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

07096683

Name of Company

D A Building Services Limited

I/We Nedim Ailyan 142-148 Main Road Sidcup Kent **DA14 6NZ**

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 22/08/2012 to 21/08/2013

Signed

Date 18.9.13

Abbott Fielding Limited 142-148 Main Road Sidcup Kent **DA14 6NZ**

Ref DABU002/NPA/RFD/CH



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D. A. Building Services Limited (In Liquidation) Liquidator's Abstract of Receipts & Payments

From 22/08/2012 To 21/08/2013		Statement of Affairs
	ASSET REALISATIONS	
NIL NIL	Motor Vehicle	2,500 00
	PREFERENTIAL CREDITORS	
NIL NIL	Employee Arrears/Hol Pay	(1,490 77)
	UNSECURED CREDITORS	
NIL	Trade & Expense Creditors	(5,136 67)
NIL	Employees	(4,172 13)
NIL	Barclays Bank Pic	(6,808 85)
NIL	HM Revenue and Customs - Corp Tax	(32,760 82)
NIL NIL	HM Revenue and Customs - VAT	(15,000 00)
NIL		(62,869.24)
 	REPRESENTED BY	
NIL		



TO ALL KNOWN MEMBERS AND CREDITORS

When telephoning please ask for Carol Hooper

18 September 2013

Our Ref npa/rfd/ch dabu002 cvl 12 Your Ref

Dear Sirs

D. A. BUILDING SERVICES LIMITED - IN LIQUIDATION

I refer to my appointment as Liquidator on 22 August 2012 Please find below my report on the progress made in the liquidation for the period 22 August 2012 to 21 August 2013

Accordingly I enclose for your information

- 1 A receipts and payments account for the period from 22 August 2012 to 21 August 2013,
- 2 A summary of my firm's time costs from 22 August 2012 to 21 August 2013,
- 3 Details of my firm's charge out rates and disbursement policy

FURTHER INFORMATION

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 Liquidator's 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.

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I would therefore advise as follows

STATUTORY INFORMATION

Company Name

D A Building Services Limited

Company Number

07096683

Current Registered Office

142/148 Main Road, Sidcup, Kent, DA14 6NZ

Former Registered Office

Elite House, 155 Main Road, Biggin Hill, Kent, TN16 3JP

Trading address

Chathill Cottage, Tandridge Lane, Oxted, Surrey, RH8 9NS

Office Holder(s) / Numbers.

Nedim Ailyan (9072)

Liquidator's Date of Appointment

22 August 2012

ASSET REALISATIONS

Motor Vehicle

As reflected within the director's estimated statement of affairs of the company ("ESoA") presented to the first meeting of creditors, Dean Alcock, the director, had offered to purchase the assets of the company, namely a Renault Master van, registration number YT55 YTG, which had an estimated book value at the time of liquidation of £3,750. A desktop valuation was undertaken by ITC (South East) Limited, Insolvency Agents and Valuers ("ITC") who attributed a realisable value, on an ongoing business basis, of £2,500 to the vehicle Subsequent to my appointment the director indicated that his son wished to make an offer for the purchase of the vehicle however to date no offer or payment has been received. I am continuing to pursue the director in this regard.

We are not aware that Mr Alcock and his son took independent advice on the transaction however they acknowledged that any discussion of the matter with Abbott Fielding was with a view to realising the best price for the assets of D. A. Building Services Limited

Potential Illegal Dividend

As detailed in the ESoA, the company accounts as at 31 December 2011 indicated that the company had a negative balance sheet which may have arisen as a result of dividends being drawn in excess of profits available. I can advise that my investigations into monies drawn from the company remain ongoing and I am therefore unable to provide any further comment at the time of this report.

