



**Registration of a Charge**

Company Name: **BOYS & GIRLS NURSERY (RICKMANSWORTH) LIMITED**

Company Number: **08053421**



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**Details of Charge**

Date of creation: **25/04/2024**

Charge code: **0805 3421 0005**

Persons entitled: **TRIODOS BANK UK LTD**

Brief description:

**Contains fixed charge(s).**

**Contains floating charge(s) (floating charge covers all the property or undertaking of the company).**

**Contains negative pledge.**

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## **CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF A CHARGE**

Company number: 8053421

Charge code: 0805 3421 0005

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that a charge dated 25th April 2024 and created by BOYS & GIRLS NURSERY (RICKMANSWORTH) LIMITED was delivered pursuant to Chapter A1 Part 25 of the Companies Act 2006 on 1st May 2024 .

Given at Companies House, Cardiff on 3rd May 2024

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REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES**

EXECUTION VERSION

## Debenture

- (1) Boys & Girls Nursery (Rickmansworth) Limited
- (2) Triodos Bank UK Ltd

Dated 25<sup>th</sup> April 2024

**THIS IS AN IMPORTANT DOCUMENT. YOU SHOULD TAKE  
INDEPENDENT LEGAL ADVICE BEFORE SIGNING AND SIGN  
ONLY IF YOU WANT TO BE BOUND. IF YOU SIGN AND THE  
BANK IS NOT PAID, YOU COULD LOSE THE ASSET CHARGED.**

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## EXECUTION VERSION

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This Debenture is made the

25<sup>th</sup>

day of

April

2024

Between:

- (1) **BOYS & GIRLS NURSERY (RICKMANSWORTH) LIMITED** a company incorporated in England and Wales (Company No. 08053421) the registered office of which is at Greville House, Chorleywood Close, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire WD3 4EG (the "**Company**"); and
- (2) **TRIODOS BANK UK Ltd** a company registered in England & Wales with company number 11379025 whose registered office is at Deanery Road, Bristol BS1 5AS (the "**Bank**").

**NOW THIS DEED WITNESSETH** as follows:-

**1. Interpretation**

- 1.1 In this debenture the words and expressions set out below shall have the following meanings.

**"Assigned Agreements"** means any agreement referred to in schedule 2 to this debenture and any other agreement designated as an "Assigned Agreement" by the Company and the Bank;

**"Book Debts"** means all present and future book debts due or owing to the Company, and the benefit of all security, guarantees and other rights of any nature enjoyed or held by the Company in relation to any of them;

**"Charged Property"** means all the assets, property, rights and undertaking (including all uncalled capital) for the time being subject to the security interests created by this debenture (and references to the Charged Property shall include references to any part of it);

**"Designated Account"** means the Insurance Account and, if an Event of Default is continuing, any other account nominated by the Bank as a designated account for the purposes of this debenture;

**"Encumbrance"** means any mortgage, charge (whether fixed or floating, legal or equitable), pledge, lien, assignment by way of security or other security interest securing any obligation of any person, or any other agreement or arrangement having a similar effect;

**"Equipment"** means all present and future equipment, plant, machinery, tools, vehicles, furniture, fittings, installations and apparatus and other tangible moveable property for the time being owned by the Company, including any part of it and all spare parts, replacements, modifications and additions together with any associated warranties and maintenance contracts;

**"Event of Default"** means each event or circumstance set out in clause 19 of the Facility Agreement (save for clause 19.17) or any event of default (howsoever defined) in any other Facility Agreement;

**"Expenses"** means all expenses reasonably incurred by the Bank or any Receiver at any time in connection with the Charged Property or the Secured Liabilities or in taking or perfecting this debenture or in preserving defending or enforcing the security created by this debenture or in exercising any power under this debenture or otherwise with Interest accruing from the date that the Company fails to pay such expenses in accordance with the terms of the relevant invoice;

**"Facility Agreement"** means the facility agreement entered into between, amongst others, the Company and the Bank and dated on or about the date of this debenture, as amended, varied, novated, supplemented and replaced from time to time and any other document evidencing liabilities of the Company to the Bank;

**"Insurance Account"** has the same meaning as given to that term in the Facility Agreement;

**"Intellectual Property"** means the Company's present and future patents, trade marks, service marks, trade names, designs, copyrights, inventions, topographical or similar rights, confidential information and know-how and any interest in any of these rights, whether or not registered, including all applications and rights to apply for registration and all fees, royalties and other rights derived from, or incidental to, these rights;

