

## **McGrathNicol**

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QUANTUM EDUCATION GROUP ES LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION) ("THE COMPANY")

LIQUIDATORS' FIRST REPORT (PURSUANT TO SECTION 255 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1993);

**COMPANY NUMBER: 1142536** 

#### 1. **Background**

William Guy Black and Conor John McElhinney of McGrathNicol New Zealand were appointed jointly and severally as Administrators of the Company on 1 June 2017 by a resolution of the Company's Directors, pursuant to Part 15A of the Companies Act 1993.

The Company is part of a group of seven companies which were all placed into Administration on 1 June 2017 ("the Group").

#### 2. Watershed Meeting

At the Watershed Meeting held on 1 September 2017 the creditors resolved that the Company be placed into liquidation. Conor McElhinney and William Black ("Liquidators") were appointed joint and several liquidators in accordance with section 241(2)(d) of the Companies Act 1993.

#### 3. Disclaimer

The purpose of this report is to report to the creditors and shareholders in accordance with Section 255 of the Companies Act 1993.

This report has been prepared based on the information known to the Liquidators as at the date of this report. We reserve the right (but will be under no obligation) to review this report and if we consider it necessary to revise the report in the light of any information existing at the date of this report which becomes known to us after that date. We have not independently verified the accuracy of information provided to us, nor have we conducted an audit in respect of the Company. We express no opinion on the reliability, accuracy, or completeness of information provided to us and upon which we have relied.

The Liquidators do not accept responsibility or liability for any losses occasioned to any party as a result of the circulation, publication, reproduction, or use of this report.

#### 4. Statement of Affairs

We attach a Summary Balance Sheet as at 31 May 2017. This has been prepared from information provided by the Directors of the Company to the Administrators. The Company is a non trading subsidiary of the Group. Creditors should also refer to the Liquidators' report for Intueri Education Group Limited (In Liquidation).

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### 5. List of Creditors

A list of all known creditors has been compiled by the Liquidators based on the Company information available to us. It is as follows:

ANZ Bank New Zealand Limited, 23-29 Albert Street, Auckland 1010.

## 6. Proposals for conducting the liquidation

The Liquidators will be attending to the following matters during the course of the liquidation:

- Review, determination and admittance of creditors' claims.
- Consideration of the prospects for recoveries for creditors from various sources, including voidable transactions and potential legal actions, to the extent that funding is available for the necessary investigations. The Liquidators have conducted initial investigations (as the previously appointed Administrators) and consider that there may be valid claims to pursue. Should creditors have any information on any matter that they feel warrants investigation, please advise the Liquidators in writing.
- Payment of any proceeds to creditors in the statutory order as prescribed by the Companies Act 1993

## 7. Estimated date of completion of liquidation

It is not practicable to estimate the date of the completion of the liquidation at this stage.

## 8. Liquidation committee

In accordance with section 314 of the Companies Act 1993 a creditor or shareholder may request the Liquidators to call a meeting of creditors or shareholders at any time in the course of the liquidation to vote on a proposal that a Liquidation Committee be appointed to act with the Liquidators. This request must be in writing.

## 9. Creditors claims

## Personal Property Securities Act / Reservation of Title

Should any creditor believe that they have registered a Purchase Money Security Interest (PMSI) on the Personal Property Securities Register (PPSR) over any goods, or proceeds from realisation for goods, they should contact this office immediately.

If any creditor believes that they have a Retention of Title over goods and they have not registered their interest on the Personal Property Securities Register, they should also contact this office immediately. Suppliers of consignment or sale or return stock should also contact this office immediately.

## Creditors claim forms

Enclosed is a notice to creditors stating that **30 October 2017** is the final day for filing a claim with the Liquidators. **Also enclosed is a claim form for completion by unsecured creditors.** Should you consider you are a secured creditor of the company would you please contact the Liquidators and they will supply to you a secured creditor's valuation and claim form.

Completion of your claim should be given your urgent attention. If creditors do not lodge a claim with the Liquidators, they are not entitled to share in any distribution to creditors that may be made by the Liquidators.

## 10. Further information

Should you have any information that you believe would lead to realisations for the benefit of creditors, please set it out in writing, attaching copies of all documentary evidence, and send it to the Liquidators. Please note that the Liquidators can only act on written information as telephone, or other, conversations will be regarded as hearsay by the Court.

## 14. Prospect of a dividend

Any distribution to unsecured creditors or shareholders will be dependent on the success of any legal actions commenced by the Liquidators, which firstly would need to be sufficient to repay the shortfall to the secured creditor.

## 15. Contact details

The Liquidators can be contacted at McGrathNicol, Level 17, 34 Shortland Street, Auckland, (PO Box 106-733, Auckland 1143). Telephone enquiries should be directed to David Walker on (09) 926 5112.

Dated this 8th day of September 2017

Conor McElhinney

Liquidator

Quantum Education Group ES Ltd - Balance sheet	
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Cash and cash equivalents	-
Trade and other receivables	-
Current tax receivables	0
Other current assets	=
Current assets	0
Property, plant and equipment	-
Non-current assets	-
Trade and other payables	2,302
Current tax liabilities	0
Other payables	(0)
Current liabilities	2,302
Deferred consideration payable	:7/
Non-current liabilities	-
Net assets	2,302
Share capital	<b>*</b>
Retained earnings	2,302
Equity	2,302

## Disclaimer of liability

The above Balance Sheet extract represents the Directors' statement of the Company's position as at 31 May 2017. This information has not been verified by the Liquidators. The Liquidators have not carried out an audit of the information supplied and do not accept any responsibility for the accuracy of the information from which the Balance Sheet extract has been prepared.

# IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1993 AND

# IN THE MATTER OF QUANTUM EDUCATION GROUP ES LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION)

## **Notice to Creditors to Claim**

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, the liquidator of the above-named company which is being liquidated, does hereby fix the 30 October 2017 as the day on or before which the creditors of the company are to make their claims, and to establish any priority their claims may have under section 312 of the Companies Act 1993, or to be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before their claims are made or excluded from objecting to any distribution made before the priority of their claim is established.

Dated this 1st day of September 2017

Conor McElhinney

Liquidator

Address of Liquidator:

c/- McGrathNicol Level 17 34 Shortland Street AUCKLAND 1

## Form 1

# **UNSECURED CREDITOR'S CLAIM**

Section 304(1) Companies Act 1993

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# **PARTICULARS OF CLAIM**

Where the claim includes goods supplied by the creditor to the company under a Retention of the Title clause, please give full details including a description of the goods and their value.

If the creditor owes money to the company, please give full details.

Date	Details of Claim and Identification of Documents that Evidence or Substantiate the Claim	Amount \$			
If applicable, please record here your GST Registration number:					
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