PRE-APPOINTMENT REMUNERATION

The creditors previously authorised the payment of a fee of £3,500, plus VAT, plus disbursements, for assistance with the statement of affairs, producing and circulating the notices for the meetings of members and creditors prior to my appointment at a meeting held on 22 August 2012

The fee for the statement of affairs and meetings was to be paid from first realisations on appointment however no monies have been drawn in this respect, as there have been no realisations

LIQUIDATOR'S REMUNERATION

My remuneration was previously authorised by creditors at a meeting held on 22 August 2012 to be drawn on a time cost basis. I attach with this report a summary of my firm's costs for the period from 22 August 2012 to 21 August 2013, which total £2,970 00 representing 14 00 hours at an average charge out rate of £212 14. To date I have drawn no monies on account of these time costs due to insufficient realisations. A creditors' guide to liquidators' fees can be obtained from Abbott Fielding or from our website at http://www.abbottfielding.co.uk

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

1 Administration and Planning

- Preparing the documentation and dealing with the formalities of appointment
- Statutory notifications and advertising
- Preparing documentation required
- Dealing with all routine correspondence
- Maintaining physical case files and electronic case details on IPS
- Review and storage
- Case bordereau
- Case planning and administration
- Preparing reports to members and creditors
- Convening and holding meetings of members and creditors

2 Cashiering

- Maintaining and managing the liquidator's cashbook and bank account
- Ensuring statutory lodgements and tax lodgement obligations are met

3 Creditors

- Dealing with creditor correspondence and telephone conversations
- Preparing reports to creditors
- Maintaining creditor information on IPS
- Reviewing and adjudicating on proofs of debt received from creditors

4 Investigations

- Review and storage of books and records
- Prepare a return pursuant to the Company Directors Disqualification Act
- Conduct investigations into suspicious transactions.
- Review books and records to identify any transactions or actions a liquidator may take against a third party in order to recover funds for the benefit of creditors

5 Realisation of Assets

- Liaising with the director regarding the purchase of the company motor vehicle
- Investogation of potential illegal dividends

LIQUIDATOR'S EXPENSES

My expenses for the period from 22 August 2012 to 21 August 2013, as shown overleaf, amount to £171.80. To date no monies have been drawn on account of these expenses due to insufficient realisations.

Disbursements	£
Bond and Insurance	153 00
Searches	5 00
Postage	13 80
Total	171.80

Agents' Fees

As noted above, I instructed ITC to provide a desktop valuation of the company vehicle. However, I have not received any fee in this regard as no realisations have been achieved to date

The choice of professionals was based on my perception of their experience and ability to perform this type of work, the complexity and nature of the assignment and the basis of my fee arrangement with them. The fee basis to be charged has been reviewed and I am satisfied that it is reasonable in the circumstances of this case.

CREDITOR CLAIMS & DIVIDEND PROSPECTS

Preferential Creditors

Preferential creditors' claims in the director's ESoA totalled £1,490 77 and to date I have received preferential claims to the value of £1,184 78 Based on current information I am uncertain if there will be a dividend to preferential creditors

Unsecured Creditors

Unsecured creditors' claims in the director's ESoA totalled £63,878 47, of which £47,760 82 was attributable to HM Revenue & Customs To date, I have received unsecured claims totalling £70,082 08, which includes provisional claims of £62,601 93 from HM Revenue & Customs To date I have not received claims from creditors with original estimated claims in the statement of affairs of £7,183 80 Based on current information I am uncertain if there will be a dividend to unsecured creditors

Prescribed Part

The provisions of section 176A of the Insolvency Act 1986 require a liquidator to set aside a percentage of a company's assets for the benefit of the unsecured creditors in cases where the company gave a 'qualifying floating charge' over its assets to a lender on or after 15 September 2003. This is known as the 'prescribed part of the net property'. A company's net property is that left after paying any preferential creditors, but before paying the lender who holds a floating charge. A liquidator is required to set aside.

- 50% of the first £10,000 of the net property, and
- 20% of the remaining net property, upto a maximum of £600,000

The company does not have any qualifying floating charges and therefore the prescribed part does not apply in this case

INVESTIGATION INTO THE AFFAIRS OF THE COMPANY

I can advise that I undertook an initial investigation into the company's affairs to establish whether there were any potential asset recoveries or conduct matters that justified further investigation, taking account of the potential recoveries, the funds likely to be available to fund an investigation and the costs involved

I can confirm that these investigations included a review of the company bank statements to identify any potential antecedent transactions and potential illegal dividends in addition to those detailed in the company accounts as at 31 December 2011. I can confirm that investigations into the potential illegal dividends and any potential recovery remains ongoing at this time. I am therefore unable to provide any further comment at the time of this report.