**"Interest"** means interest at the rate(s) charged to the Company by the Bank from time to time in accordance with clause 5 (Interest) of the Facility Agreement or as otherwise agreed between the Parties;

**"Investments"** means all present and future stocks, shares, loan capital, securities, bonds and investments (whether or not marketable) for the time being owned (at law or in equity) by the Company, including all rights accruing or incidental to those investments from time to time;

**"LPA"** means the Law of Property Act 1925;

**"Material Adverse Effect"** has the same meaning given to that term in the Facility Agreement;

**"Monetary Claims"** means all monetary debts (other than the Book Debts) and claims (including things in action which may give rise to a debt) due or owing to the Company and the benefit of all rights relating to them;

**"Permitted Disposal"** has the same meaning given to that term in the Facility Agreement;

**"Permitted Encumbrance"** has the same meaning given to that term in the Facility Agreement;

**"Properties"** means all freehold and leasehold properties (whether registered or unregistered) and all commonhold properties, now or in the future (and from time to time) owned by the Company, or in which the Company holds an interest (including, but not limited to, the properties which are briefly described in schedule 1 to this debenture) and all buildings and fixtures (including trade fixtures), fixed plant and machinery from time to time on any such property, and **Property** means any of them;

**"Receiver"** means a receiver and/or manager of any or all of the Charged Property appointed under this debenture;

**"Secured Liabilities"** means all the Company's liabilities to the Bank of any kind and in any currency (whether present or future, actual or contingent, and whether incurred alone or jointly with another and in whatever style or name and whether as principal or surety) together with the Bank's charges and commission, Interest and Expenses.

1.2 In this debenture unless the context requires otherwise, a reference to:

1.2.1 a statutory provision includes a reference to:

1.2.1.1 that statutory provision as modified or re-enacted or both from time to time before and after the date of this debenture; and

1.2.1.2 any subordinate legislation made under that statutory provision before and after the date of this debenture;

1.2.2 persons includes a reference to an individual, firm, body corporate, unincorporated association or partnership;

1.2.3 a person includes a reference to that person's legal personal representatives, successors and assigns;

1.2.4 a clause or schedule is a reference to a clause of or schedule to this debenture;

1.2.5 the singular shall include the plural and vice versa; and

1.2.6 this debenture (or any specified provision of it) or any other document is a reference to this debenture, that provision or document as from time to time supplemented, amended, novated, extended or restated (however fundamentally and whether or not more onerous or replaced).

1.3 References to the **"Properties"** and the **"Charged Property"** include any part of it or them and the **"Properties"** includes:

1.3.1 all buildings and fixtures and fittings (including trade and tenant's fixtures and fittings) and fixed plant and machinery which are situated on or form part of the Properties at any time;

1.3.2 the proceeds of sale of any part of the Properties and any other monies paid or payable in respect of or in connection with the Properties;

1.3.3 the benefit of any covenants for title given or entered into by any predecessor in title of the Company in respect of the Properties; and

1.3.4 all rights under any licence, agreement for sale or agreement for lease in respect of the Properties or any part of them.

The "Properties" also includes any share from time to time held by the Company in any landlord or management company of the Properties.

1.4 An Event of Default is "continuing" if it has not been remedied or waived.

1.5 The headings in this debenture shall not affect its interpretation.

1.6 In the event of a conflict between the provisions of this debenture and the Facility Agreement, the terms of the Facility Agreement shall prevail.

## **2. Covenant to Pay**

The Company shall, on demand, pay to the Bank and discharge all Secured Liabilities when they become due.

## **3. Interest**

The Company shall pay Interest on any amounts due under clause 2 from day to day until full discharge (whether before or after judgment, liquidation, winding-up or administration of the Company) at the default rate calculated in accordance with the Facility Agreement. In the case of any Expenses or other amounts due to the Bank under this debenture, such Interest shall accrue and be payable as from the date on which the Company failed to pay the relevant Expense in accordance with the relevant invoice.

