

Initial information for creditors

## G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809 ("the Company")

The purpose of this document is to provide you with information about the liquidation of G & S Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) and your rights as a creditor.

1. Information for creditors

#### Notification of appointment 1.1

Michael Hogan and I were appointed Joint and Several Liquidators of the Company by special resolution of the members of the company passed at a duly convened meeting on 8 August 2019.

A copy of our Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities ("DIRRI") is attached as Annexure A. The DIRRI assists you to understand any relevant relationships that we have, and any indemnities or upfront payments that have been provided to us. We have considered each relationship and it is my opinion that none of the relationships disclosed in the DIRRI result in a conflict of interest or duty or affect my independence.

### 1.2 What is a creditors' voluntary liquidation?

A creditors' voluntary liquidation ("CVL"), is a liquidation initiated by the Company where it is unable to pay all of its creditors in full. This means that the Company is insolvent.

According to the Company's records, you may be a creditor of the Company.

#### What happens to your debt? 1.3

The Company books and records indicate that you may be a creditor.

All creditors of the Company are now creditors in the liquidation. As a creditor, you have certain rights, although your debt will now be dealt with in the liquidation. Information regarding your rights as a creditor is provided in the information sheet included at Annexure B. This includes your right to:

- Make reasonable requests for a meeting;
- Make reasonable requests for information



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- Give directions to me;
- Appoint a reviewing liquidator; and
- To replace me as liquidator.

If you have leased the Company property, have a retention of title claim or hold a Personal Property Security in relation to the Company, please contact our staff as soon as possible.

We wish to draw to your attention to the special right to request a meeting in the first 20 business days of a creditors' voluntary liquidation. If we receive a request for a meeting from at least 5% of known creditors that are not a related entity of Company, we are required to hold a meeting, as long as the request is reasonable. The details of whether a request is reasonable or not is included in the Information Sheet at **Annexure B**.

### 2. Summary of the Company's affairs & list of creditors

We have not received a summary of the Company's affairs as at the date of this report.

We attach at **Annexure C** a list of creditors, including their address and the estimated amounts of their claims, as represented in the Company's books and records as at the date of my appointment. Any creditors related to the Company are identified. We are required to provide this information to creditors under law.

Please note that there may be debts which arose shortly prior to our appointment, which were not yet recorded in the Company's management system. We invite creditors to complete the proof of debt form at **Annexure H**, providing details and documents supporting any debts owing.

### 3. Update on liquidation to date

The Company operated an earthmoving business in Narrabri NSW, which ceased to trade prior to our appointment.

Since our appointment on 8 August 2019, we have undertaken the following, including but not limited to:

- Telephone calls with the Director to discuss the liquidation and affairs of the Company;
- Conducted preliminary investigations into the affairs the business.

Whilst we have only commenced our preliminary investigations into the Company, we are seeking creditors assistance in providing any additional information which may assist with further asset recoveries. Please contact Vincent Nguyen of our office, by email at <a href="mailto:vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au">vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au</a> or by phone on (02) 8020 5872, if you have any information which may lead to further asset recoveries.



### Suppliers

Please note that we will not accept liability for payment for any goods or services supplied from 8 August 2019. If there are any outstanding or uncompleted orders placed by the company prior to our appointment, please contact Vincent Nguyen of our office, by email at <a href="mailto:vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au">vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au</a> or by phone on (02) 8020 5872 to obtain written instructions concerning the order.

### 4. Costs of the liquidation

Included at **Annexure D** is our Initial Remuneration Notice. This document provides you with information about how we propose to be paid for undertaking the liquidation.

We may write and ask that you approve our remuneration for the work that we and our firm do in completing the liquidation. If we do, we will provide you with detailed information so that you can understand what tasks we have undertaken and the costs of those tasks.

We are seeking approval of our proposed remuneration, without a meeting of creditors, via the following circular resolutions:

- Approve remuneration of the Liquidators for \$35,000 exclusive of GST (Annexure E);
- Approve the future disbursements of the Liquidators for \$2,000 exclusive of GST (Annexure F).

We have not been indemnified for our fees and are reliant on recoveries during the liquidation to meet our remuneration.

### 5. Further information

The Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association ("ARITA") provides information to assist creditors with understanding liquidations and insolvency. This information is available from ARITA's website at www.arita.com.au/creditors.

ASIC also provides information sheets on a range of insolvency topics. These information sheets can be accessed on ASIC's website at <a href="https://www.asic.gov.au">www.asic.gov.au</a> (search for "insolvency information sheets").

Should you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact Vincent Nguyen, of this office, by phone on (02) 8020 5872 or via email <a href="mailto:vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au">vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au</a>



DATED this 21st of August 2019

## G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation)

Christian Sprowles

Joint & Several Liquidator

### **Attachments**

Annexure J

Annexure A	Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities
Annexure B	Information Sheet - Creditor Rights in Liquidation
Annexure D	List of Creditors
Annexure E	Initial remuneration notice
Annexure F	Proposal 1: Notice of Proposal to Creditors regarding Liquidators remuneration
Annexure G	Proposal 2: Notice of Proposal to Creditors regarding Liquidators disbursements
Annexure H	Proof of Debt form
Annexure I	ARITA Information Sheet: Proposals without meeting

Liquidator's Remuneration Report

## Australian Securities & Investments Commission

Electronic Lodgement

Document No. 7EAO21265

Lodgement date/time: 08-08-2019 14:58:07 Reference Id: 128863321

### Form 505

Corporations Act 2001 415(1), 427(2), 427(4), 450A(1)(a), 499(2C)(a) & (b), 537(1) & (2), Insolvency Practice Rules (Corporations) 2016 \$70-60(2)

## External Administration or Controllership Appointment of an administrator or controller

Liquidator details		
,	Registered liquidator	number
		440736
	Registered liquidator	name
		CHRISTIAN SPROWLES
Company details		
	Company name	
		G & S LEIN EARTHMOVING PTY LTD
	ACN	
		113 359 809
	Company industry typ	pe e
		Construction
Add a new appointment		
Appointee details	Liquidator No.	440736
	Person Name	
		CHRISTIAN SPROWLES
	Address	
		HOGANSPROWLES PTY LTD, LEVEL 9 60 PITT STREET SYDNEY NSW 2000 Australia
	Type of Appointment	Appointed Jointly and Severally
Appointee details	Liquidator No.	473873

Person Name

MICHAEL ANDREW HOGAN

Address

HOGANSPROWLES PTY LTD, LEVEL 9 60 PITT STREET SYDNEY NSW 2000 Australia

Type of Appointment

Appointed Jointly and Severally

## **Appointment Details**

Provide the date of appointment.