Within six months of my appointment as liquidator, I am required to submit a confidential report to the Secretary of State to include any matters which have come to my attention during the course of my work which may indicate that the conduct of any past or present director would make him unfit to be concerned with the management of the company. I would confirm that my report has been submitted

MATTERS PREVENTING CLOSURE

I am required to provide a further report on the progress of the liquidation within two months of the next anniversary unless I have concluded matters prior to this, in which case I will provide all creditors with my final progress report ahead of convening the final meetings of members and creditors

Due to the nature of the ongoing investigations I am uncertain as to how long the liquidation will remain open

Should you have any queries regarding this matter please do not hesitate to contact Carol Hooper who is dealing with this matter on my behalf

Yours faithfully

Nedim Ailyan Liguidator

Nedim Ailyan is licensed in the United Kingdom to act as an insolvency practitioner by the Insolvency Practitioners Association

D. A. Building Services Limited (In Liquidation)

LIQUIDATOR'S RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

	Statement of affairs £	From 22/08/2012 To 21/08/2013 £	From 22/08/2012 To 21/08/2013 £
RECEIPTS Motor Vehicle	2,500 00	0 00	0 00
MOTOL ACTIONS	2,000 00	0 00	0 00
PAYMENTS	-		
Employee Arrears/Hol Pay	(1,490 77)	0 00	0 00
Trade & Expense Creditors	(5,136 67)	0 00	0 00
Employees	(4,172 13)	0 00	0 00
Barclays Bank Plc	(6,808 85)	0 00	0 00
HM Revenue and Customs - Corp Tax	(32,760 82)	0 00	0 00
HM Revenue and Customs - VAT	(15,000 00)	0 00	0 00
	-	000	0 00
Net Receipts/(Payments)	 =	0 00	0 00
MADE UP AS FOLLOWS			
	-	0 00	0 00

SIP 9 - Time & Cost Summary Period 22/08/12 21/08/13

Time Summary

Hours							
Classification of work function	Partner	Manager	Other Senior Professionals	Assistants & Support Staff	Total Hours	Time Cost (£)	Average hourly rate (£)
Administration & planning	0.00	1 00	0.00	5 50	6 50	1,395 00	214 62
Investigations	0 00	0 00	0 00	4 80	4 80	1,008 00	210 00
Realisations of assets	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 50	0 50	105 00	210 00
Trading	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Creditors	0 00	0 00	0 00	2 20	2 20	462 00	210 00
Case specific matters	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Total Hours	0 00	1 00	0 00	13 00	14 00	2,970 00	212 14
Total Fees Claimed						0 00	

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Time costs are calculated using 6 minute units. Time spent by support and secretarial staff for carrying out shorter tasks, such as typing or dealing with post, is not charged to cases but is carried as an overhead of the firm. Only where a significant amount of time is spent at one time on a case is a charge made for support staff.

Charge-out Rates

	Period from 1 July 2011
Partners	£325
Managers	£240 - 275
Administrators	£210
Support Staff	£150

Disbursements recovered by Abbott Fielding

Insolvency practitioners are required to divide the expenses incurred in an insolvency assignment into two categories. These are described below, together with examples of the type of expenses relating to each category.

CATEGORY 1

Category 1 Disbursements will generally comprise external supplies of incidental services specifically identifiable to the case. Typically for items such as identifiable telephone calls, postage, case advertising, invoiced travel and properly reimbursed expenses incurred by personnel in connection with the case. It will also include services specific to the case where these cannot practicably be provided internally, such as printing, room hire and document storage. Information relating to a specific Category 1 disbursements can be provided where reasonably requested.

CATEGORY 2

Category 2 Disbursements are those where costs are recovered which, whilst being in the nature of expenses or disbursements, include elements of shared or allocated costs. These are identified and subject to approval by those approving the Insolvency Practitioner's remuneration. Such expenses should be of an incidental nature and directly incurred on the case. Where Category 2 disbursements are drawn there will be a reasonable method of calculation and allocation, for example a comparison with the cost of external provision of the expenses. The basis for charging Category 2 disbursements will be disclosed to creditors and authorised by those responsible for approving the Insolvency Practitioner's remuneration. Abbott Fielding will not be seeking to recover Category 2 disbursements in this case.