## **4. Charges**

As a continuing security for the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities, the Company with full title guarantee:

4.1 charges to the Bank, by way of first legal mortgage, all the Properties listed in schedule 1 to this debenture;

4.2 charges to the Bank, by way of first fixed charge (to the extent permitted by applicable law):

4.2.1 all Properties not effectively mortgaged or charged under the preceding provisions of this clause 4;

4.2.2 all present and future rights, licences, guarantees, rents, contracts, covenants and warranties relating to the Properties;

4.2.3 all licences, consents and authorisations (statutory or otherwise) held in connection with the Company's business or the use of any Charged Property, and all rights in connection with them;

4.2.4 all present and future goodwill and uncalled capital for the time being of the Company;

4.2.5 the Equipment;

4.2.6 the Intellectual Property;

4.2.7 the Book Debts;

4.2.8 the Monetary Claims;

4.2.9 the Investments; and

4.2.10 all monies from time to time standing to the credit of its accounts with any bank, financial institution or other person (including each Designated Account).

4.3 assigns to the Bank absolutely, subject to a proviso for reassignment on redemption, all its rights in any policies of insurance or assurance present or future (including, without limitation, any insurances relating to the Properties or the Equipment);

4.4 assigns to the Bank absolutely, subject to a proviso for reassignment on redemption, to the extent the same are lawfully and contractually assignable, the benefit of the Assigned

- Agreements and the benefit of any guarantee or security for the performance of the Assigned Agreements; and
- 4.5 charges to the Bank, by way of first floating charge, all the undertaking, property, assets (including all uncalled capital) and rights of the Company at any time not effectively mortgaged, charged or assigned pursuant to clause 4.1 to clause 4.4 inclusive.
5. **Further Assurance**
- 5.1 The Company, at its own reasonable cost, shall prepare and execute in favour of the Bank, or as the Bank shall direct, such further legal or other assignments, mortgages, securities or charges (containing a power of sale and such other provisions as the Bank may reasonably require) as the Bank, in its absolute discretion, requires from time to time over all or any part of the Charged Property.
- 5.2 The Company will at any time if and when required by the Bank give notice to such parties as the Bank may require of any such further legal or other assignments, mortgages, securities or charges and will take such other steps as the Bank may require to perfect any of the same.
6. **Conversion of Floating Charge**
- 6.1 The floating charge created by clause 4.5 shall automatically and immediately (without notice) be converted into a fixed charge over the relevant Charged Property if:
- 6.1.1 the Company creates, or attempts to create, on all or any part of the Charged Property an Encumbrance or any trust in favour of another person (which is not a Permitted Encumbrance) without the prior written consent of the Bank; or
- 6.1.2 the Company disposes, or attempts to dispose of, all or any part of the Charged Property other than a Permitted Disposal; or
- 6.1.3 a receiver is appointed over all or any of the Charged Property that is subject to the floating charge; or
- 6.1.4 any person levies (or attempts to levy) any distress, attachment, execution or other analogous process against all or any part of the Charged Property having an aggregate value of at least £50,000 and such process is not discharged within 10 Business Days; or
- 6.1.5 the Bank receives notice of the appointment of, or a proposal or an intention to appoint, an administrator of the Company.
- 6.2 The Bank may, in its sole discretion, at any time and by written notice to the Company, convert the floating charge created under this debenture into a fixed charge as regards any part of the Charged Property specified by the Bank in that notice if:
- 6.2.1 an Event of Default is continuing; or
- 6.2.2 the Bank considers those assets to be in danger of being seized or sold under any form of distress, attachment, execution or other legal process or to be otherwise in jeopardy.
- 6.3 Any asset acquired by the Company after any crystallisation of the floating charge created under this debenture which, but for such crystallisation, would be subject to a floating charge shall (unless the Bank confirms in writing to the contrary) be charged to the Bank by way of first fixed charge.
- 6.4 Subject to clause 6.5 below, the floating charge created by clause 4.5 may not be converted into a fixed charge solely by reason of:
- 6.4.1 the obtaining of a moratorium; or
- 6.4.2 anything done with a view to obtaining a moratorium, under Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.
- 6.5 Clause 6.4 above does not apply in respect of any floating charge referred to in subsection (4) of section A52 of Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.



**7. Restrictions and Charged Property**

The Company shall not at any time, except with the prior written consent of the Bank:

- 7.1 create, purport to create or permit to subsist any Encumbrance on, or in relation to, the Charged Property other than this debenture or as permitted by the Facility Agreement (save for a lien arising by operation of law in the ordinary course of business); or
- 7.2 sell, assign, transfer, part with possession of or otherwise dispose of in any manner (or purport to do so) all or any part of, or any interest in, the Charged Property except as permitted by the Facility Agreement or, in the case of Charged Property which is only subject to an uncrystallised floating charge, by way of sale at full value in the usual course of business of the Company provided that such disposal is a Permitted Disposal; or
- 7.3 create or grant (or purport to create or grant) any interest in the Charged Property in favour of a third party (other than as permitted by the Facility Agreement).

