# 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

05486277

Name of Company

ABC Claims (Highlands) Limited



Peter O'Hara, Wesley House, Huddersfield Road, Birstall, Batley, West Yorkshire, WF17 9EJ

Simon Weir, Wesley House, Huddersfield Road, Birstall, Batley, West Yorkshire, WF17 9EJ

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

The Progress Report covers the period from 20/07/2014 to 19/07/2015

Signed

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### ABC Claims (Highlands) Limited (In Liquidation) Joint Liquidators' Abstract of Receipts & Payments

Statement of Affairs		From 20/07/2014 To 19/07/2015	From 20/07/2012 To 19/07/2015
	ASSET REALISATIONS		
1 00	Book Debts	2,880 00	16,954 01
NIL	Investment in Property Development	NIL	NIL
5,185 00	Cash at Bank	NIL	3,993 57
	Debtor Contributions	NIL	NII
	Bank Interest Gross	14 70	32 4
		2,894 70	20,980 0
	COST OF REALISATIONS		
	Specific Bond	NIL	50 00
	Statement of Affairs Fee	NIL	3,000 00
	Disbursements	NIL	267 98
	Legal Fees (1)	NIL	250 00
	Corporation Tax	2 70	2 7
	Statutory Advertising	NIL	212 49
		(2 70)	(3,783 17
	UNSECURED CREDITORS		
(1,200 00)	Trade & Expense Creditors	NIL	NI
(42,000 00)	Corporation Tax	NIL	NII
(5,701 88)	Accountants	NIL	NI
		NiL	NII
	DISTRIBUTIONS		
(1 00)	Ordinary Shareholders	NIL	NI
		NIL	Nil
(42.746.00)		2 202 20	47.400.00
(43,716 88)		2,892.00	17,196 88
	REPRESENTED BY		
	Bank 1 Current		17,196 8
			17,196 88

Peter O'Hara Joint Liquidator

# ABC Claims (Highlands) Limited (In Liquidation) Supplementary Information

### Registered Office / Home Address

Wesley HouseHuddersfield Road Birstall Batley West Yorkshire WF17 9EJ

### **Registered Number**

05486277

### **Appointment Details**

First Partner - Peter O'Hara Wesley House, Huddersfield Road, Birstall, Batley, West Yorkshire, WF17 9EJ Appointment Date - 20/07/2012

Second Partner - Simon Weir Wesley House, Huddersfield Road, Birstall, Batley, West Yorkshire, WF17 9EJ Appointment Date - 20/07/2012

### **Changes to Office Holders**

None

### Additional Information

### **Dividends / Distributions / Consigned Funds**

Dividend Type	Date	Admitted	Number	Paid	p in £
		-			

No Dividends Paid

### **Unrealisable Assets**

### **Details of Basis of Remuneration**

# Statement of Remuneration / Expenses For period 20/07/2014 to 19/07/2015

Account	Incurred In Period	Accrued In Period For Last Period	Accrued In Period	Total In Period
Corporation Tax	2 70	000	0 00	2 70
	2 70	0 00	0 00	2 70

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Please reply to Head Office

10 August 2015

To the Members and Creditors



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Dear Sirs

### ABC Claims (Highlands) Limited - (In Liquidation)

In accordance with Section 104A of the Insolvency Act 1986 (as amended), Joint Liquidators are required to provide members and creditors with an annual progress report on the Liquidation My progress report provides the Joint Liquidators' account of their acts and dealings and of the conduct of the Liquidation for the period 20 July 2014 to 19 July 2015

The following additional information and Appendices are provided in accordance with Section 104A of the Insolvency Act 1986 and should be read in conjunction with my report

- Appendix 1, an account of our receipts and payments for the period ended 19 July 2015,
- Appendix 2, a Statement of Insolvency Practice 9 report detailing our time
- Appendix 3, an extract from the Insolvency Rules 1986 relating to creditors' rights to request additional information from the Joint Liquidators (rule 4 49E), and
- Appendix 4, an extract from the Insolvency Rules 1986 relating to creditors' rights to challenge the Joint Liquidators' remuneration or expenses if excessive (Rule 4 131)

### **Details of Appointment**

Company name

ABC Claims (Highlands) Limited

Company number

05486277

Court reference

N/A



Registered office

Wesley House

Huddersfield Road

Birstall Batley WF17 9EJ

Joint Liquidators

Peter O'Hara and Simon Weir of O'Hara & Co

Date of appointment

20 July 2012

Authorising body

Insolvency Practitioners Association

IP numbers

6371 and 9099 respectively

### **Asset Realisations**

### **Book Debts**

At the date of Liquidation it was advised that the Company had outstanding book debts due to its dealings with ongoing personal injury claims although, it was uncertain as to how much money was due in

I can confirm that since my last annual report we have received a further £2,880 This brings a total of £16,954 collected to date. I estimate that further realisations will be negligible.

