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Auckland Steel 2000 Limited (In Liquidation)

Liquidators' Final Report

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1 INTRODUCTION AND APPOINTMENT

Boris van Delden and Peri Micaela Finnigan, Insolvency Practitioners of Auckland, were appointed jointly and severally as liquidators of Auckland Steel 2000 Limited (In Receivership) ("the company") on 7 August 2009 by the High Court at Auckland.

Pursuant to section 257(1)(a)(i) of the Companies Act 1993 ("the Act") the liquidators herewith report to all creditors and shareholders that the liquidation of the company has been completed. This final report should be read in conjunction with the liquidators' previous reports.

2 RESTRICTIONS

Whilst all care and attention has been taken in compiling this report, we do not accept any liability whatsoever to any party as a result of the circulation, publication, reproduction or use of this report.

We reserve the right (but are under no obligation) to review and, if we consider necessary, revise this report in respect of any information existing at the date of this report which becomes known to us after that date.

3 REALISATION OF ASSETS

All assets were under the control of the receivers. The receivers, Crowe Horwath, retired as receivers on 30 November 2017. Their final report is available on the Companies Office website.

4 CREDITORS

4.1 *Preferential Creditors*

As outlined in the receivers' previous six monthly reports, all preferential creditors have been paid in full.

4.2 Unsecured Creditors

As at the date of preparing this report 42 unsecured creditors claim forms have been received totalling \$310,266. As anticipated in the Statement of Affairs, there are no funds available for distribution to the unsecured creditors.

5 INVESTIGATIONS

The liquidators have completed their investigations into the books, records and affairs of the company. There were no matters that came to the knowledge of the liquidators that could eventuate in a benefit to creditors. The director, Timothy Watkins, died in May 2017.

6 COMPLETION OF LIQUIDATION

The liquidation of the company is now complete. A statement of realisations and distributions is not attached as there have been no realisations or distributions during the course of the liquidation. The company is ready to be removed from the New Zealand Register ("the register").

7 REMOVAL OF COMPANY FROM THE REGISTER

The liquidators have given public notice pursuant to Section 320(4) of the Act of the intention to remove the company from the register.

The attention of all creditors or shareholders is drawn to Section 321 of the Act which provides that any person may send to the Registrar of Companies, not later than the date specified in the notice, an objection to the removal on any one or more of the following grounds:

- (a) That the company is still carrying on business or there is other reason for it to continue in existence; or
- (b) That the company is party to legal proceedings; or
- (c) That the company is in receivership, or liquidation, or both; or
- (d) That the person is a creditor, or a shareholder, or a person who has an undischarged claim against the company; or
- (e) That the person believes that there exists, and intends to pursue, a right of action on behalf of the company under Part 9 of the Act; or
- (f) That, for any other reason, it would not be just and equitable to remove the company from the New Zealand register.

Note: Section 321(2) of the Act provides that a claim by a creditor or a shareholder or any other person against a company is not an “undischarged claim” if a receiver or liquidator has notified that person that the company has no surplus assets.

The date by which objections must be lodged with the Registrar is 9 March 2018.

8 PREVIOUS REPORTS

Creditors are advised that all previous reports relating to the conduct of the liquidation are available on the liquidators’ website www.mvp.co.nz.

9 CONTACT DETAILS

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