08-08-2019

Type of administrator

Liquidator of creditors' voluntary liquidation

Method of appointment

other appointment

### **Authentication**

This form has been authenticated by

Name

**CHRISTIAN SPROWLES** 

This form has been submitted by

Name

**Christian SPROWLES** 

Date

08-08-2019

### **Payment**

You need to pay the fee (and any late fees if required) by Bpay or cheque in accordance with the instructions on your invoice

For more help or information

www.asic.gov.au

Ask a question? Telephone

www.asic.gov.au/question 1300 300 630

# Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities

G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809 ("the Company")

This document requires the Practitioners appointed to an insolvent entity to make declarations as to:

- A. their independence generally;
- B. relationships, including
  - i the circumstances of the appointment;
  - ii any relationships with the Company and others within the previous 24 months;
  - iii any prior professional services for the Company within the previous 24 months;
  - iv that there are no other relationships to declare; and
- C. any indemnities given, or up-front payments made, to the Practitioner.

This declaration is made in respect of myself, my partners and HoganSprowles.

### A. Independence

We, Christian Sprowles and Michael Hogan of HoganSprowles have undertaken a proper assessment of the risks to our independence prior to accepting the appointment as Joint & Several Liquidators of G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards. This assessment identified no real or potential risks to our independence. We are not aware of any reasons that would prevent us from accepting this appointment.

### B. Declaration of Relationships

### i Circumstances of appointment

This appointment was referred to Christian Sprowles by John Papadopoulos from Arvanis. The reason we believe this referral does not result in the Liquidation having a conflict of interest or duty are:

- Referral from business advisors including lawyers, accountants, bankers and advisors are common place and do not impact on our independence in carrying out our duties as Liquidators of the Company;
- This is the second insolvency referral from this source, the fees from which are not a significant percentage of our business and accordingly, we are by no means dependent on referrals from this source.

On 30 July 2019, Christian Sprowles and Anny Ngo had a telephone conference with Glenn Kevin Lein to discuss the Company's financial position going forward and the options that are available to the directors of the Company given their concerns of the Company becoming insolvent in the future.

On 6 August 2019, information was provided to Glenn Kevin Lein regarding the steps required to place the Company into a Creditors Voluntary Liquidation.

We did not receive any remuneration for the above.

On 8 August 2019, the members of the Company appointed Christian Sprowles Michael Hogan as Liquidators.

In our opinion these conversations do not affect our independence for the following reasons:

- The ARITA (formerly IPA) Code of Professional Practice and the Courts recognises the need for practitioners to provide advice on the insolvency process and the options available and we do not consider that such advice results in a conflict or is an impediment to accepting the appointment; and
- The nature of the advice provided to the Company is such that it would not be subject to review and challenge during the Administration; and
- The nature of the pre-appointment advice provided to the Company will not influence our ability to fully comply with the statutory and fiduciary obligations associated with the Administration of the Company in an objective and impartial manner.

We have provided no other information or advice to the Company or its Director prior to our appointment beyond that outlined in this DIRRI.

We have never met or had any discussions with the director or shareholders of the Company outside that disclosed in this DIRRI.

### i Relevant Relationships (excluding Professional Services to the Insolvent)

We, nor our firm, have, or have had within the preceding 24 months, any relationships with the Company, an associate of the Company, a former insolvency practitioner appointed to the Company or any person or entity that has security over the whole or substantially the whole of the Company's property.

There are no other prior professional or personal relationships that should be disclosed.

### ii Prior Professional Services to the Insolvent

We, nor our Firm, have provided any professional services to the Company in the previous 24 months.

### iii No other relevant relationships to disclose

There are no other known relevant relationships, including personal, business and professional relationships, from the previous 24 months with the Company, an associate of the Company, a former insolvency practitioner appointed to the Company or any person or entity that has a valid and enforceable security interest on the whole or substantially the whole of the Company's property that should be disclosed.

### C. Indemnities and up-front payments

We have not been indemnified in relation to this liquidation, other than any indemnities that we may be entitled to under statute and we have not received any up-front payments in respect of our remuneration or disbursements.

Dated: 21 August 2019

Christian Sprowles

Joint & Several Liquidator

Michael Hogan

Joint and Several Liquidator

### NOTE:

- 1. If circumstances change, or new information is identified, I am/we are required under the Corporations Act 2001 and the ARITA Code of Professional Practice to update this Declaration and provide a copy to creditors with my/our next communication as well as table a copy of any replacement declaration at the next meeting of the insolvent's creditors.
- Any relationships, indemnities or up-front payments disclosed in the DIRRI must not be such that the Practitioner is no longer independent. The purpose of components B and C of the DIRRI is to disclose relationships that, while they do not result in the Practitioner having a conflict of interest or duty, ensure that creditors are aware of those relationships and understand why the Practitioner nevertheless remains independent.



## Creditor Rights in Liquidations

As a creditor, you have rights to request meetings and information or take certain actions:



### Right to request a meeting

In liquidations, no meetings of creditors are held automatically. However, creditors with claims of a certain value can request in writing that the liquidator hold a meeting of creditors.

A meeting may be requested in the first 20 business days in a creditors' voluntary liquidation by  $\geq 5\%$  of the value of the debts held by known creditors who are not a related entity of the company.

Otherwise, meetings can be requested at any other time or in a court liquidation by:

- > 10% but < 25% of the known value of creditors on the condition that those creditors provide security for the cost of holding the meeting
- ≥ 25% of the known value of creditors
- creditors by resolution, or
- a Committee of Inspection (this is a smaller group of creditors elected by, and to represent, all the creditors).

If a request complies with these requirements and is 'reasonable', the liquidator must hold a meeting of creditors as soon as reasonably practicable.

### Right to request information

Liquidators will communicate important information with creditors as required in a liquidation. In addition to the initial notice, you should receive, at a minimum, a report within the first three months on the likelihood of a dividend being paid.

Additionally, creditors have the right to request information at any time. A liquidator must provide a creditor with the requested information if their request is 'reasonable', the information is relevant to the liquidation, and the provision of the information would not cause the liquidator to breach their duties.

A liquidator must provide this information to a creditor within 5 business days of receiving the request, unless a longer period is agreed. If, due to the nature of the information requested, the liquidator requires more time to comply with the request, they can extend the period by notifying the creditor in writing.

