

J D Gawith Construction Limited (In Liquidation) ("the Company")

Liquidator's First Report to Creditors and Shareholders

14 February 2022

Disclaimer

This report is prepared in accordance with section 255 of the Companies Act 1993 and is intended only for the Company's creditors and shareholders for the purposes of reporting on the Company's statement of affairs and the conduct of the liquidation. This report is based upon information available to the Liquidator as at the date of the report. I take no responsibility for any misinformation contained in the report that has been obtained from the Company, its officers or any other persons. This report is not to be reproduced, circulated or used for any other purpose without the Liquidator prior consent and the Liquidator, their firm and its employees accept no responsibility or liability to any party for loss or damaged caused from any use of or reliance on this report.



Appointment

Thomas Lee Rodewald, a Licensed Insolvency Practitioner was appointed as Liquidator of the above-named Company by special resolution of the shareholder on 4 February 2022 at 5:40 PM, pursuant to section 214(2)(a) of the Companies Act 1993 ("the Act").

The Liquidator has made the appropriate enquiries and is of the opinion that he is not barred from acting under section 280 of the Act. A notice is provided in **Appendix Three** regarding the licensing of insolvency practitioners.

The Liquidator has been appointed by the shareholders of the Company.

Company Information

The following information has been obtained from the Companies Office as at the time of the appointment:

Date of Incorporation	26 January 2017
Company Registration Number	6219427
Company NZBN	9429045926181
Registered Office	111 b Smith Street, Woolston, Christchurch 8062
Trading Address	Unit 2/20 Packhouse Road, Wigram, Christchurch
Type of Business	E301120 Building, house construction
Date Trading Ceased	4 February 2022

Shareholders

Name	Shareholding
Jordan Gawith	100

Directors

Name	Address
Jordan Gawith	33 Dalkeith Street, Hoon Hay, Christchurch

Commentary

The Company traded from 26 January 2017 in building, house construction and renovation. The Liquidator has been advised that the reason for the failure of the Company which led to the appointment of the Liquidator is due to Covid and lack of profitability.

To date, the Liquidator has advised the Company's officers and professional advisors pursuant to section 261 of the Act requesting the delivery of the Company's books, records and legal files. The Liquidator has also frozen the Company's bank account and has issued notices to the secured creditors asking for details of their debt and securities.

Statement of the Company's Affairs

A statement of the Company's estimated financial position as at the date of liquidation is provided in **Appendix One**. This statement has been prepared based on information obtained from the Company, its officers and creditors. The information has yet to be verified for validity and may be subject to change.

Proposals for Conducting the Liquidation

The Liquidator will take steps to realise the assets of the Company and continue their investigations into the affairs of the Company to determine if there are any insolvent transactions and/or breaches of any relevant legislation by the Company or its officers. It is too early to comment on any recoveries and the likelihood of a distribution at this stage. However, if it is determined that there are sufficient funds to make a distribution to creditors, the Liquidator will contact

the creditors if they have not already provided their claim forms along with any applicable documentation in line with AML/CFT laws. Any distributions will be made in accordance with Schedule 7 of the Act.

Assets

The Liquidator has been advised that the Company had the following assets as at the date of the liquidation:

- Cash at the bank
- Various items of plant and equipment
- Overdrawn shareholder current account
- Related party loan

It is too early to determine the realisable value of these assets and/or any potential claims available to the Liquidator. The Liquidator is also investigating whether there are any other assets and/or potential claims which may give rise to additional recoveries for the benefit of creditors.

Creditor Claims

In accordance with section 255(2)(c) of the Act, a schedule of all known creditors of the Company as at the date of this report is provided in Appendix Two. Please note the director has failed to provide a complete list of creditors. The list provided in Appendix 2 has been prepared based on enquiries received to date, information provided via the Company accountants and a review of recent bank transactions.

Secured Creditor Claims

A search of the Personal Properties Securities Register disclosed Nil security interests registered against the Company.

Preferential Creditor Claims

The Liquidator is currently determining if there are any unpaid wages, holiday pay and/or redundancy pay to former employees and has received a claim from Inland Revenue in regards preferential liabilities of \$19,007.05.