**8. Company Covenants**

During the continuance of this security the Company shall:-

- 8.1 not do, or permit to be done, any act or thing which would or might depreciate, jeopardise or otherwise prejudice the security held by the Bank or materially diminish the value of any of the Charged Property or the effectiveness of the security created by this debenture;
- 8.2 take all necessary action to safeguard and maintain the Company's present and future rights and interests in or to the Charged Property where commercially appropriate to do so;
- 8.3 comply with all laws and regulations for the time being in force relating to or affecting the Charged Property where failure to do so would have a Material Adverse Effect, and to obtain and promptly renew from time to time and comply with the terms of all authorisations which may be necessary to enable the Company to preserve, maintain or renew the Charged Property if failure to obtain, effect, renew or comply with those authorisations has or is reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect;
- 8.4 keep all Charged Property of an insurable nature comprehensively insured in accordance with the terms of the Facility Agreement and:
  - 8.4.1 deposit with the Bank copies of all insurance policies and all deeds and documents of title (requested by the Bank) relating to the Charged Property;
  - 8.4.2 give notice to the relevant insurers of the assignment of the Company's rights and interest in and under the Company's insurance policies pursuant to clause 4;
  - 8.4.3 ensure all sums in excess of £100,000 received under the Company's insurance policies (in respect of any claim or related claims) are paid directly to the Bank and, if such monies are not paid directly to the Bank, hold the monies on trust for the benefit of the Bank; and
  - 8.4.4 apply all monies received or receivable under any insurance policy in respect of the Charged Property or the Company towards replacing, restoring or reinstating the Charged Property (other than where the Bank has determined, acting reasonably, that it is not commercially appropriate to do so). If a Default has occurred and is continuing under the Facility Agreement, the proceeds of insurance (to the extent that the relevant insurance policy does not restrict the proceeds of insurance under that policy being used to reduce the Secured Liabilities) shall be used to reduce the Secured Liabilities.
- 8.5 keep the Charged Property in good and substantial repair and condition and, in the case of Equipment, in good working order;
- 8.6 not, without the prior written consent of the Bank or otherwise in accordance with clause 8.8 below, release, exchange, compound, set-off, grant time or indulgence in respect of, or in any other manner deal with, all or any of the Book Debts or Monetary Claims, except that the Company is permitted to release, exchange, compound, set-off, grant time or indulgence in respect of, or in any manner deal with, all or any of the Book Debts or Monetary Claims where

the aggregate value in respect of all or any of the Book Debts and Monetary Claims does not exceed £75,000 in any financial year;

- 8.7 collect in and realise all Book Debts and/or Monetary Claims, pay the proceeds into an account with the Bank immediately on receipt and, pending that payment, hold those proceeds on trust for the Bank;
- 8.8 if required to do so by the Bank, execute a legal assignment of the Book Debts to the Bank in such terms as the Bank may require and, if an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, give notice of that assignment to the debtors from whom the Book Debts are due, owing or incurred;
- 8.9 not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, withdraw any amounts standing to the credit of any Designated Account;
- 8.10 not call on, or accept payment of, any uncalled capital;
- 8.11 except as permitted by clause 17.2.2(a) and 17.2.2(b) of the Facility Agreement, not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, carry out or allow to be carried out, any demolition, construction, structural alterations or additions, development or other similar operations in respect of a Property. This shall not apply to the carrying out of non-structural improvements or alterations which affect only the interior of any building on a Property;
- 8.12 exercise its rights where commercially beneficial to do so and comply in all respects with any covenant, stipulation or obligation (restrictive or otherwise) at any time affecting each Property;
- 8.13 within 14 days after the receipt by the Company of any application, requirement, order or notice served or given by any public or local or any other authority with respect to a Property (or any part of it) which may have a Material Adverse Effect, deliver a copy to the Bank and inform the Bank of the steps taken or proposed to be taken to comply with the relevant requirement, order or notice;
- 8.14 not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, grant, or accept a surrender of, any lease or licence of any of the Properties or consent to any assignment or sub-letting by a tenant other than as permitted by the Facility Agreement;
- 8.15 the Bank and its agents (in each case acting reasonably) may enter and inspect the Charged Property at any reasonable time during normal business hours, and where no Event of Default is continuing the Bank must give the Company not less than five Business Days' notice of such inspection;
- 8.16 if the Company fails to keep any of the Charged Property in good and substantial repair and condition and, in the case of Equipment, in good working order, the Bank shall be entitled (but not obliged) to repair and maintain the same at the Company's expense;
- 8.17 if the Company fails to keep any of the Charged Property of an insurable nature comprehensively insured to the Bank's reasonable satisfaction for its full reinstatement cost in accordance with the Facility Agreement, the Bank shall be entitled (but not obliged) to arrange insurance of the Charged Property at the Company's expense;
- 8.18 any sums expended by the Bank under clauses 8.16 and 8.17 above are repayable by the Company to the Bank on demand together with interest from the date of payment by the Bank;
- 8.19 the Bank shall not be responsible to the Company or any other person in the event of the Charged Property not being adequately insured. Whenever any insurance is effected through the agency of the Bank all reasonable sums allowed to the Bank by way of commission or otherwise by the insurers shall belong to the Bank and the Bank shall not be required to account to the Company for such sums.

