual invoices have not been received. The receipts and payments abstract at Appendix B sets out the expenses actually paid in the period together with cumulative figures



At the Section 98 meeting on 10 May 2013 creditors approved the Statement of Affairs fee and the Meeting of Creditors fee in the sum of £5,000 to be paid to Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP. These fees have not been paid due to insufficient funds

#### Detailed cost breakdown

Attached to this report are four Appendices relating to my costs on this assignment

- Appendix C A copy of Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP's charging, expenses and disbursements policy statement,
- Appendix D Joint Liquidators' charge out and disbursement rates,
- Appendix E: Category 2 disbursements table, and
- Appendix G: Joint Liquidators' time cost analysis

The work that we do as Joint Liquidators is derived from the responsibilities placed upon us by the underlying legal and regulatory framework for work of this nature in general. The actual matters with which we are dealing are set out briefly in both this report and in our earlier reports to creditors.

We believe this case generally to be of average complexity and accordingly no extraordinary responsibility has to date fallen upon us as Joint Liquidators. The underlying basis of charging proposed to and approved by the creditors has been Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP standard charge out rates. Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP charge out rates have been reviewed periodically

#### Other professional costs

Knights solicitors have been retained as legal advisors in view of their general experience and expertise in these matters. They have advised the Joint Liquidators in respect of the one large debtor which remains outstanding. As already set out, Knights have agreed to work on a Conditional Fee basis and this is currently being reviewed by the Joint Liquidators.

# 8. CREDITORS' RIGHT TO INFORMATION AND ABILITY TO CHALLENGE REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

In accordance with the provisions of Rules 4.49E and 4 131 of the Insolvency Rules 1986 creditors have a right to request further information about remuneration or expenses and to challenge such remuneration or expenses.

A request for further information must be made in writing within 21 days of receipt of this report.

Any secured creditor, or any unsecured creditor with either the concurrence of at least 10% in value of the unsecured creditors (including that creditor) or the permission of the court, may apply to court that the remuneration charged, the basis fixed or expenses incurred by the liquidator are in all the circumstances excessive



A Creditors Guide to Fees Charged by Liquidators, can be accessed at the website of the Insolvency Practitioners Association (<a href="www.insolvency-practitioners.org.uk">www.insolvency-practitioners.org.uk</a> - "Regulation and Guidance > Creditors Guides to Fees"), or the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales (<a href="www.icaew.com">www.icaew.com</a> - "Technical Resources > Insolvency > Creditors' guides") Alternatively I can provide you with a copy on written request to my office

Any such challenge must be made no later than eight weeks after receipt of the report which first discloses the charging of remuneration or incurring of the expenses in question

Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me

Lindsey J Cooper

Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP

Joint Liquidator

Lindsey Cooper is licensed to act as an Insolvency Practitioner in the UK by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales Jeremy Woodside is licensed to act as an Insolvency Practitioner in the UK by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales



# Appendix A

### STATUTORY INFORMATION

Company Name	A.Buckle Construction Limited
Joint Liquidators	Lindsey Cooper Appointed 14 November 2013
	Jeremy Woodside Appointed 30 March 2015
Former Joint Liquidators	Paul Finnity Appointed 10 May 2013 Released. 7 May 2015
	John Paul O'Hara Appointed 10 May 2013 Released 14 November 2013
Date of Appointment	10 May 2013
Company Number:	05082075
Date of Incorporation	23 March 2004
Trading Name	N/A
Trading Address:	The Glades Festival Way Stoke on Trent Staffordshire ST1 5SQ
Principal Activity.	Construction of commercial buildings
Registered Office	Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP Festival Way Festival Park Stoke-on-Trent ST1 5BB

	Cash Investment Accounts. From, 10/05	10/05/2014 to 09/		Total to 09/0	5/2015
SOA Value £		£	£	£	
F)	INANCE AND HIRE PURCHASE AGREEMENTS				
9,575 00	BMW E87	0 00		0 00	
(11,000 00)	BMW Financial Services Limited	0 00		0 00	
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A	SSET REALISATIONS				
200 00	Office Furniture & Equipment	0 00		200 00	
400 00	Plant & Machinery	0 00	<u></u>	400 00	
			0 00		600 0
C	OST OF REALISATIONS				
0 00	Agents Fees	0 00		(250 00)	
0 00	Bank Charges	0 00		(2 84)	
0 00	Insurance of Assets	0 00		(116 60)	
0 00	Room Hire	0 00		(41 67)	
0 00	Specific Bond	0 00		(20 00)	
0 00	Statutory Advertising	0 00		(84 60)	
			0 00	•	(515 71
P!	REFERENTIAL CREDITORS				
(800 00)	Employee - Arrears of Wages	0 00		0 00	
(30 00)	Employee - Holiday Pay	0 00		0 00	
			0 00	<del></del>	0.0
Ui	NSECURED CREDITORS				
(18,548 00)	Directors Loan Account	0 00		0 00	
(2,700 00)	Employee - Notice Pay	0 00		0 00	
(2,850 00)	Employee - Redundancy Pay	0 00		0 00	
(32,103 00)	National Westminster Bank plc	0 00		0 00	
(69,572 00)	Unsecured Creditors	0 00		0 00	
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(10 00)	Ordinary Shareholders	0 00		0 00	
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#### BAKER TILLY RESTRUCTURING AND RECOVERY LLP

#### CHARGING, EXPENSES AND DISBURSEMENTS POLICY STATEMENT

#### **Charging policy**

- Partners, directors, managers, administrators, cashiers, secretarial and support staff are allocated an hourly charge out rate which is reviewed from time to time
- Work undertaken by cashiers, secretarial and support staff will be or has been charged for separately and such work will not or has not also been charged for as part of the hourly rates charged by partners, directors, managers and administrators
- Time spent by partners and all staff in relation to the insolvency estate is charged to the estate
- Time is recorded in 6-minute units at the rates prevailing at the time the work is done
- The current charge rates for Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP Stoke-on-Trent are attached
- Time billed is subject to Value Added Tax at the applicable rate, where appropriate.
- It is the office holder's policy to ensure that work undertaken is carried out by the appropriate grade of staff required for each task, having regard to its complexity and the skill and experience actually required to perform it
- Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP's charge out rates are reviewed periodically.

