In accordance with Rule 18.7 of the Insolvency (England & Wales) Rules 2016 and Sections 92A, 104A and 192 of the insolvency Act 1986.

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Full forename(s)	John	
Surname	Bell	
3	Liquidator's address	
Building name/number		
Street	3rd Floor, The Pinnacle	
	73 King Street	
Post town	Manchester	
County/Region		
Postcode	M 2 4 N G	
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Surname	Poole	another liquidator.
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#### **Presenter information** You do not have to give any contact information, but if you do it will help Companies House if there is a query on the form. The contact information you give will be visible to searchers of the public record. Contact name George Piggott Clarke Bell Limited 3rd Floor, The Pinnacle 73 King Street Manchester County/Region Postcode G Μ 2 Country DX Telephone Checklist We may return forms completed incorrectly or with information missing. Please make sure you have remembered the following: ☐ The company name and number match the information held on the public Register. ☐ You have attached the required documents. ☐ You have signed the form.

#### I Important information

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#### ☑ Where to send

You may return this form to any Companies House address, however for expediency we advise you to return it to the address below:

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## BLOCKTEC LTD ("THE COMPANY") IN LIQUIDATION

### JOINT LIQUIDATORS' PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE PERIOD FROM 5 AUGUST 2020 TO 4 AUGUST 2021

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#### 1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Name of Company:

Blocktec Ltd - In Liquidation ("the Company")

Date of Incorporation:

5 January 2018

Company Registered Number:

11134581

Company Registered Office:

3rd Floor, The Pinnacle, 73 King Street, Manchester M2 4NG

Company's Director(s)

	Date Appointed	Shares Held	
Director(s)			
Michaela Gillon	5 January 2018	2	

#### 2. THE JOINT LIQUIDATORS

Names of Joint Liquidators:

John Paul Bell, (8608) and Toyah Marie Poole (9740)

Licensed Insolvency Practitioners of Clarke Bell Limited, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, The Pinnacle, 73 King Street, Manchester M2 4NG

Date of Appointment:

5 August 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 DURING THE PERIOD, TOGETHER WITH RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS MADE

Attached at Appendix A is a copy of our Receipts and Payments Account for the period under review, from 5 August 2020 to 4 August 2021, together with a cumulative total of the transactions made in this matter. 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**

The company held no assets. As such, no realisations have been made during the period under review.

#### Costs of Realisations

I have not needed the assistance of any professional agent in order to realise the company's assets, or deal with the company's affairs and/or Liquidator(s) investigations. As such, no costs have been incurred.

#### 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 Statement of Affairs 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 the company held no assets. As such, no assets remain to be realised.

#### 5. INVESTIGATIONS

A Liquidator is required to carry out work which complies with the requirements of the Company Directors Disqualification Act 1986. Whilst this work may not necessarily bring about any financial benefit to the creditors (unless potential recoveries are identified) we must carry it out.

In accordance with Statement of Insolvency Practice 2 - Investigations by Officeholders in Administration and Insolvent Liquidations, we have conducted an initial review of the Company's records and completed the online questionnaire regarding the conduct of the director(s) to the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (DBEIS), as provided by them. The submission and the outcome thereof is confidential and cannot be disclosed to you in this report.

My investigations did not reveal any potential recoveries for the benefit of the Estate.

#### 6. REMUNERATION AND EXPENSES

Joint Liquidators' Remuneration and Expenses

#### Remuneration

No resolution has been passed in respect of our remuneration in this matter.

#### **Guidance for Creditors**

Further information about creditors' rights can be obtained by visiting the creditors' information microsite published by the Association of Business Recovery Professionals (R3) at http://www.creditorinsolvencyguide.co.uk/

You may also find it useful to read "A Guide To Liquidators' Fees" which can be downloaded from <a href="https://insolvency-practitioners.org.uk/regulation-and-guidance/england-wales/">https://insolvency-practitioners.org.uk/regulation-and-guidance/england-wales/</a> 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 both documents 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	156.00	0.00	156.00
Bordereau	Marsh Limited	30.00	0.00	30.00
Postage	Clarke Bell Limited	2.60	0.00	2.60

Category 1 expenses have not been discharged due to insufficient funds held.

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

No approval to enable us to draw Category 2 expenses has been sought.

#### 7. ESTIMATED OUTCOME FOR CREDITORS / DISTRIBUTIONS

I set out specific information for each class of creditor.

#### Secured Creditor(s)

The company has no Secured creditors.