### Cash at Bank

The statement of affairs indicated that the Company had cash at bank of £5,185, although the actual balance recovered from the bank upon the closure of the account was £3,993 as reflected in the attached receipts and payments account

As previously advised, the statement of affairs indicated that the £75,000 investment in a property development company in Pakistan would realise Nil, and I can confirm that no realisations are anticipated whatsoever in this regard

### **Creditors' Claims**

The Company had no preferential or secured creditors

The statement of affairs indicated that the Company had non-preferential creditors of £48,901. To date I have received four non-preferential creditors' claims totalling £31,802.

Whilst I am not currently in a position to make a distribution to the non-preferential creditors, there may be a small pro rata distribution in due course subject to further realisations being forthcoming

### Areas of Investigation

I have conducted my investigations in line with Statement of Insolvency Practice 2 and an appropriate report has been submitted to the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills Please note the contents of this report are strictly confidential and cannot be divulged to any party

### Joint Liquidators' Remuneration and Disbursements

As you will note from the attached receipts and payments account, the Joint Liquidators have drawn their statement of affairs fee in the sum of £3,000 as agreed at the creditors' meeting on 20 July 2012

The Joint Liquidators time cost total £12,052 however no remuneration has been drawn, although various disbursements have been paid as follows

- Specific bond £50
- General disbursements £267
- Legal fees to Wilkinsons Legal Services £250
- Statutory advertising costs £212

### Conclusion

Once I am satisfied that all the outstanding commissions due to the Company have been collected, I will convene a final meeting of creditors to seek the Joint Liquidators' release

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me

Yours faithfully

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Joint Liquidator

# ABC Claims (Highlands) Limited (In Liquidation)

## Joint Liquidators' Abstract Of Receipts And Payments

RECEIPTS	Statement of Affairs	From 20/07/2012 To 19/07/2014	From 20/07/2014 To 19/07/2015	Total
	(£)	(£)	(£)	(£)
Book Debts	1 00	14,074 01	2,880 00	16,954 01
Investment in Property Development	NIL	0 00	0 00	0 00
Cash at Bank	5,185 00	3,993 57	0 00	3,993 57
Bank Interest Gross		17 77	14 70	32 47
		18,085 35	2,894 70	20,980 05
PAYMENTS				
Specific Bond		50 00	0 00	50 00
Statement of Affairs Fee		3,000 00	0 00	3,000 00
Disbursements		267 98	0 00	267 98
Legal Fees (1)		250 00	0 00	250 00
Corporation Tax		0 00	2 70	2 70
Statutory Advertising		212 49	0 00	212 49
Trade & Expense Creditors	(1,200 00)	0 00	0 00	0 00
Corporation Tax	(42,000 00)	0 00	0 00	0 00
Accountants	(5,701 88)	0 00	0 00	0 00
Ordinary Shareholders	(1 00)	0 00	0 00	0 00
		3,780 47	2 70	3,783 17
Net Receipts/(Payments)	<del></del>	14,304 88	2,892 00	17,196 88
MADE UP AS FOLLOWS				
Bank 1 Current		14,304 88	2,892 00	17,196 88
		14,304 88	2,892 00	17,196 88
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Peter O'Hara Joint Liquidator

# Time Entry - SIP9 Time & Cost Summary

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Classification of Work Function	Partner	Manager	Other Senior Professionals	Assistants & Support Staff	Total Hours	Time Cost (£)	Average Hourly Rate (E)
Administration & Planning	8 05	00 0	00 0	40 20	48 25	7 336 25	152 05
Case Specific Matters	00 0	00 0	00 0	000	00 0	00 0	00 0
Creditors	0 20	000	000	6 40	09 9	1 015 00	153 79
General Disbursements	000	000	00 0	00 0	000	00 0	00 0
Investigations	6 70	000	09 0	6 40	13 70	2 585 00	188 69
Realisation of Assets	4 25	000	000	080	5 05	1 116 25	221 04
Trading	00 0	00 0	000	00 0	00 0	00 0	00 0
Total Hours	19.20	000	090	53 80	73 60	12,052 50	163 76
Total Fees Claimed						00 0	
Total Disbursements Claimed						247 98	