## **9. Enforcement**

- 9.1 The security constituted by this debenture shall be immediately enforceable in the event that:
  - 9.1.1 the Company or its directors request (in writing) that the Bank appoints an administrator or receiver to the Company or any of the Charged Property; or,
  - 9.1.2 an Event of Default is continuing.
- 9.2 Section 103 of the LPA shall not apply to this debenture and the statutory power of sale and

other powers given by section 101 of the LPA (as varied or extended by this debenture) shall, as between the Bank and a purchaser, arise on the execution of this debenture and be exercisable at any time after such execution, but the Bank shall not exercise such power of sale until the security constituted by this debenture has become enforceable under clause 9.1.

9.3 While the security constituted by this debenture is enforceable, the Bank may in its absolute discretion enforce all or any part of that security at the times, in the manner and on the terms it thinks fit and take possession of and hold or dispose of all or any part of the Charged Property.

9.4 While the security constituted by this debenture is enforceable, the statutory powers of sale, leasing and accepting surrenders conferred on the Bank shall be extended so as to authorise the Bank to lease and make arrangements for leases at a premium or otherwise and accept surrenders of leases and grant options as the Bank shall think expedient and without the need to observe any of the provisions of sections 99 and 100 of the LPA.

#### **10. Appointment of Receiver**

10.1 At any time while the security constituted by this debenture is enforceable, the Bank may, without further notice, by writing under the hand of any duly authorised officer of the Bank or any person authorised by such officer in writing:

10.1.1 appoint any person or persons to be a Receiver of the Charged Property or any part thereof; and

10.1.2 to the extent permitted by law, remove any Receiver so appointed and appoint another or others in his or their place.

10.2 When more than one person is appointed Receiver, they shall have power to act separately (unless the appointment by the Bank specifies to the contrary).

10.3 The Bank is not entitled to appoint a Receiver solely as a result of the obtaining of a moratorium (or anything done with a view to obtaining a moratorium) under Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986 other than, if permitted by this Deed, in respect of a floating charge referred to in subsection (4) of section A52 of Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.

#### **11. Powers and Capacity of a Receiver**

11.1 A Receiver shall have, in addition to the powers conferred on receivers by statute, the following powers which, in the case of joint receivers, may be exercised jointly and severally:-

11.1.1 to enter and/or take possession of, collect and get in, and generally manage any of the Charged Property;

11.1.2 to take, continue or defer any proceedings in the name of the Company or otherwise as may seem expedient;

11.1.3 to carry on and manage the Company's business;

11.1.4 to raise or borrow any money and secure the payment of any money in priority to the Secured Liabilities as he thinks fit;

11.1.5 to sell, realise, dispose of or concur in selling, realising or disposing of (but, where necessary, with the leave of the Court) the Charged Property without the restriction imposed by section 103 of the LPA;

11.1.6 to grant, or accept surrenders of, any leases or tenancies affecting the Properties and to grant any other interest or right over the Charged Property on such terms and subject to such conditions as he thinks fit;

11.1.7 to make any arrangement or compromise which he shall think expedient;