Unsecured Creditor Claims

If you are an unsecured creditor and has not already done so, please complete and return the Unsecured Creditor's Claim Form by no later than 4 April 2021.

Legal Proceedings

The Liquidator is not aware of any current or pending proceedings that the Company is a party to as at the date of this report. Should the Liquidator become aware of any proceedings, details of these will be provided in future reports.

Meeting of Creditors

A notice of dispensing with the meeting of creditors is provided in Appendix Three.

Estimated Completion Date

It is not practicable to estimate the date of completion of the liquidation or if there will be any distribution at this stage. However, if you are a creditor or shareholder and wish to assist the Liquidator by providing funding for recovery action or by providing additional information that would assist the liquidation, please contact the Liquidator as soon as possible. The Liquidator request that the information be provided in writing along with copies of supporting documentation.

Statutory Reporting

Further reports will be issued every 6 months and a final report will be issued at the conclusion of the liquidation pursuant to section 257 of the Act.

Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities

Pursuant to section 255A of the Act and the RITANZ Code of Professional Conduct, a declaration of independence, relevant relationships and indemnities is provided in Appendix Four.

Contact Information

If you require any further information or has information that can assist the Liquidator, please contact:

Contact	Tom Rodewald
Email	tomr@rodewaldconsulting.co.nz
Phone Number	021 227 7408
Postal Address	PO Box 15543, Tauranga 3144

Thomas Lee Rodewald

Liquidator

(Registration Number: IP49)

Dated 14th February 2022

Appendix One

Statement of Company's Affairs

J D Gawith Construction Limited (In Liquid	dation)	
Statement of Affairs as at 4 February 2022		
	Note	Book Value
Assets		
Cash	1	7,308.34
Plant and Equipment	2	Not disclosed
Shareholder Current Account	3	Not disclosed
Related Party Loan	4	13,770.00
Total Assets		Not disclosed
Liabilities		
Preferential Creditors		
Employees	5	Not disclosed
Inland Revenue		19,007.05
Total Preferential		Not disclosed
Unsecured Creditors		
Inland Revenue (includes penalties, interest)		25,097.82
Trade Creditors	6	Not disclosed
Total Unsecured Creditors		Not disclosed
Estimated Deficit (before costs of liquidation)		Unknown

All figures are in NZD and include GST where applicable.

Notes to Statement of Company's Affairs

- 1. As at 4 February \$7,308.34 was in the bank however in the holiday period \$was paid to unsecured creditors in the period 5 to 8 February 2022 to date the liquidator has received \$2,019.03 from the bank. Creditors who have received payment post-liquidation as been asked for refunds.
- 2. Not disclosed whilst sales process is in progress
- 3. The final calculation of the overdrawn current account has yet to be made. As at 31 March 2021 approximately \$29,000 was owing.
- 4. Draft financial statements record a debt owing by a family member this is disputed.
- 5. We have yet to establish if any liability exists to former staff.
- 6. The director has failed to provide a full list of creditors.

Disclaimer

This disclaimer should be read in conjunction with the disclaimer earlier in this report. The purpose of the report is to give creditors of the Company an indication of the financial position of the Company as at the date of appointment of the Liquidator in accordance with section 255 of the Companies Act 1993. A compilation is limited to the collection, classification and summarisation of the books and records of the company together with information supplied by the Directors. A compilation does not involve the verification of that information. Rodewald Consulting has not audited the information obtained and they do not accept any liability to any party relying on the information presented in the Statement of Affairs. Further, the Statement of affairs has been prepared for the purpose of the liquidation only, and I do not accept any responsibility on any ground whatsoever, including liability in negligence, to any other person.

