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## GJ New Zealand Holdings Limited (In Liquidation)

### Liquidators' Seventh Report For the period from 10 August 2022 to 9 February 2023

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#### 1 INTRODUCTION AND APPOINTMENT

Peri Micaela Finnigan and Boris van Delden, Licensed Insolvency Practitioners, of Auckland, were appointed jointly and severally as liquidators of GJ New Zealand Holdings Limited (“the company”) on 10 February 2020. Peri Micaela Finnigan resigned from her position as liquidator on 25 June 2022 appointing Colin Sanderson, licensed insolvency practitioner (IP89), as her successor.

Pursuant to Section 255(2)(d) of the Companies Act 1993 (“the Act”), the liquidators herewith report on the progress of the liquidation. This report should be read in conjunction with the liquidators’ previous reports. This report is being sent to all shareholders and all creditors who have filed a claim in the liquidation.

A Statement of Realisations and Distributions is not **attached** as there have been no realisations in the liquidation.

#### 2 RESTRICTIONS

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#### 3 CONDUCT OF THE LIQUIDATION DURING THE PRECEDING SIX MONTHS

There were no assets available to the liquidators at the date of liquidation.

#### **4 INVESTIGATIONS**

The liquidators are continuing their investigations into the books, records, and affairs of the company. The matters being investigated include the sale of the Gloria Jean Coffee outlets master franchise and the use of the funds received from the sale.

#### **5 CREDITORS' CLAIMS**

##### **5.1 Secured Creditors**

There have been no secured claims received in the liquidation.

##### **5.2 Preferential Creditors**

The Inland Revenue Department has submitted a preferential claim for \$22,743.11. No dividend has been paid to preferential creditors at the date of this report.

##### **5.3 Unsecured Creditors**

Two unsecured claims were received. Following a review of one of the claims, the liquidators rejected that claim in full. There remains one unsecured claim for \$4,266.

#### **6 FUNDS / LIKELY OUTCOME**

It is too early to determine whether or not there will be a distribution to unsecured creditors.

#### **7 MATTERS DELAYING THE COMPLETION OF THE LIQUIDATION**

The following matters are outstanding:

- Complete the investigation of the company's books records and affairs

#### **8 ESTIMATED DATE OF COMPLETION**

Based on the information contained in this report the liquidators presently propose to complete all outstanding matters with a view to retiring as liquidators within the next six months.

## 9 CONTACT DETAILS

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DATED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February 2023