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Company number	0	9	4	0	1	6	1	2
Company name in full	Big Data Stack Limited							

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2 Liquidator's name

Full forename(s)	John Paul
Surname	Bell

3 Liquidator's address

Building name/number	C/o Clarke Bell Limited
Street	3rd Floor, The Pinnacle
Post town	73 King Street
County/Region	Manchester
Postcode	M 2 4 N G
Country	

4 Liquidator's name ①

Full forename(s)	Toyah Marie
Surname	Poole

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Period of progress report

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To date

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Progress report

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Liquidator's signature

Signature

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John Bell

X

Signature date

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Contact name

Samantha Hall

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BIG DATA STACK LIMITED
PREVIOUSLY KNOWN AS: BID DATA STACK LIMITED
("THE COMPANY")
IN LIQUIDATION

JOINT LIQUIDATORS' PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE PERIOD
FROM 17 NOVEMBER 2021 TO 16 NOVEMBER 2022

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1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Name of Company: Big Data Stack Limited - In Liquidation ("the Company")

Previous Name(s): Bid Data Stack Limited

Date of Incorporation: 22 January 2015

Company Registered Number: 09401612

Company Registered Office: 3rd Floor, The Pinnacle, 73 King Street, Manchester, M2 4NG

Company's Director(s):

	Date Appointed	Shares Held
Director(s)		
Srinivasulu Reddy Munagala	22 January 2015	10

2. THE JOINT LIQUIDATORS

Names of Joint Liquidators: John Paul Bell, (8608) and Toyah Marie Poole (9740) Licensed Insolvency Practitioners of Clarke Bell Limited, 3rd Floor, The Pinnacle, 73 King Street, Manchester, M2 4NG

Date of Appointment: 17 November 2020

Joint Liquidators' Contact Details: John Paul Bell and Toyah Marie Poole
info@clarkebell.com

Actions of Joint Liquidators; Any act required or authorised under any enactment to be done by a Liquidator may be done by either or both of the Liquidators acting jointly or alone.

3. PROGRESS MADE IN THE PERIOD, TOGETHER WITH RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT MADE

Attached at Appendix A is a copy of our Receipts and Payments Account for the period under review, from 17 November 2021 to 16 November 2022, together with cumulative total. I have reconciled the account against the financial records that I am required to maintain.

All figures detailed in the Receipts and Payments account are shown net of VAT.

The balance of funds are held in an interest bearing estate bank account.

The progress and movement on the Account is explained as follows:

Asset Realisations

(i) Tax Refund

Since the date of my appointment, the company has received an unexpected Corporation Tax refund from HM Revenue & Customs ('HMRC')

As detailed in the attached Receipts and Payments Account, this refund (£459.17) has been received during the period under review.

Costs of Realisations

To date, the following professional agents have been engaged by us to provide the appropriate assistance.

Item of Expense	Initial Estimate of Costs (excluding VAT) £	Costs Incurred During the Period Under Review (excluding VAT) £	Costs Incurred to Date (excluding VAT) £
Agent Costs – DNS Accountants Ltd • Company closing down charges.	2,250.00	0.00	2,250.00

The choice of professionals was based on my perception of their experience and ability to perform this type of work and the complexity and nature of the assignment. I also considered that the basis on which they will charge their fees represented value for money. I have reviewed the charges they have made, and I am satisfied that they are reasonable in the circumstances of this case.

All agent matters have now been dealt with, and as such, no further costs are anticipated.

The above expenses are Category I expenses, and those discharged to date are identified on the attached Receipts and Payments account. It is noted that Agent costs of £2,250 have been discharged during the prior period.

The professional agents instructed are not connected and do not have any conflict in acting, as Agents, in this matter.

It is not anticipated that further agent fees shall accrue.

4. ASSETS WHICH REMAIN TO BE REALISED

The Receipts and Payments Account at Appendix 1 not only provides the realisations to date but also provides the Declaration of Solvency figure as provided by the Company's Director(s). It will be seen from the anticipated assets (shown in the far left-hand column) that all assets have been realised.