11.1.8 to undertake or complete any works of repair, alteration, building or development on the Properties and to apply for and maintain any planning permission, building regulation approval or any other permission, consent or licence to carry out any of the same;

11.1.9 to make and effect all repairs and renewals of and any improvements to the Equipment and maintain or renew all insurances;

- 11.1.10 to appoint managers, agents, officers, consultants, advisers, servants and workmen at such salaries and for such periods as he or they may determine and to purchase or acquire materials, tools, equipment, goods or supplies;
- 11.1.11 to insure the Charged Property and any works and effect indemnity insurance or similar insurance and obtain bonds and give indemnities and security to any bondsmen;
- 11.1.12 to sever and sell separately any fixtures or fittings from the Properties without the consent of the Company;
- 11.1.13 to carry into effect and complete any transaction by executing deed or documents in the name of or on behalf of the Company;
- 11.1.14 to do all such other acts and things as may from time to time be considered by such Receiver to be incidental or conducive to any of the matters or powers above or otherwise incidental or conducive to the realisation of the Bank's security or the exercise of his functions as Receiver.
- 11.2 All money received by the Bank or a Receiver in the exercise of any enforcement powers conferred by this debenture shall be applied:
  - 11.2.1 first in paying all unpaid fees, costs and other liability incurred by or on behalf of the Bank (and any Receiver, attorney or agent appointed by it);
  - 11.2.2 secondly, in payment of the Receiver's remuneration (as agreed between the Bank and the Receiver);
  - 11.2.3 thirdly, in or towards satisfaction of the Secured Liabilities in such order and manner as the Bank determines; and
  - 11.2.4 finally in paying any surplus to the Company or any other person entitled to it.
- 11.3 Any Receiver shall at all times and for all purposes be deemed to be the agent or agents of the Company and the Company shall be solely responsible for his or their acts or defaults and for his or their remuneration. Neither the Bank nor any Receiver shall be liable to the Company as mortgagee in possession or otherwise for any loss occurring in the exercise of any of its or his powers pursuant to this debenture.
- 11.4 The Bank may fix the remuneration of any Receiver for his services and for those of his firm appropriate to the work and responsibilities involved without being limited by the maximum rate specified in section 109(6) of the LPA and the remuneration of the Receiver shall be a debt secured by this debenture which shall be due and payable immediately upon its being paid by the Bank.
- 11.5 Only money actually paid by the Receiver to the Bank shall be capable of being applied by the Bank in or towards satisfaction of the Secured Liabilities. The Bank may, in its absolute discretion, at all times prior to the payment in full of all Secured Liabilities, place and keep to the credit of a separate or suspense account any money received by the Bank or a Receiver under this debenture for so long and in such manner as the Bank thinks fit without any obligation to apply the same or any part thereof in or towards the discharge of the Secured Liabilities.
- 11.6 Neither the Bank nor any Receiver shall be bound (whether by virtue of section 109(8) of the LPA, which is varied accordingly, or otherwise) to pay or appropriate any receipt or payment first towards interest rather than principal or otherwise in any particular order between any of the Secured Liabilities.
- 11.7 At any time while this debenture is enforceable or while any powers conferred by any encumbrance having priority to this debenture is exercisable, the Bank may redeem such or any other prior encumbrance or procure the transfer thereof to itself and may settle and pay the accounts of the encumbrancer. Any accounts so settled and paid shall be conclusive and binding on the Company and all moneys paid by the Bank to the encumbrancer in accordance with such accounts are to be repayable by the Company to the Bank on demand together with Interest from the date of payment by the Bank.
- 11.8 To the extent permitted by law, any right, power or discretion conferred by this Debenture on a Receiver may, while the security constituted by this Debenture is enforceable, be exercised by

the Bank in relation to the Charged Property whether or not it has taken possession of the Charged Property and without or notwithstanding the appointment of a Receiver.

**12. Appointment of Administrator**

At any time while the security constituted by this debenture is enforceable, the Bank may by writing under the hand of any duly authorised officer of the Bank appoint any person or persons to be an administrator of the Company pursuant to paragraph 14 of Schedule B1 to the Insolvency Act 1986 and, to the extent permitted by law (and subject to any necessary approval from the court), remove any administrator so appointed and appoint another or others in his or their place.