### Requests must be reasonable.

They are not reasonable if:

Both meetings and information:

- (a) complying with the request would prejudice the interests of one or more creditors or a third party
- (b) there is not sufficient available property to comply with the request
- (c) the request is vexatious

Meeting requests only:

 (d) a meeting of creditors dealing with the same matters has been held, or will be held within 15 business days

Information requests only:

- (e) the information requested would be privileged from production in legal proceedings
- (f) disclosure would found an action for breach of confidence
- (g) the information has already been provided
- (h) the information is required to be provided under law within 20 business days of the request

If a request is not reasonable due to (b), (d), (g) or (h) above, the liquidator must comply with the request if the creditor meets the cost of complying with the request.

Otherwise, a liquidator must inform a creditor-if-their meeting-or-information request is not reasonable and the reason why.

Specific queries about the liquidation should be directed to the liquidator's office.



### Right to give directions to liquidator

Creditors, by resolution, may give a liquidator directions in relation to a liquidation. A liquidator must have regard to these directions, but is not required to comply with the directions.

If a liquidator chooses not to comply with a direction given by a resolution of the creditors, they must document their reasons.

An individual creditor cannot provide a direction to a liquidator.

## Right to appoint a reviewing liquidator

Creditors, by resolution, may appoint a reviewing liquidator to review a liquidator's remuneration or a cost or expense incurred in a liquidation. The review is limited to:

- remuneration approved within the six months prior to the appointment of the reviewing liquidator, and
- expenses incurred in the 12 months prior to the appointment of the reviewing liquidator.

The cost of the reviewing liquidator is paid from the assets of the liquidation, in priority to creditor claims.

An individual creditor can appoint a reviewing liquidator with the liquidator's consent, however the cost of this reviewing liquidator must be met personally by the creditor making the appointment.

## Right to replace liquidator

Creditors, by resolution, have the right to remove a liquidator and appoint another registered liquidator.

For this to happen, there are certain requirements that must be complied with:

Meeting request



Information and notice



Resolution at meeting

A meeting must be reasonably requested by the required number of creditors.

Creditors must inform the existing liquidator of the purpose of the request for the meeting.

Creditors must determine who they wish to act as the new liquidator (this person must be a registered liquidator) and obtain:

- Consent to Act, and
- Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities (DIRRI).

The existing liquidator will send a notice of the meeting to all creditors with this information.

If creditors pass a resolution to remove a liquidator, that person ceases to be liquidator once creditors pass a resolution to appoint another registered liquidator.

For more information, go to <a href="www.arita.com.au/creditors">www.arita.com.au/creditors</a>.

Specific queries about the liquidation should be directed to the liquidator's office.

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## G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) Creditors List

Annexure C

NAME	ADDRESS 1	AMOUNT
A and T Kramp		\$11,582.60
Accord Management Enterpise Pty Ltd	Scott Keath Earthmoving	\$11,943.00
Allianz Australia		\$381.00
ASIC		\$263.00
АТО		\$3,392.00
B & C Autos	49 Railway St Narrabri NSW 2390	\$346.50
BOC Limited	Locked Bag 5023 Alexandria NSW 2015	\$72.14
BP Chinderah	•	\$72.83
BP Gatton		\$70.61
BP Grafton		\$81.48
BP Narrabri	65 Cooma Rd Narrabri NSW 2390	\$73.10
BP Tornik		\$63.53
C and W Financial Services	Po Box 201 Moree NSW 2400	\$6,770.00
Caltex Narrabri		\$313.64
Campbells Hire	43 Maitland St Narrabri NSW 2390	\$788.00
CEG Rentals		\$10,849.34
CEG Sales & Service		\$10,301.18
CL Dickinson Auto Electrics		\$2,022.60
Country Electrical		\$5,855.63
Crinitis		\$203.60
David Jones Transport	"Wandi" 56 Genanagie St Narrabri NSW 2390	\$2,469.50
Eg Fuelco		\$44.10
EPA	Po Box A290 Sydney South NSW 1232	\$7,246.06
FJ & SG Browning		\$3,000.00
Fleet Complete	66 Henley Beach Road Mile End SA 5031	\$2,044.35
Gold Coast City Council		\$78.00
H & T Stove		\$500.00
Icare Workers Insurance		\$17,919.97
Kaputar Motors	Lot 5, Caroline Way Narrabri NSW 2390	\$90.00
Lein Contracting	PO Box 87 NARRABRI NSW 2390	\$33,995.90
Lord's Taverners NNSW Inc	Po Box 4133 Goonellabah NSW 2480	\$200.00
Narrabri & District Cricket Association		\$500.00
Narrabri Breakdown Service	Po Box 3048 Narrabri NSW 2390	\$7,568.55
Narrabri Refrigeration & Airconditioning		\$123.75
Noel Burke Motor Repairs	41 Cooma Rd Narrabri NSW 2390	\$3,162.63
Northstar Motors Narrabri		\$3,764.97
Opal		\$35.00
Porter Equipment Australia	Po Box 1002 Archerfield QLD 4108	\$2,614.25
QBE Compulsory Third Party/Workers Compensation	GPO Box 3688 Sydney NSW 2001	\$805.15
Roads & Maritime Services		\$2,074.80
Scorpion Self		\$1,870.00
Sicada Fire & Safety Pty Ltd	Unit 4/50 Borthwick Ave Murarrie QLD 4172	\$1,854.05
Stewart Tyler	143 Barwan St Narrabri NSW 2390	\$1,135.20
Tamworth Regional Airport		\$50.00
Telstra		\$119.95
Turner Signs & Embroidery	Po Box 415 Narrabri NSW 2390	\$2,215.70
Ultra Lubricants		\$895.90

161,823.56 Total

### **INITIAL REMUNERATION NOTICE**

Insolvency Practice Schedule (Corporations) 70-50
Insolvency Practice Rules (Corporation) 70-35

G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809 ("the Company")

The purpose of the Initial Remuneration Notice is to provide you with information about how we propose our remuneration for undertaking the Liquidation will be set.

### 1 Remuneration Methods

There are four basic methods that can be used to calculate the remuneration charged by an insolvency practitioner. They are:

- A. *Time based / hourly rates:* This is the most common method. The total fee charged is based on the hourly rate charged for each person who carried out the work multiplied by the number of hours spent by each person on each of the tasks performed.
- B. **Fixed Fee:** The total fee charged is normally quoted at the commencement of the administration and is the total cost for the administration. Sometimes a practitioner will finalise an administration for a fixed fee.
- C. **Percentage:** The total fee charged is based on a percentage of a particular variable, such as the gross proceeds of assets realisations.
- D. **Contingency:** The practitioner's fee is structured to be contingent on a particular outcome being achieved.