#### **Expenses and disbursements policy**

- Only expenses and disbursements properly incurred in relation to an insolvency estate are re-charged to the insolvency estate.
- Expenses and disbursements which comprise external supplies of incidental services specifically identifiable to the insolvency estate require disclosure to the relevant approving party, but do not require approval of the relevant approving party prior to being drawn from the insolvency estate. These are known as "Category 1" disbursements
- Expenses and disbursements which are not capable of precise identification and calculation (for example any which include an element of shared or allocated costs) or payments to outside parties that the firm or any associate has an interest, require the approval of the relevant approving party prior to be being drawn from the insolvency estate. These are known as "Category 2" disbursements.
- A resolution to consider approving "Category 2" disbursements at the rates prevailing at the time the cost is incurred to Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP Stoke-on-Trent will be proposed to the relevant approving party in accordance with the legislative requirements
- General office overheads are not re-charged to the insolvency estate as a disbursement.
- Any payments to outside parties in which the office holder or his firm or any associate has an interest will only be made with the approval of the relevant approving party
- Expenses and disbursements re-charged to or incurred directly by an insolvency estate are subject to VAT at the applicable rate, where appropriate.

### BAKER TILLY RESTRUCTURING AND RECOVERY LLP JOINT LIQUIDATORS' CURRENT CHARGE OUT AND CATEGORY 2 DISBURSEMENT RATES

Н	OURLY CHARGE OUT	RATES	
	Rates at commencement	Rates since 01/04/2014	Current rates
Partner	395	395 - 420	395
Directors / Associate Directors	355	300 - 350	300 - 350
Manager	300		260
Assistant Managers	220	190	190
Administrators	155 - 185	155 – 185	130 - 185
Support staff	130 - 185	130 - 185	130

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Internal room hire	£50
Internal Storage	£2 50 initial cost per box, £1 00 per box per month, £2 00 per box destroyed
Business Mileage	45p per mile



# Appendix E

### JOINT LIQUIDATORS' CATEGORY 2 DISBURSEMENTS TABLE

Amounts paid or payable to the Office Hold holder or his firm or any		n which the office
Recipient, Type and Purpose	Paid	Unpaid
	£	£
Total	Nil	Nil



### Appendix F

# STATEMENT OF EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE JOINT LIQUIDATORS' IN THE PERIOD FROM 10 MAY 2014 TO 09 MAY 2015

Type and Purpose	Incurred in Period
	£
Baker Tilly Restructuring and Recovery LLP - Liquidators Fees	6,405 00
Total	6,405.00

## Appendix G

JOINT LIQUIDATORS' TIME COST ANALYSIS

FOR THE PERIOD FROM 10 MAY 2014 TO 09 MAY 2015

Restructuring & Recovery SIP9 Summary Level 2

A Buckle Construction Limited 1045444 / 704 - CCVL002 - Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation

For the period 10/05/2014 to 09/05/2015

Period	Hours Spent	Partners	Directors /	Managers	Assistant	Administrators	Assistants &	Total	Total	Average
			Associate		Managers		Support Staff	Hours	Time Costs	Rates
From	Administration and Planning		75 True 1							
Jan 2003	Case Management	0 0	0.0	42	00	23	0.0	6 5	£ 1,266 00	19477
	Receipts and Payments	0 0	00	0.0	00	15	00	15	£ 219 00	146 00
	Tax Matters	0.3	0 0	00	00	10	00	13	£ 274 00	210 77
	Total	0.3	0 0	42	0 0	4 8	00	6	£ 1,759 00	189 14
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	Debtors & sales finance	1.5	00	77	0 0	0.0	00	9.5	£ 2,254,00	245 00
	Total	15	0 0	7.7	0 0	0 0	0.0	9.2	£ 2,254 00	245 00
	Creditors									
	Other Creditor Meetings and Reports	1.5	0.0	5.0	00	0.5	00	7.0	£ 1,825.00	260 71
	Unsecured Creditors	0.2	00	0 7	00	0.0	00	60	£ 255 00	283 33
	Total	17	0 0	5.7	00	0 5	0 0	7.9	£ 2,080 00	263 29
	Case Specific Matters - Legal Matters									
	Legal Matters	00	0 0	12	00	00	00	12	£ 312 00	260 00
	Total	0 0	0 0	12	00	00	0 0	12	£ 312 00	260.00
Total Hours		35	0 0	188	0 0	53	0 0	27 6	£ 6,405 00	232 07
Total Time Cost		£ 1,470 00	£ 0 00	£ 4,168 00	£ 0 00	£ 767 00	00 0 3	£ 6,405 00		:
Average Rates		420 00	00 0	221 70	00 0	144 72	00 0	232 07		