**13. Power of Attorney**

- 13.1 By way of security, the Company irrevocably appoints the Bank and separately any Receiver to be its attorney and, in its name and on its behalf and as its act and deed, to execute any document and do any acts and things which:

13.1.1 the Company is required to execute and do under this debenture; and/or

13.1.2 any attorney may deem proper or desirable in exercising any of the powers conferred by this debenture or by law on the Bank or Receiver.

- 13.2 The Company ratifies and confirms, and agree to ratify and confirm, anything which any of its attorneys may do in the proper and lawful exercise of all or any of their powers.

- 13.3 The powers of attorney granted pursuant to clause 13.1 shall only be exercisable whilst an Event of Default is continuing.

**14. Registration Restrictions**

The Company shall procure that no person shall be registered under the Land Registration Acts 1925 to 2002 as proprietor of any Property without the prior written consent of the Bank. The Company shall be liable for the costs of the Bank in lodging cautions against the registration of the title to the whole or any part of any Property from time to time.

**15. New Accounts**

If the Bank receives notice of any subsequent Encumbrance (other than a Permitted Encumbrance) or other interest restricted by the Facility Agreement affecting the Charged Property the Bank may open a new account or accounts for the Company. If the Bank does not open a new account it shall nevertheless be treated as if it had done so at the time when it received notice and from that time onwards all payments made by or on behalf of the Company to the Bank shall be credited or be treated as having been credited to the new account and shall not operate to reduce the Secured Liabilities.

**16. Consolidation and Set Off**

- 16.1 The Bank shall, but only in accordance with the terms of the Facility Agreement, be entitled at any time (both before and after demand) and without notice to the Company:

16.1.1 to combine or consolidate all or any existing accounts (including accounts in the name of the Bank) of the Company with the Bank;

16.1.2 to set off or transfer any sum or sums standing to the credit of any account in or towards satisfaction of any of the liabilities of the Company to the Bank on any other account or in any other respect; and

16.1.3 for this purpose, the Bank may convert any amount in one currency into another, using the rate of exchange at which it is able to purchase the appropriate currency at the relevant time.

- 16.2 The Company waives any present or future right of set off it may have in respect of the Secured Liabilities.

**17. Immediate Recourse**

The Company waives any right it may have to require the Bank to enforce any security or other right, or claim any payment from, or otherwise proceed against, any other person before enforcing this debenture against the Company.

**18. Appointment of Accountants**

**18.1 The Company shall:**

- 18.1.1 at its own cost, if so required by the Bank while an Event of Default is continuing or at any other time to investigate any event which it reasonably believes is a Default, appoint an accountant or firm of accountants nominated by the Bank to investigate the financial affairs of the Company and report to the Bank; and
- 18.1.2 co-operate fully with any accountants so appointed and immediately provide such accountants with all information requested.

**18.2 The Company authorises the Bank to make such appointment in accordance with clause 18.1 above, without further authority from the Company. In every such case, the fees and expenses of those accountants shall be paid by the Company but, if paid by the Bank on the Company's behalf, those fees and expenses shall be fully reimbursed to the Bank by the Company on demand together with interest from the date of payment by the Bank.**

**19. Notices**

**19.1 Any notice or other communication given under or in connection with this debenture shall be in writing and shall be delivered personally or sent by first class post pre-paid to the party due to receive the notice or communication, in the case of the Bank at Deanery Road, Bristol BS1 5AS for the attention of Cat Moore and, in the case of the Company, to Boys & Girls Nursery, 34 High Road, Bushey Heath, Hertfordshire, WD23 1GG marked for the attention of Jon Kirby or in the case of the Bank and the Company another UK address or the attention details specified by that party by written notice to the other in accordance with the terms of this debenture.**

**19.2 In the absence of evidence of earlier receipt, a notice or other communication is deemed given:**

- 19.1.1 if delivered personally, when left at the address or addresses referred to in clause 19.1; and
- 19.1.2 if sent by mail, two Business Days after posting it.

Any communication or document which becomes effective after 5.00 p.m. in the place of receipt shall be deemed only to become effective on the following day.

**20. Assigns**

**20.1 The Bank may:**

- 20.1.1 assign any of its rights; or
- 20.1.2 transfer by novation any of its rights and obligations,

under this debenture to another bank or financial institution or to a trust, fund or other entity which is regularly engaged in or established for the purpose of making, purchasing or investing in loans, securities or other financial assets, and the Company shall promptly take (at the cost of the Bank) all reasonable steps necessary to facilitate any such assignment or transfer.