# An Extract from the Insolvency Rules 1986 Relating to Creditors' Rights to Request Additional Information from the Liquidator

Rule 4 49E edited for application to a progress report in a Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation

- 1 If
  - a) With the period mentioned in paragraph 2
    - i) A secured creditors, or
    - An unsecured creditor with the concurrence of at least 5% in value of the unsecured creditors (including the creditor in question), or
  - b) With the permission of the Court upon an application made within the period mentioned in paragraph 2, any unsecured creditor

makes a request in writing to the Liquidator for further information about remuneration or expenses set out in the progress report, the Liquidator must, within 14 days of receipt of the request, comply with paragraph 3 except to the extent that the request is in respect of a matter which was previously included in a progress report

- 2 The period referred to in paragraph 1a is 21 days of receipt of the progress report
- 3 The Liquidator complies with this paragraph by either
  - a) Providing all of the information asked for, or
  - b) So far as the Liquidator considers that
    - The time or cost of preparation of the information would be excessive, or
    - Disclosure of the information would be prejudicial to the conduct of the Liquidation or might reasonably be expected to lead to violence against any person, or
    - The Liquidator is subject to an obligation of confidentiality in respect of the information

giving reasons for not providing all of the information

- Any creditor, who need not be the same as the creditor who requested further information, may apply to the Court within 21 days of
  - a) The giving by the Liquidator of reasons for not providing all of the information asked for, or
  - b) The expiry of the 14 days provided for in paragraph 1

And the Court may make such order as it thinks just

Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph 4, the order of the Court under that paragraph may extend the period of eight weeks provided for in Rule 4 131(1B) by such further period as the Court thinks just

# An Extract from the Insolvency Rules 1986 Relating to Creditors' Rights to Challenge the Liquidator's Fees if Excessive

### Rule 4 131

- Any secured creditor, or any unsecured creditor with either the concurrence of at least 10% in value of the creditors (including that creditor) or the permission of the Court, may apply to the Court for one or more of the orders in paragraph 4
- 1A Application by a creditor may be made on the grounds that
  - a) The remuneration charged by the Liquidator,
  - b) The basis fixed for the Liquidator's remuneration under Rule 4 127, or
  - c) Expenses incurred by the Liquidator,

is or are, in all the circumstances, excessive or, in the case of an application under sub-paragraph b), inappropriate

- The application must, subject to any order of the Court under Rule 4 49E(5), be made no later than eight weeks (or in a case falling within rule 4 108, four weeks) after receipt by the applicant of the progress report or the draft report under Rule 4 49D, which first reports the charging of the remuneration or the incurring of the expenses in question ("the relevant report")
- The Court may, if it thinks that no cause is shown for a reduction, dismiss the application, but it shall not do so unless the applicant has had an opportunity to attend the Court for a hearing, of which he has been given at least five business days' notice but which is without notice to any other party

If the application is not dismissed under this paragraph, the Court shall fix a venue for it to be heard, and give notice to the applicant accordingly

- The applicant shall, at least 14 days before the hearing, send to the Liquidator a notice stating the venue and accompanied by a copy of the application, and of any evidence which the applicant intends to adduce in support of it
- If the Court considers the application to be well-founded, it must make one or more of the following orders
  - a) An order reducing the amount of remuneration which the Liquidator was entitled to charge,
  - b) An order fixing the basis of remuneration at a reduced rate or amount,
  - c) An order changing the basis of remuneration,
  - d) An order that some or all of the remuneration or expenses in question be treated as not being expenses of the Liquidation,
  - e) An order that the Liquidator or the Liquidator's personal representative pay to the Company the amount of the excess of remuneration or expenses or such part of the excess as the Court may specify,

and may make any other order that it thinks just, but an order under sub-paragraph b) or c) may be made only in respect of periods after the period covered by the relevant report

5 Unless the Court orders otherwise, the costs of the application shall be paid by the applicant, and are not payable as an expense of the Liquidation