Appendix Two

Schedule of Company Creditors

Creditor Name	Creditor Address
ACC	PO Box 242, Wellington
BDH Roofs Limited	Unit D 33 Foremans Road, Hornby, Christchurch
Carter Imports Limited	6 Belgrave Close, Halswell, Christchurch
Cherie Duane	Not disclosed
Inland Revenue Department	PO Box 39010, Wellington Mail Centre, Lower Hutt
Lesley Chalmers	Not disclosed
New Zealand Debt Collections Limited	PO Box 16067, Hornby, Christchurch 8441
Porteous and Sons	Bevan_porteous@hotmail.com
Professional Placing and Driveways Limited	2/3 Hororata Road, Hororata, Canterbury
Thrive Business Accountants	40 Rawson Street, New Brighton, Christchurch

Appendix Three

Notice to Creditors and Shareholders

Thomas Lee Rodewald, a Licensed Insolvency Practitioner was appointed as Liquidator of the Company on 4 February 2022 at 5:40 PM pursuant to section 214(2)(a) of the Companies Act 1993 ("the Act").

Notice of Liquidator to Dispense with Meeting of Creditors Pursuant to section 245 of the Act

The Liquidator proposes to dispense with the meeting of creditors pursuant to section 245 of the Act. This decision has been made on the basis that it would add unnecessary costs to the liquidation, and they are unaware of any other issues that require consideration by the creditors.

Therefore, no meeting of creditors will be called unless the Liquidator receive notice in writing from a creditor within 10 working days of their receipt of this notice.

Meetings of Creditors or Shareholders Pursuant to section 314 of the Act

Section 314 of the Act permits any creditor or shareholder of the Company to request the Liquidator, in writing (at any time during the course of the liquidation), to call a meeting of creditors or shareholders for the purpose of:

- · Voting on a proposal that a liquidation committee be appointed to act with the Liquidator; and
- To choose the members of the committee.

Should any creditor wish to give notice they require a meeting of creditors to be called they are requested to provide the following information in their notice:

- The nature of the business they require to be transacted at any such meeting; and
- The text of any motion they require to be put to any such meeting.

Please note that the Liquidator may decline a request for a creditors meeting pursuant to section 314(2) of the Act on the grounds that:

- a) the request is frivolous or vexatious; or
- b) the request was not made in good faith; or
- c) except where a creditor or shareholder agrees to meet the costs, the costs of calling a meeting would be out of all proportion to the value of the company's assets".

Notice to Creditors to Claim

Pursuant to Liquidation Regulation 12 of the Act

Notice is hereby given that the Liquidator fixes 4 April 2021, as they day on or before which the creditors of the Company are to make their claims and to establish any priority their claims may has, under section 312 of the Act, or to be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before the debts are claimed or, as they case may be, from objecting to the distribution.

Notice to Creditors and Shareholders Pursuant to section 255 (2)(c)(ii)(d) of the Act

Notice is hereby given that as of 1 September 2020, Insolvency Practitioners are required to be licensed; and that more information about regulation of insolvency practitioners is available from the Registrar of companies.

Dated 14th February 2022

Thomas Lee Rodewald

Liquidator

(Registration Number: IP49)

Appendix Four

Declaration of Independence, Relevant Relationships and Indemnities

Pursuant to section 255A of the Companies Act 1993 ("the Act")

Company: J D Gawith Construction Limited (In Liquidation) (6219427) (the "Company")

I, Thomas Lee Rodewald, a Licensed Insolvency Practitioner declare:

Declaration of Independence

I has undertaken a proper assessment of the risks to my independence prior to accepting the appointment as Liquidator of the Company in accordance with the Act, RITANZ Code of Conduct and applicable professional standards. This assessment identified no real or perceived conflicts to my independence. I am not otherwise aware of any impediments to us being appointed as Liquidator I has undertaken a proper assessment of the risks to my independence prior to accepting the appointment as Liquidator of the Company in accordance with the Act, RITANZ Code of Conduct and applicable professional standards. This assessment identified real or perceived conflicts to my independence and I have taken such action as is necessary to preserve my independence. I am not otherwise aware of any impediments to us being appointed as Liquidator.

Declaration of Relationships

Circumstances of Appointment

This appointment was received via our website Liquidations Online. I had a pre-appointment phone call to discuss the liquidation process. This phone call does not result in a conflict of interest or impediment to be appointed as Liquidator.