### 2 Method chosen

Given the nature of this liquidation we propose that our remuneration be calculated on a time based/hourly rates basis. The amount of work required and the recoveries from Company assets are at this stage not known to us and accordingly the time based/hourly rates basis best allows us to accurately determine how much work has been completed in the liquidation and remunerate accordingly. We have chosen the time based/hourly rates method because:

- This method is considered to be the most suitable for this appointment as it ensures creditors
  are only charged for work that is performed in the liquidation, which can be difficult to
  accurately estimate at the date of appointment.
- Even later than the date of appointment, it can be difficult to estimate the time that may be required in advance of the substantive work being undertaken. The time-based method in this case again ensures that creditors are only charged for work that is actually performed in the external Liquidation.
- The practitioner is required to perform a number of tasks which do not relate to the realisation of assets, for example, reporting to the Australia Securities and Investments Commission ("ASIC"), undertaking investigations, responding to creditor enquiries and distributing funds to creditors.



- The practitioner has a time recording system that can produce a detailed analysis of the time spent on each type of task by each individual staff member in the liquidation.
- Time based remuneration calculates fees upon a basis of time spent at the level appropriate to the work performed.

### 3 Explanation of Hourly Rates

The rates for our remuneration calculation are set out in the attached table, schedule of hourly rates, together with a general guide showing the qualifications and experience of staff engaged in the administration and the role they take in the administration. The hourly rates charged encompass the total cost of providing professional services and should not be compared to an hourly wage. Time is charged in six-minute increments.

### 4 Estimated remuneration

We have estimated that this liquidation will cost approximately \$35,000 exclusive of GST to completion, subject to the following variables which may have a significant effect on this estimate and that we are unable to determine at this early stage in the Liquidation:

- The time required to obtain the Company books and records from the director and third parties;
- The recovery of the Company's assets (if any);
- Investigations required into the business affairs of the Company and identify any assets or recoveries available to the liquidator; and
- Any matters identified that are required to be reported to statutory authorities, such as ASIC.

The Liquidator's time costs are recoverable only against the asset realisations available.

### 5 Disbursements

Disbursements are divided into three types:

- Externally provided professional services these are recovered at cost. An example of an externally provided professional service disbursement is legal fees.
- Externally provided non-professional costs such as travel, accommodation and search fees these are recovered at cost.
- Internal disbursements such as photocopying, printing and postage. These disbursements, if
  charged to the Administration, would generally be charged at cost; though some expenses
  such as telephone calls, photocopying and printing may be charged at a rate which recoups
  both variable and fixed costs. The recovery of these costs must be on a reasonable
  commercial basis.



We are not required to seek creditor approval for disbursements paid to third parties but must account to creditors. However, we must be satisfied that these disbursements are appropriate, justified and reasonable.

We are required to obtain creditor's consent for the payment of internal disbursements where there may be a profit or advantage. Creditors will be asked to approve our internal disbursements where there is a profit or advantage prior to these disbursements being paid from the liquidation.

Details of the basis of recovering disbursements in this liquidation are provided below.

### Basis of disbursement claim

Disbursements	Rate (Excl GST)
Externally provided professional services	At cost
Externally provided non-professional services	At cost
Internal disbursements	
Advertising	At cost
Search fees	At cost
Courier	At cost
Printing, Faxes & Photocopies	\$0.20 per page
Postage	At cost
Stationary and other incidental disbursements	At cost
Travel - Staff by own vehicle	\$0.68 per km
Travel - other	At cost

Scale applicable for the financial year ending 30 June 2019.

### Queries

Creditors have the right to request and obtain further information from the liquidator.

### Information Sheet

Creditors may access the remuneration information sheet (ASIC Information Sheet 85 – Approving fees: a guide for creditors) at ASIC's website under Regulatory Resources.

http://www.asic.gov.au/regulatory-resources/insolvency/insolvency-for-creditors/approving-fees-aguide-for-creditors/

DATED this 21st day of August 2019

G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation)

Christian Sprowles

Joint & Several Liquidator



## **Schedule Of Hourly Rates**

Title	Description	Hourly rate (Excl. GST) (\$)
Partner	Registered liquidator, Chartered Accountant, degree qualified with more than fifteen years of extensive experience in insolvency, restructuring and business advisory matters. experience. Leads engagements with full accountability for strategy and execution.	560
Director	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than ten years of experience. Extensive experience in managing large, complex engagements at a senior level. Autonomously leads complex insolvency appointments reporting to Partner.	505
Senior Manager	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than seven years of experience. Significant experience across all types of engagements. Self-sufficiently conducts small to medium insolvency appointments.	440
Manager	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than five years of experience. Experience in complex matters, day to day conduct of small to medium engagements. Assists senior staff on complex matters.	395
Supervisor	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than three years of experience. Assists senior staff in planning and conduct of small to large engagements. Supervise a small team and control small engagements.	375
Senior Analyst 1	Generally degree qualified and undertaking Chartered Accountant's qualification. Controls certain tasks on small engagements and assists staff with completing tasks on medium to large engagements.	330
Senior Analyst 2	Experienced graduate controlling certain tasks on small engagements.  Assists senior staff in completing tasks on small to large engagements.	320
Analyst 1	Experienced graduate. Required to assists senior staff in completing tasks on small to large engagements.	275
Analyst 2	Generally a university graduate with appropriate qualifications. Assists with day to day tasks under the supervision of senior staff.	205
Graduate	Generally degree qualified and undertaking or about to undertake Chartered Accountant's qualification with less than one year of experience. Assists with day to day tasks under the supervision of senior staff.	190
Undergraduate	Undertaking relevant degree. Assists with tasks within workstreams and appointments under supervision.	170
Senior Bookkeeper	Experienced bookkeeper with more than 18 months experience. Assist senior staff with accounting functions of engagement.	170
Bookkeeper	Assist senior staff with accounting functions of engagement.	160
PA	Appropriate skills and experience to support professional staff in an administrative capacity.	140
Administration	Appropriate skills and experience to support professional staff in an administrative capacity.	110

### **NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO CREDITORS**

Dated: 21 August 2019 Voting Poll Closes: 20 September 2019

## G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809 ("the Company")

## Proposal No. 1 for creditor approval

"That the future remuneration of the Liquidators from 8 August 2019 to the conclusion
determined at a sum equal to the cost of time spent by the Liquidators, their partners and state
calculated at the hourly rates as detailed in the Liquidator's Remuneration Report dated 21 Augu
2019 such sum to be capped at the amount of \$35,000 exclusive of GST, and that the Liquidato
may draw the remuneration on a monthly basis or as required".