#### **Preferential Creditors**

There are no known preferential claims.

#### Prescribed Part for Unsecured Creditors Pursuant to s176A Insolvency Act 1986

Section 176A of the 1986 Insolvency Act provides that where the Company has created a Floating Charge on or after 15 September 2003 the Liquidator must calculate and make a 'Prescribed Part' of the Company's net property available for the unsecured creditors ahead of any distribution to the floating charge holder.

#### How the Provisions Apply to This Company

There are no floating charges created on or after 15 September 2003. Therefore, the provisions of s176A do not apply

#### **Unsecured Creditors**

The Liquidation commenced with creditor claims totalling £27,000.

At the date of this report, I have received claims totalling £7,470.84 from one creditor.

I am yet to receive claims of £18,000 from 3 creditors, as per the Director(s) Statement of Affairs.

#### **Dividend Prospects**

Based on the information available to me at the date of this report, there are insufficient funds to enable a distribution to the unsecured creditors.

Therefore, in accordance with Rule 14.36(1) of the Insolvency (England and Wales) Rules 2016, no dividend is to be made to any class of creditor in this matter as no funds have been realised.

#### 8. 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 Joint Liquidators' remuneration and expenses within 21 days of their 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 unsecured creditors (including the creditor in question), 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. Any secured creditor may make a similar application to court within the same time limit.

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. As such, we will now proceed to seek our release. A formal report will be issued to creditors within the next 12 weeks.

If creditors 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 George Piggott on 0161 907 4044, or by email at <a href="mailto:georgepiggott@clarkebell.com">georgepiggott@clarkebell.com</a>.

Yours faithfully

JOHN PAUL BELL JOINT LIQUIDATOR

John Geel

DATED: 28 SEPTEMBER 2021

## APPENDIX A RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

#### **Blocktec Ltd**

#### In Liquidation

#### Joint Liquidators' Summary of Receipts and Payments (Daybook Basis)

Statement		From 05 August 2020	From 05 August 2020
of Affairs		To 04 August 2021	To 04 August 2021
£		£	£
	UNSECURED CREDITORS		
(21,500.00)	Trade & Expense Creditors		
(5,000.00)	HM Revenue & Customs - CT		
(500.00)	HM Revenue & Customs - VAT		
	DISTRIBUTIONS		
(2.00)	Ordinary Shareholders		· ·

REPRESENTED BY

John Paul Bell Joint Liquidator

John Geel

#### 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 expenses 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.

Staff of different levels will be involved in these activities dependent upon the level of experience required in order to keep costs to an appropriate level.

#### (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.

- Case Planning Reviewing the circumstances of the case to determine the appropriate strategy.
- Preparing and circulating Notice of Appointment to creditors advising of the outcome of the appointment and other formalities, including gazetting the Appointment of Liquidators.
- Setting up electronic case files.
- Setting up the case on the firm's electronic case management system and entering data.
- Obtaining a specific bond, this is insurance required by Statute that ever insolvency office holder has to obtain for the protection of each estate.
- Reviewing the adequacy of the specific bond on a quarterly basis.
- Dealing with all routine correspondence and emails relating to the case.
- Undertaking periodic file reviews.
- Maintenance of Liquidator's records.
- Dealing with the company's Pension Scheme.
- Overseeing and controlling the work done on the case by case administrators.

#### (b) Investigations

The Joint Liquidators have a duty to undertake investigations into the company's affairs, as well as the director's conduct.

- Recovering the books and records for the case.
- Preparing and inventory of the books and records recovered
- Conducting and initial investigation with a view to identifying potential asset recoveries by seeing and obtaining information from the relevant third parties, such as the bank, accountants, solicitors
- Reviewing books and records to identify any transactions or actions the office holder may take against a third party in order to recover funds for benefit of the estate.
- Preparing a report or return on the conduct of the directors as required by the Company Directors Disqualification Act.
- Undertaking any further investigation required in order take any action necessary as identified in our statutory investigations.

#### (c) Creditors

Claims of creditors - The Joint Liquidators need to maintain up to date records of the names and addresses of creditors, together with the amounts of their claims as part of the management of the case. The Joint Liquidators also need to deal with correspondence and queries received from creditors regarding their claims and dividend prospects as they are received. The Joint Liquidators are required to undertake this work as part of their statutory functions.

- Preparing and updating a list of creditors.
- Maintaining a list of creditor claims.
- Lodging creditor Proof of Debt Forms.
- Dealing with creditor enquiries.