5. ESTIMATED OUTCOME FOR CREDITORS / DISTRIBUTIONS

I set out specific information for each class of creditor.

Secured Creditors

The company has no Secured creditors.

Preferential Creditors

There are no known preferential claims.

Unsecured Creditors

There are no known unsecured claims.

Share Capital

The following distributions have been made to the Members:

Date	Amount Distribution	Type of Distribution	Rate of Distribution Per Share
19/01/2021	£72,592.05	In Specie	£7,259.20 per Ordinary Share
15/04/2021	£535.01	Cash	£53.50 per Ordinary Share

None of the distributions paid to date, were paid during the period under review.

6. PRE-APPOINTMENT REMUNERATION

Prior to my appointment at a meeting held on 17 November 2020, the Board previously authorised the payment of a fee of £1,495 plus VAT to Clarke Bell Limited for preparing the Declaration of Solvency, and for producing and circulating the notices for the meeting of Members.

The fee for preparing the Declaration of Solvency and convening the meeting was paid prior to the Liquidation, by the Company.

7. LIQUIDATORS' REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

Remuneration

At the meeting of members held on 17 November 2020, the following resolution was passed in respect of my remuneration in this matter.

1. That the Joint Liquidators be entitled to draw £250 plus VAT for the realisation of each asset, together with £250 plus VAT for the payment of each creditor, which were not detailed on the Declaration of Solvency.

Fees drawn are in line with the resolutions passed, and are detailed on the attached Receipts and Payments Account. Of the fee drawn, £250 plus VAT was paid during the period under review.

Guidance for Members

You may also find it useful to read "A Guide To Liquidators' Fees" which can be downloaded from <https://insolvency-practitioners.org.uk/regulation-and-guidance/england-wales/> Please note that there are different versions of the Guidance Notes, and in this case, you should refer to the April 2021 version.

A hard copy of this document can be obtained on request from this office.

Joint Liquidators' Expenses

Expenses are any payments from the Estate which are neither an office holder's remuneration nor a distribution to a creditor or a member. Expenses also includes disbursements. Disbursements are

payments which are first met by the office holder and then reimbursed to the office holder from the estate. Expenses are split into:

- Category 1 expenses, which are payments to persons providing the service to which the expense relates who are not an associate of the office holder; and
- Category 2 expenses, which are payments to associates or which have an element of shared costs. Before being paid category 2 expenses require approval in the same manner as an office holder's remuneration.

A detailed explanation of Category 1 and Category 2 expenses, together with the approved rates for Category 2 expenses, is set out in Appendix B.

Category 1 expenses are those that are directly attributable to a third party invoice.

Category 1 expenses incurred in the period under review, together with those incurred to date, are set out in the table below.

Type Of Expense	Provider	Incurred During The Period Under Review (£)	Paid To Date (£)	Total Amount Outstanding (£)
Statutory Advertising	Courts Advertising	0.00	234.00	0.00
Bordereau	Marsh Limited	0.00	52.50	0.00

Category 1 expenses paid to date, were all discharged by the Company, prior to my appointment.

Category 2 expenses are those that are based upon an estimate or an internally set rate.

To date, no approval to enable us to draw Category 2 expenses has been sought.

8. FURTHER INFORMATION

A Member may, with the permission of the court or with at least 5% of the total voting rights of all the Members having the right to vote at general meetings of the company request further details of the Joint Liquidators' remuneration and expenses, within 21 days of receipt of this report.

A Member may, with the permission of the court or with at least 10% of the total voting rights of all the Members having the right to vote at general meetings of the company, apply to Court to challenge the amount of remuneration charged by the Joint Liquidators as being excessive, and/or the basis of the Joint Liquidators' remuneration, and/or the amount of the expenses incurred as being excessive, within 8 weeks of their receipt of this report.

To comply with the Provision of Services Regulations, some general information above about Clarke Bell Limited that is of relevance to creditors can be found via our website at <https://www.clarkebell.com/provision-of-services-regulations/>

9. CONCLUSION

I am required to deliver a copy of our progress report within two months after the end of the period covered by the report.