### Vote on the Proposal No. 1

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Please sel position.	ect the ap	propriate Yes, No or Object box referred to below with a 🗹 to indicate your preferred
Yes		I approve the proposal
No		I do not approve the proposal
Object		I object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting of creditors
•		int, your claim against the Company must have been admitted for the purposes of voting eral Liquidators. Please select the option that applies to you:
		I have previously submitted a proof of debt form and supporting documents
		I have <b>enclosed</b> a proof of debt form and supporting documents with this proposal form
		I am <b>not</b> a related creditor of the Company
		I am a related creditor of the Company*
		relationship:
		*eg Director, relative of Director, related company, beneficiary of a related trust.

### Reasons for the proposal and the likely impact it will have on creditors if it is passed

- A Liquidator is entitled to be fairly remunerated for undertaking statutory and other duties, including reporting obligations in acting as a liquidator.
- We are unable to pay our remuneration without the approval of the Committee of Inspection (if one has been appointed), Creditors, or the Court.
- Approval by Creditors is efficient and timely, and is less costly than an application to the Court.
- Approval of our remuneration will allow us to progress further investigations in a timely manner to ensure the prospect of any dividends can be maximised.
- Approval by Creditors, by circulating resolution from the Notice of Proposal to Creditors, is less costly than convening a meeting of creditors to obtain remuneration approval.
- This may negatively impact on creditors, as a formal meeting of creditors may be convened later than it may otherwise be convened, or not convened at all. That said, creditors are welcome to contact the Liquidators staff, by email or telephone, for an update on the liquidation.

Name of creditor / authorised person:		
Address:		
Signature:	Date:	

For your vote to count, you must complete this document and return it together with any supporting documents by no later than close of business on 19 September 2019, by email to Vincent Nguyen at vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au. Should you have any queries in relation to this matter, please contact Vincent Nguyen on (02) 8020 5872.

HoganSprowles Level 9, 60 Pitt Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

### NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO CREDITORS

Dated: 21 August 2019 Voting Poll Closes: 19 September 2019

## G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809 ("the Company")

### Disbursements

Disbursements are divided into three types:

- Externally provided professional services (eg legal fees) these are recovered at cost.
- Externally provided non-professional costs (eg travel, accommodation and search fees) these are also recovered at cost.
- Internal disbursements (eg photocopying, telephone, fax, printing and postage costs) these are generally recovered at cost, however, expenses such as telephone calls, photocopying and printing may be charged at a rate which recoups both variable and fixed costs on a reasonable commercial basis.

We are not required to seek creditor approval for disbursements paid to third parties, however, we are required to account to creditors for such expenses and we must be satisfied that those disbursements are appropriate, justified and reasonable. In respect of Internal disbursements, to the extent that these may be recovered at more than their cost, they may be considered as deriving a profit or advantage and must therefore be approved by creditors, a committee of inspection (if one is appointed), or by the Court prior to them being drawn.

### Declaration

We, Michael Hogan and Christian Sprowles have undertaken a proper assessment of disbursements claimed in the matter of the Company, in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards and we are satisfied that the disbursements claimed are necessary and proper.

It is proposed that future disbursements to be provided by our firm will be charged to the Company on the following basis:

Disbursements	Rate (Excl GST)
Externally provided professional services	At cost
Externally provided non-professional services	At cost
Internal disbursements	
Advertising	At cost
Search fees	At cost
Courier	At cost
Printing, Faxes & Photocopies	\$0.20 per page
Postage	At cost
Stationary and other incidental disburseme	nts At cost
Travel - Staff by own vehicle	\$0.68 per km
Travel - other	At cost

### Proposal No. 2 for creditor approval

### Vote on the Proposal No. 2

Please selec	t the appro	priate Yes, No or Object box referred to below with a 🗹 to indicate your preferred position.
Yes		I approve the proposal
No		I do not approve the proposal
Object		I object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting of creditors
•	-	your claim against the Company must have been admitted for the purposes of voting by the ct the option that applies to you:
		I have previously submitted a proof of debt form and supporting documents
		I have enclosed a proof of debt form and supporting documents with this proposal form
		I am not a related creditor of the Company
		I am a related creditor of the Company*
		relationship:
		*eg Director, relative of Director, related company, beneficiary of a related trust.

### Reasons for the proposal and the likely impact it will have on creditors if it is passed

- A Liquidator is entitled to be fairly remunerated for undertaking statutory and other duties, including reporting obligations in acting as a liquidator.
   We are unable to pay our disbursements without the approval of the Committee of Inspection (if one has been appointed), Creditors, or the Court.
- · Approval by Creditors is efficient and timely, and is less costly than an application to the Court.
- Approval of our disbursements will allow us to progress further investigations in a timely manner to ensure the prospect of any dividends can be maximised.
- This may negatively impact on creditors, as a formal meeting of creditors may be convened later than it may otherwise be convened, or not convened at all. That said, creditors are welcome to contact the Liquidator's staff, by email or telephone, for an update on the liquidation.

Creditor details	
Name of creditor	
Address	
ABN (if applicable)	Contact number
Email address	
Name of creditor / authorised person:	
Signature:	Date:

For your vote to count, you **must complete** this document and return it together with any **supporting documents** by no later than close of business on **19 September 2019**, by email to Vincent Nguyen at vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au. Should you have any queries in relation to this matter, please contact Vincent Nguyen on (02) 8020 5872.