**20.2 The Bank may disclose to any person:**

- 20.2.1 to (or through) whom the Bank assigns or transfers (or may potentially assign or transfer) all or any of its rights and obligations under this debenture;
- 20.2.2 with (or through) whom the Bank enters into (or may potentially enter into) any sub-participation in relation to, or any other transaction under which payments are to be made by reference to, this debenture or the Company;
- 20.2.3 to whom, and to the extent that, information is required to be disclosed by any applicable law or regulation; or
- 20.2.4 who is an affiliate of the Bank,

any information about the Company and this debenture as the Bank shall consider appropriate if the recipient has entered into a confidentiality agreement (in a form that is materially consistent with the form then published by the Loan Market Association).

**20.3 The Company may not assign any of its rights, or transfer any of its obligations, under this debenture or enter into any transaction which would result in any of those rights or obligations**

passing to another person.

- 20.4 The expression "the Bank" shall include the Bank's assigns whether immediate or derivative. Any appointment or removal of a Receiver under clause 10 or any consents hereunder may be made or given by writing signed or sealed by any such assigns and the Company hereby irrevocably appoints each of such assigns to be its attorney in the terms and for the purposes in clause 13.

**21. Additional Security**

- 21.1 This debenture and the security created by this debenture shall be in addition to, and independent of, every other security or guarantee which the Bank may now or from time to time hold for any of the Secured Liabilities.
- 21.2 The restriction on the right of consolidation contained in section 93 of the LPA shall not apply to this debenture or any further security entered into pursuant to this debenture.

**22. Non-merger**

- 22.1 No prior security held by the Bank over the whole or any part of the Charged Property shall merge in the security created by this debenture.
- 22.2 This debenture shall remain in full force and effect as a continuing security for the Secured Liabilities despite any intermediate payment, or other matter or thing, unless and until the Secured Liabilities have been unconditionally and irrevocably discharged in full.

**23. Severability**

- 23.1 Each of the provisions in this debenture shall be severable and distinct from one another and, if at any time any one or more of such provisions is or becomes invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired.

**24. Non-waiver**

- 24.1 Any waiver or variation of any right of the Bank (whether arising under this debenture or otherwise) shall only be effective if it is in writing and signed by the Bank, will only apply in the circumstances for which it was given and shall not prevent the Bank from subsequently relying on the relevant provision.
- 24.2 No delay or failure to exercise any right or power under this debenture shall operate as a waiver.

**25. General**

- 25.1 A third party has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce, or to enjoy the benefit of, any term of this debenture.
- 25.2 The Company certifies that this debenture does not contravene any of the provisions of the Company's memorandum and articles of association.
- 25.3 The perpetuity period applicable to all trusts declared by this debenture shall be 125 years.

**26. Regulation**

The Bank is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and Prudential Regulation Authority under registration number 183366.

**27. Governing law and jurisdiction**

- 27.1 This debenture is governed by and shall be construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.
- 27.2 The Bank and the Company irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts and irrevocably agrees that a judgment or ruling in any proceedings in connection with this debenture in those courts will be conclusive and binding on the Company and the Bank and may be enforced in the courts of any other jurisdiction.

This document has been executed as a deed and is delivered and takes effect on the date stated at the beginning of it.

**Schedule 1**  
**Registered property**

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**Schedule 2**  
**Assigned Agreements**

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Signed as a deed by  
**Boys & Girls Nursery (Rickmansworth) Limited**  
acting by \_\_\_\_\_

in the presence of:

) JON KIRDY  
)  
)  
.....  
Director

Signature of Witness:

.....

Name of Witness:

SARAH MARCHANT

Address of Witness:

S. HARTWELL CLOSE  
WALTHAM ABBEY  
ESSEX...EN.9.3EP

Occupation:

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Print the name  
of each attorney

Executed as a Deed on behalf of Triodos  
Bank UK Limited, a company incorporated  
in England & Wales with company number  
11379025, by

Attorney

SEMON CREATION

pursuant to a power of attorney dated 10/6/2020

In the presence of:

Witness signature:

Print name:

Occupation:

Address:

TRIODOS BANK  
Deanery Road  
Bristol  
BS1 5AS

Attorney

and PHILLIP BATE  
pursuant to a power of attorney dated

In the presence of: 23/3/23

Witness signature:

Print name:

Occupation:

Address:

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