There are no outstanding matters. Clearance has been received from HM Revenue and Customs. As such, I will now proceed to seek my release. My Proposed Final Account will therefore be issued to members within 6 weeks.

If members have any queries regarding the conduct of the Liquidation, or if they want hard copies of any of the documents made available on-line, they should contact Elizabeth Scott on 0161 907 4044, or by email at mvl@clarkebell.com

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John Bell". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

JOHN PAUL BELL
JOINT LIQUIDATOR

DATED: 15 DECEMBER 2022

APPENDIX A
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

Big Data Stack Limited

In Liquidation

Joint Liquidators' Summary of Receipts and Payments (Accruals Basis)

Declaration of Solvency	From 17 November 2021 To 16 November 2022	From 17 November 2020 To 16 November 2022
£	£	£
ASSET REALISATIONS		
Tax Refund	459.17	459.17
2,791.51 Cash at Bank	0.00	2,785.01
72,592.05 Overdrawn DLA	0.00	72,592.05
Bank Interest Gross	0.02	0.02
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	459.19	75,836.25
COST OF REALISATIONS		
Office Holders Fees	250.00	250.00
Agents/Valuers Fees (1)(Category I)	0.00	2,250.00
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	(250.00)	(2,500.00)
DISTRIBUTIONS		
(10.00) Ordinary Shareholders	0.00	73,127.06
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	0.00	(73,127.06)
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75,373.56	209.19	209.19
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REPRESENTED BY		
Vat Receivable		50.00
Bank 2 Current		159.19
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		209.19
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The Director's Loan Account has been distributed in specie. The quantum of this Loan Account has been derived from the company's books and records.


John Paul Bell
Joint Liquidator

APPENDIX B

JOINT LIQUIDATORS' EXPENSES POLICY

Category 1 & Category 2 Expenses

Expenses are categorised as either Category 1 or Category 2.

Category 1

Category 1 expenses are clearly identifiable third party costs that are directly attributable to the case. Occasionally these expenses are paid by Clarke Bell Limited and then recharged to the case, usually when there are insufficient funds within the case to pay the expense at the time it falls due. Specific approval from creditors is not required for Category 1 expenses.

Typical examples of Category 1 expenses are:

- Postage
- Advertising
- Insurance
- Travel costs
- External room hire

Category 2

Category 2 expenses are estimated or shared costs which may include some internal recharges from Clarke Bell Limited. It is likely that it is not possible, or too costly, to calculate the exact cost and an estimate is therefore used. These expenses can be paid from the case if the basis of the charge has been approved by creditors.

Typical examples of Category 2 expenses are:

- Photocopying
- Mileage
- Storage
- Agent costs where the Agent is deemed as an associate

The current levels of Category 2 expenses recovered by Clarke Bell Limited are as follows:

Photocopying at £0.15 per copy.
Mileage at £0.45 per mile.
Storage and destruction of records at £17 per box of records, per annum.

APPENDIX C

JOINT LIQUIDATORS' ACTIVITIES

Detailed below is a summary of the activities that have been undertaken in this matter during the period under review.

(a) Administration

This represents the work involved in the routine administrative functions of the case by the office holder and their staff, together with the control and supervision of the work done on the case by the office holder and their managers. It does not give direct financial benefit to the members, but has to be undertaken by the office holder to meet their requirements under the insolvency legislation and the Statements of Insolvency Practice, which set out required practice that office holders must follow.

- Reviewing the adequacy of the specific bond on a quarterly basis.
- Dealing with correspondence and emails relating to the case.
- Undertaking periodic file reviews.
- Maintenance of Liquidator's records.
- Opening, maintaining and managing the Liquidator's estate bank account.
- Undertaking regular reconciliations of the bank account containing estate funds.
- Overseeing and controlling the work done on the case by case administrators.
- Preparing, reviewing and delivering progress reports to creditors and members.
- Preparing and filing Corporation Tax Returns.
- Seeking closure clearance from HMRC and other relevant parties.

(b) Realisation of Assets

This represent worked involved in the Joint Liquidators satisfying their duties to realise the company's assets for the benefit of the Estate.

- Liaising with HMRC in order to realise the Corporation Tax refund