Relevant Relationships

Other than disclosed herein, none of the Liquidator, nor members of his firm, has had within the preceding 24 months, any relationships with the Company.

Prior Professional Services

None of the Liquidator, nor members of his firm, has within the preceding 24 months, provided any professional services to the Company.

Other Relevant Relationships to Disclose

I have no other relevant relationships, including personal, business, and professional relationships, over the previous 24 months with the Company, an associate of the Company (excluding relatives, except where the relative has a business relationship with the Company), or any person or entity that has a charge over the whole or substantially whole of the Company's property that should be disclosed.

Declaration of Indemnities and Up-front Payments

I have been provided with the no indemnities and/or upfront payments for remuneration:

Dated 14th February 2022

Thomas Lee Rodewald

Liquidator

Note:

- 1. If circumstances change, or new information is identified, the Practitioners must update this DIRRI and provide a copy to creditors with my next communication as III as table a copy of any replacement declaration at the next meeting of the Company's creditors.
- 2. 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 Declaration of Relationships and Declaration of Indemnities and Up-front Payments 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 dependent.

CREDITORS CLAIM FORM

(Also for use by Preferential Creditors) Section 304 (1) Companies Act 1993

		Companies Act 1775		
Name and postal address or	f creditor in full	administering the liquidati	follected is for the purpose of ion in accordance with the	
		Companies Act 1993. The information will be us	ed and retained by Rodewald	
		with your authorization or in	e released to other parties only compliance with the Privacy Act	
		1993. Under section 304(1) of the C	ompanies Act 1993 any claim by	
			t a company in liquidation must	
Telephone number:		(a) Contain full particulars (
My reference is:		the claim. You may have access to, and request correction of any		
		personal information.		
E-mail address:			is not an individual within the	
 I consent to receiving fut company by email 	ure information about the	meaning of the Privacy Act 19	993.)	
	J D Gawith Construction	Limited (In Liquidation	on)	
I		(If claim is made	e on behalf of creditor, specify	
	nd authority) claim that the compan the sum of [amount in words and fig		into liquidation indebted to the	
above named creditor for t	ine sum of famount in words and righ	uresj.	\$	
STATUS OF CLAIM:			TICK	
 I am an unsecured of I am surrendering the 	creditor he security I hold and I am claiming	as an unsecured creditor		
	erential claim (refer details of rever			
4. I am claiming reservation of title rights pursuant to rights held by me (Refer details on reverse)				
	im are set out, and any supporting use include copies of all unpaid inv		the claim are identified on the	
,	se include copies of all unpaid inv	oices)		
Signed:		Date:		
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	it to be false or misleading; or			
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(Date Stamp)	Claim admitted for voti	ng purposes: Signed:	Date:	
	Claim rejected for votir	ng purposes: Signed:	Date:	
	Claim rejected for payn	nent: Signed:	Date:	
	Preferential claim for: \$	Ordinary Claim for: \$	Deferred Claim for: \$	
	Signed			
	Liquidator:	Liquidator: Dated:		
Note: If the decision to admit or reject a claim is amended, regulation 8 of the Companies Act 1993 Liquidation Regulations 1994 requires that it be recorded in writing.				

Please return this form to:
Rodewald Consulting Ltd, PO Box 15543, Tauranga 3144
carolc@rodewaldconsulting.co.nz



PARTICULARS OF CLAIM

Date	Substantiate the Claim (i.e., unpaid invoices)	Amount \$
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	RETENTION OF TITLE CLAIMANTS ONLY	
	Please provide details of the basis of your retention of title claim and furnish a copy of the documentation showing that such reservation of	
	title clause is a condition of contract.	
		Yes/No
		\$
	PREFERENTIAL CLAIMANTS ONLY 1. Are you claiming the full amount of your claim as preferential?	
	 If no, what part of the claim is preferential? Why do you believe you are a preferential creditor? 	
	(E.g. employee, GST etc)	
	4. Details of your claim	
If applicable, please reco	ord your GST registration number:	
Total GST included in you	ur claim \$	•••