HoganSprowles Level 9, 60 Pitt Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

### FORM 535 CORPORATIONS ACT 2001

ACN 113 359 809 Subregulation 5.6.49(2)

## FORMAL PROOF OF DEBT OR CLAIM (GENERAL FORM)

To the	e Joint & Several Liquidators of G & S	Lein Earthmoving Pt	y Ltd (In Liquidatio	n)	
1.	This is to state that the compan	y was, on 8 August :	2019 <sup>(1)</sup> and still is,	justly and truly indebte	d to <sup>(2)</sup> (full name):
	('Creditor')				
	of (full address)			•••••	
	for \$			dollars and	cents.
Partic	ulars of the debt are:			.,	
Date	Consideration <sup>(3)</sup> state how the debt arose		Amount	\$ GST included \$	Remarks <sup>(4)</sup> Include details of voucher substantiating payment
2.	To my knowledge or belief the satisfaction or security for the sa				der, had or received any manner of
	securities. If any bills or other n		are held, specify t	hem in a schedule in the	
Date	e Drawer		Acceptor	Amount \$ c	Due Date
<u>.</u>					
	l am a related o	ted creditor of the Com	pany <sup>(5)</sup>		
3A. <sup>(6)*</sup>	for the consideration stated and	d that the debt, to t ised to make this sta	he best of my knov etement in writing.	vledge and belief, still re I know that the debt w	as incurred and for the consideration
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### **Proof of Debt Form Directions**

- Strike out whichever is inapplicable.
- (1) Insert date of Court Order in winding up by the Court, or date of resolution to wind up, if a voluntary winding up.
- (2) Insert full name and address (including ABN) of the creditor and, if applicable, the creditor's partners. If prepared by an employee or agent of the creditor, also insert a description of the occupation of the creditor.
- (3) Under "Consideration" state how the debt arose, for example "goods sold and delivered to the company between the dates of ......", "moneys advanced in respect of the Bill of Exchange".
- (4) Under "Remarks" include details of vouchers substantiating payment.
- (5) Related Party / Entity: Director, relative of Director, related company, beneficiary of a related trust.
- (6) If the Creditor is a natural person and this proof is made by the Creditor personally. In other cases, if, for example, you are the director of a corporate Creditor or the solicitor or accountant of the Creditor, you sign this form as the Creditor's authorised agent (delete item 3A). If you are an authorised employee of the Creditor (credit manager etc.), delete item 3B.

### Annexures

- A. If space provided for a particular purpose in a form is insufficient to contain all the required information in relation to a particular item, the information must be set out in an annexure.
- B. An annexure to a form must:
  - (a) have an identifying mark;
  - (b) and be endorsed with the words:
  - i) "This is the annexure of (insert number of pages) pages marked (insert an identifying mark) referred to in the (insert description of form) signed by me/us and dated (insert date of signing); and
  - (c) be signed by each person signing the form to which the document is annexed.
- C. The pages in an annexure must be numbered consecutively.
- D. If a form has a document annexed the following particulars of the annexure must be written on the form:
  - (a) the identifying mark; and
  - (b) the number of pages.
- E. A reference to an annexure includes a document that is with a form.



## Information sheet: Proposals without meetings

You may be a creditor in a liquidation, voluntary administration or deed of company arrangement (collectively referred to as an external administration).

You have been asked by the liquidator, voluntary administrator or deed administrator (collectively referred to as an external administrator) to consider passing a proposal without a meeting.

This information sheet is to assist you with understanding what a proposal without a meeting is and what your rights as a creditor are.

## What is a proposal without a meeting?

Meetings of creditors were previously the only way that external administrators could obtain the views of the body of creditors. However, meetings can be very expensive to hold.

A proposal without a meeting is a cost effective way for the external administrator to obtain the consent of creditors to a particular course of action.

## What types of proposals can be put to creditors?

The external administrator is able to put a range of proposals to creditors by giving notice in writing to the creditors. There is a restriction under the law that each notice can only contain a single proposal. However, the external administrator can send more than one notice at any single time.

## What information must the notice contain?

The notice must:

- include a statement of the reasons for the proposal and the likely impact it will have on creditors if it is passed
- invite the creditor to either:
  - o vote yes or no to the proposal, or
  - o object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting, and
- specify a period of at least 15 business days for replies to be received by the external administrator.

If you wish to vote or object, you will also need to lodge a Proof of Debt (POD) to substantiate your claim in the external administration. The external administrator will provide you with a POD to complete. You should ensure that you also provide documentation to support your claim.

If you have already lodged a POD in this external administration, you do not need to lodge another one.

The external administrator must also provide you with enough information for you to be able to make an informed decision on how to cast your vote on the proposal. With some types of proposals, the law or ARITA's Code of Professional Practice sets requirements for the information that you must be provided.



For example, if the external administrator is asking you to approve remuneration, you will be provided with a Remuneration Approval Report, which will provide you with detailed information about how the external administrator's remuneration for undertaking the external administration has been calculated.

### What are your options if you are asked to vote on a proposal without a meeting?

You can choose to vote yes, no or object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting.

### How is a resolution passed?

A resolution will be passed if more than 50% in number and 50% in value (of those creditors who did vote) voted in favour of the proposal, but only so long as not more than 25% in value objected to the proposal being resolved without a meeting.

## What happens if the proposal doesn't pass?

If the proposal doesn't pass and an objection is not received, the external administrator can choose to amend the proposal and ask creditors to consider it again or the external administrator can choose to hold a meeting of creditors to consider the proposal.

The external administrator may also be able to go to Court to seek approval.

## What happens if I object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting?

If more than 25% in value of creditors responding to the proposal object to the proposal being resolved without a meeting, the proposal will not pass even if the required majority vote yes. The external administrator will also be unable to put the proposal to creditors again without a meeting.

You should be aware that if you choose to object, there will be additional costs associated with convening a meeting of creditors or the external administrator seeking the approval of the Court. This cost will normally be paid from the available assets in the external administration.

This is an important power and you should ensure that it is used appropriately.

## Where can I get more information?

The Australian Restructuring Insolvency and Turnaround Association (ARITA) provides information to assist creditors with understanding external administrations and insolvency.

This information is available from ARITA's website at artia.com.au/creditors.

ASIC also provides information sheets on a range of insolvency topics. These information sheets can be accessed on ASIC's website at asic.gov.au (search for "insolvency information sheets").

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## **Liquidators Remuneration Approval Report**

## G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809 ("the Company")

This remuneration report provides you with the information you need to be able to make an informed decision regarding the approval of our remuneration for undertaking the liquidation G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd.

This report has the following information:

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### What do you need to do next?

You should read this report and the other documentation that we have sent you.

To minimise the costs in the administration and this liquidation, we have elected to seek the approval of creditors for our remuneration and internal disbursements without a meeting. Information about the proposals without a meeting process is included as **Annexure I**.

You can cast your vote by using the included voting form. This form needs to be returned to our office by post, scanned and emailed or faxed. We need to receive your forms by 19 September 2019 for your vote to count. If you choose to post, please allow enough time for your letter to be delivered.

If you have any questions or need any assistance in this matter, please contact Vincent Nguyen of our office on (02) 8020 5872 or via email at <a href="mailto:vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au">vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au</a>.

### Part 1: Declaration

We, Christian Sprowles and Michael Hogan of HoganSprowles, have undertaken a proper assessment of this remuneration claim for our appointment as Joint & Several Liquidator of the Company in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards. We are satisfied that the remuneration claimed is in respect of necessary work, properly performed, or to be properly performed, in the conduct of the liquidation.

## **Part 2: Executive Summary**

The total remuneration for this appointment is estimated to be \$35,000 exclusive of GST. We have not previously sought approval for our remuneration since our appointment.

Remuneration currently claimed is summarised below:

Period	Report Reference	Amount (ex GST)
Future Remuneration claim:		
Liquidation		
Resolution [1]: 8 August 2019 to the conclusion	Part 3	\$35,000
Total – future remuneration		\$35,000

<sup>\*</sup> Approval for the future remuneration sought is based on an estimate of the work necessary to the completion of the liquidation. Should additional work be necessary beyond what is contemplated, further approval may be sought from creditors.

Internal disbursements currently claimed are summarised below:

Period	Report	Amount
	Reference	(ex GST)
Future Internal disbursements approval		
Resolution [2]: 8 August 2019 to the conclusion	Part 4	\$2,000
Total – future disbursements		\$2,000

<sup>\*</sup> Approval for the future internal disbursements sought is based on an estimate of the internal disbursements necessary to the completion of the liquidation. Should additional disbursements be necessary beyond what is contemplated, further approval may be sought from creditors.

Please refer to report section references detailed in the above table for full details of the calculation and composition of the remuneration approval sought.

### Part 3: Remuneration

### 3.1 Remuneration claim resolutions

We will be seeking approval of the following resolutions to approve our remuneration. Details to support these resolutions are included in section 3.2 and in the attached Schedule.

### Resolution [1]: from 8 August 2019 to the conclusion of the liquidation

"That the future remuneration of the Liquidators from 8 August 2019 to the conclusion is determined at a sum equal to the cost of time spent by the Liquidators, their partners and staff, calculated at the hourly rates as detailed in the remuneration report dated 21 August 2019 such sum

to be capped at the amount of \$35,000 exclusive of GST and that the Liquidators may draw the remuneration on a monthly basis or as required."

### 3.2 Details of remuneration

The below table sets out the predicted time charges to each major task area by staff members working on the liquidation for the period between 8 August 2019 to the completion which is the basis of the Resolution 1 claim. More detailed descriptions of the tasks performed within each task area, matching the amounts below, are contained in Schedule A below.

### 3.3 Total remuneration reconciliation

To date, we have not drawn any fees. In preparing this remuneration approval report, we have made our best estimate at what we believe the liquidation will cost to complete and we do not anticipate that we will have to ask creditors to approve any further remuneration. However, should the liquidation not proceed as expected, we will advise creditors and we may seek approval of further remuneration and provide details on why the remuneration has changed. Matters that may affect the progress and the cost of the liquidation, include the task involved in pursuing recoveries.

### Part 4: Disbursements

Details of the type and calculation of disbursements are included in the attached initial remuneration notice. Disbursements are divided into three types:

- Externally provided professional services these are recovered at cost. An example of an externally provided professional service disbursement is legal fees.
- Externally provided non-professional costs these are recovered at cost. Examples of externally provided non-professional costs are travel, accommodation and search fees.
- Internal disbursements such as photocopying, printing and postage. These disbursements, if charged to the Liquidation, would generally be charged at cost; though some expenses such as telephone calls, photocopying and printing may be charged at a rate which recoups both variable and fixed costs. The recovery of these costs must be on a reasonable commercial basis. Details of the basis of recovery of each of these costs is discussed in my initial remuneration notice.

We have undertaken a proper assessment of disbursements claimed for the Company, in accordance with the law and applicable professional standards. We are satisfied that the disbursements claimed are necessary and proper.

Approval of the payment of my internal disbursements at the rates detailed in the attached initial remuneration notice to a capped amount of \$2,000 exclusive of GST is being sought from creditors via a proposal without a meeting.

## Resolution [2]: internal disbursements

"That the future disbursements of the Liquidator from 8 August 2019 to the conclusion is determined at a sum equal to the cost spent by the Liquidators, their partners and staff, calculated at the rates as detailed in the remuneration report dated 21 August 2019 such sum to be capped at

the amount of \$2,000 exclusive of GST, and that the Liquidator may draw the disbursements on a monthly basis or as required."

### Part 5: Likely impact on dividends

The likelihood of a dividend being paid to creditors depends on the outcome of my investigations and any recoveries.

A further notice will be sent to creditors prior to any dividend distribution.

### Part 6: Remuneration Recoverable from External Sources

At this stage the Liquidator has not received, and is not entitled to receive, any funding from external sources in respect of remuneration.

### Part 7: Report on Progress of the Liquidation

Please see the Liquidators' Report to Creditors dated 21 August 2019.

### Part 8: Summary of Receipts and Payments

There have been no receipts or payments to date.

### Part 9: Queries

If you have any queries in relation to the information in this report, please contact Vincent Nguyen on (02) 8020 5872 or via email at vnguyen@hogansprowles.com.au.

You can also access information which may assist you on the following websites:

- · ARITA at www.arita.com.au/creditors; and
- ASIC at www.asic.giv.au (search for "insolvency information sheets").

### Part 10: Approval of remuneration and internal disbursements

At Annexure F to H, we have enclosed the following for your completion by 19 September 2019:

- Voting slip for the Liquidator's remuneration;
- · Voting slip for the Liquidator's disbursements;
- · Proof of debt form.

In our report we are seeking creditors to vote via a proposal without a meeting on the following resolutions:

"That the future remuneration of the Liquidators from 8 August 2019 to the conclusion is determined at a sum equal to the cost of time spent by the Liquidators, their partners and staff, calculated at the hourly rates as detailed in the remuneration report dated 21 August 2019 such sum to be capped at the amount of \$35,000 exclusive of GST and that the Liquidators may draw the remuneration on a monthly basis or as required."

### **AND**

"That the future disbursements of the Liquidator from 8 August 2019 to the conclusion is determined at a sum equal to the cost spent by the Liquidators, their partners and staff, calculated at the rates as detailed in the remuneration report dated 21 August 2019 such sum to be capped at the amount of \$2,000 exclusive of GST, and that the Liquidator may draw the disbursements on a monthly basis or as required."

## Schedule A – Resolution 1 - Calculation of remuneration

G & S Lein Earthmoving Pty Ltd (In Liquidation) A.C.N. 113 359 809

ESTIMATED HOURS FOR THE PERIOD 8 August 2019 TO CONCLUSION OF THE LIQUIDATION CALCULATION OF REMUNERATION

Employee	Position	\$/hour	Total actual	Total (\$)				<u>.</u>		Task Area				
					Assets hrs		Creditors hrs		Employees.hr		Investigation hrs		Administration his	300
Christian Sprowles	Partner	560.0	20.0	11,200	0.5	280	8.5	4,760	0.0	0	5'6	2,320	1.5	840
Michael Hogan	Partner	250.0	5.5	3,080	0.5	280	2.0	1,120	0.0	0	5'7	1,400	0.5	280
Anny Ngo	Senior Manager	440.0	24.0	10,560	1.0	440	12.0	5,280	0.0	0	10.0	4,400	1.0	440
Vincent Nguyen	Graduate	190.0	45.5	8,645	2.0	380	20.0	3,800	0.0	0	20.0	008'8	3.5	99
Natalie Lu	Administrator	110.0	14.0	1,540	0.0	0	1.0	110	0.0	0	2.0	022	11.0	1,210
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GST				3,500										
Total (Incl GST)				38,500										
Average hourly rate				321										

## Schedule B – Resolution 1 - Table of major tasks for remuneration

The below table provides a description of the work which has been undertaken in each major task area during the course of the liquidation.

Task Area	Geneal Description 2004	lincludes
	Leasing	Liaising with owners/lessors
		Reviewing leasing documents
		Tasks associated with disclaiming leases
Assets	Assets subject to specific	All tasks associated with realising a charged
[10.5 hours]	charges	asset
[\$4,465]	Plant and Equipment	Attend site to inspect the asset
		Receive correspondence from purchasers
		Discuss proceedings of sale of assets
		Liaise with valuer and lease parties regarding
		identifying assets
	Dealing with proofs of debt	Receipting and filing POD's when not related
		to a dividend
Creditors		Corresponding with OSR and ATO regarding
[29.5 hours]		POD's when not related to a dividend
[\$10,285]	Creditor Enquiries, Requests	Receive and follow up creditor enquiries via
	& Directions	telephone
		Maintaining creditor enquiry register
		Review and prepare correspondence to
		creditors and their representatives via
		facsimile, email and post
		Documenting
		Considering reasonableness of creditor
		requests
		Obtaining legal advice on requests
		Documenting reasons for complying or not
		complying with requests or directions
	Reports to creditors	Compiling information requested by creditors  Prepare initial report to creditors
	Reports to creditors	Review return of proposals
		Preparation of statutory report
		Treparation of statutory report
	Meeting of Creditors	Preparation of meeting notices, proxies and
		advertisements
		Forward notice of meeting to all known
		creditors
		Preparation of meeting file, including agenda,
		certificate of postage, attendance register, list
		of creditors, reports to creditors,
		advertisement of meeting and draft minutes
		of meeting.
		Preparation and lodgement of minutes of
		meetings with ASIC
		Responding to stakeholder queries and
		questions immediately following meeting

Task Area	General Description	lincludes
	ASIC Reporting	Preparing statutory investigation reports Liaising with ASIC
	Correspondence	With various stakeholders Meeting with Directors and other third parties
Investigation [25 hours] [\$10,150]	Conducting investigation	Collection of company books and records Reviewing company's books and records Review and preparation of company nature and history Conducting and summarising statutory searches Preparation of comparative financial statements Preparation of deficiency statement Review of specific transactions and liaising with directors regarding certain transactions Liaising with directors regarding certain transactions Preparation of investigation file Lodgement of investigation with the ASIC
Administration [17.5 hours]	ASIC Form 524 and other forms	Preparing and lodging ASIC forms including 505, 5602, 5011 etc Correspondence with ASIC regarding statutory forms
[\$3,435]·	Bank account administration	Requesting bank statements Bank account reconciliations Correspondence with bank regarding specific transfers Correspondence with pre-appointment bank regarding closure of account
	ATO and other statutory reporting	Notification of appointment Preparing BAS' Correspondence with ATO regarding lodgements and registration
	Planning / Review Books and records / storage	Discussions regarding status of administration  Dealing with records in storage  Sending job files to storage
	Insurance	Identification of potential issues requiring attention of insurance specialists Correspondence with insurer regarding initial and ongoing insurance requirements Reviewing insurance policies Correspondence with previous brokers
	Document maintenance/file review/checklist	First month, then six monthly administration reviews Filing of documents File reviews Updating checklists



Schedule of rates as @ 1 July 2019

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fille F	vDescription :	Hourly rate (Excl. GST) ::: (\$)
Partner	Registered liquidator, Chartered Accountant, degree qualified with more than fifteen years of extensive experience in insolvency, restructuring and business advisory matters. experience. Leads engagements with full accountability for strategy and execution.	560
Director	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than ten years of experience. Extensive experience in managing large, complex engagements at a senior level. Autonomously leads complex insolvency appointments reporting to Partner.	505
Senior Manager	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than seven years of experience. Significant experience across all types of engagements. Self-sufficiently conducts small to medium insolvency appointments.	440
Manager	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than five years of experience. Experience in complex matters, day to day conduct of small to medium engagements. Assists senior staff on complex matters.	395
Supervisor	Generally Chartered Accountant and degree qualified with more than three years of experience. Assists senior staff in planning and conduct of small to large engagements. Supervise a small team and control small engagements.	375
Senior Analyst 1	Generally degree qualified and undertaking Chartered Accountant's qualification. Controls certain tasks on small engagements and assists staff with completing tasks on medium to large engagements.	330
Senior Analyst 2	Experienced graduate controlling certain tasks on small engagements. Assists senior staff in completing tasks on small to large engagements.	320
Analyst 1	Experienced graduate. Required to assists senior staff in completing tasks on small to large engagements.	275
Analyst 2	Generally a university graduate with appropriate qualifications. Assists with day to day tasks under the supervision of senior staff.	205
Graduate	Generally degree qualified and undertaking or about to undertake Chartered Accountant's qualification with less than one year of experience. Assists with day to day tasks under the supervision of senior staff.	190
Undergraduate	Undertaking relevant degree. Assists with tasks within workstreams and appointments under supervision.	170
Senior Bookkeeper	Experienced bookkeeper with more than 18 months experience. Assist senior staff with accounting functions of engagement.	170
Bookkeeper	Assist senior staff with accounting functions of engagement.	160
PA	Appropriate skills and experience to support professional staff in an administrative capacity.	140
Administration	Appropriate skills and experience to support professional staff in an administrative capacity.	110