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| Company name in full | Blockhouse Hotels Ltd  | bold black capitals.                                       |
| ,                    |                        |  |
| .2                   | Liquidator's name      |  |
| Full forename(s)     | Nedim                  | ;  |
| Surname              | Ailyan                 |  |
| 3                    | Liquidator's address   |  |
| Building name/number | 142-148 Main Road      |  |
| Street               | Sidcup                 |  |
|                      |                        |  |
| Post town            | Kent                   |  |
| County/Region        |                        |  |
| Postcode             | D A 1 4 6 N Z          |  |
| Country              |                        |  |
| 4                    | Liquidator's name •    |  |
| Full forename(s)     |                        | Other liquidator Use this section to tell us about         |
| Surname              |                        | another liquidator.  |
| 5                    | Liquidator's address ❷ |  |
| Building name/number |                        | Other liquidator   |
| Street               |                        | Use this section to tell us about<br>another liquidator.   |
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|                        | ☑ The progress report is attached |
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| Liquidator's signature |                                   |
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| Signature date         | 2 3 0 2 70 2 72                   |

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The company name and number match the information held on the public Register.
 You have attached the required documents.

☐ You have signed the form.

following:

#### Important information

All information on this form will appear on the public record.

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# Blockhouse Hotels Ltd t/a Clarendon Royal Hotel (In Liquidation) ("THE COMPANY")

The Liquidator's Progress Report for the period 06/02/21-05/02/22 pursuant to section 104A of the Insolvency Act 1986

31 March 2022

# Contents and abbreviations



| Section  | Content   | The following abbreviations may be used in this report: |   |  |
|----------|---|---|---|--|
| 1.       | Progress of the liquidation   | FRP   | FRP Advisory Trading Limited                        |  |
| 2.       | Estimated outcome for the creditors   | The Company   | Blockhouse Hotels Ltd t/a Clarendon Royal Hotel (In |  |
| 3.       | Liquidator's remuneration, disbursements and expenses   |   | Liquidation)  |  |
|          |   | The Liquidators   | Nedim Ailyan of FRP Advisory Trading Limited        |  |
| Appendix | Content   | The Period  | The reporting period 06/02/21 - 05/02/22            |  |
| A.       | Statutory information about the Company and the liquidation                                   | CVL   | Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation                    |  |
|          | Liquidator's Receipts & Payments Account for the both the Period                              | SIP   | Statement of Insolvency Practice                    |  |
|          | and cumulatively  | QFCH  | Qualifying floating charge holder                   |  |
| C.       | A schedule of work  | HMRC  | HM Revenue & Customs                                |  |
| D        | Details of the Liquidator's time costs and disbursements for both the Period and cumulatively | ESoA  | Directors' Estimated Statement of Affairs           |  |
| E.       | Statement of expenses incurred in the Period  |   |   |  |

#### 1. Progress of the liquidation



#### Work undertaken during the Period and work yet to be completed

I attach at  $\mbox{\bf Appendix }\mbox{\bf C}$  a schedule of work undertaken during the Period together with a summary of work still to be completed.

According to the ESoA there were no assets and to date no assets have been realised.

 $\boldsymbol{I}$  can confirm that no work has been subcontracted to third parties, in the period covered by this report.

#### Receipts and payments account

Attached at **Appendix B** is a receipts and payments account detailing both transactions for the Period and also cumulatively since my appointment as Liquidator.

Payments made from the estate are fair and reasonable and proportionate to the insolvency appointment and are directly attributable to this insolvency. No payments have been made to associates of the Liquidator.

#### **Investigations**

Part of my duties include carrying out proportionate investigations into what assets the Company has, including any potential claims that could be brought by the Company or by me in my capacity as Liquidator against any party which could result in a benefit to the estate. I have reviewed the Company's books and records and accounting information, requested further information from the directors, and invited creditors to provide information on any concerns they have concerning the way in which the Company's business has been conducted.

Further details of the conduct of my investigations are set out in the schedule of work attached. I can confirm that my review is currently ongoing.

#### 2. Estimated outcome for the creditors



The estimated outcome for creditors was included in correspondence previously circulated by us.

#### **Outcome for secured creditors**

There are no secured creditors in this matter.

#### **Preferential Creditors**

The following preferential creditors' claims have been received.

| Employees                       | £9,572.88 |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| The Redundancy Payments Service | £Nil      |
| Pension scheme                  | £1,097.26 |

It is anticipated that the employees claims will have been paid in full or in part by the Redundancy Payments Service, however to date I have yet received a claim in this regard.

Based on current information there will not be sufficient funds available to pay a distribution to preferential creditors.

#### **Unsecured creditors**

I have received claims totalling £135,542.33 from unsecured creditors in these proceedings.

There will not be sufficient funds available to pay a distribution to unsecured creditors.

#### **The Prescribed Part**

In accordance with the Insolvency Act 1986, the prescribed part is an element of net realisations due to the floating charge holder which is made available for unsecured creditors (subject to the floating charge post-dating 15 September 2003).

As there is no floating charge the prescribed part does not apply in this instance.

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#### 3. Liquidator's remuneration, disbursements and expenses



#### Liquidator's remuneration

As advised in previous correspondence the creditors have not passed a resolution for the basis of the Liquidator's remuneration. To date no fees have been drawn.

A breakdown of our firm's time costs incurred during both the Period and to date is attached at  ${\bf Appendix}~{\bf D.}$ 

Due to the uncertainty of any anticipated realisations  $\boldsymbol{I}$  have not sought a resolution in this regard.

The Liquidator is unable to draw fees without approval of the creditors.

It is anticipated based on the level of assets identified to date in this matter that these costs will not be recovered.

#### Liquidator's disbursements and expenses

The Liquidator's disbursements are a recharge of actual costs incurred by them in dealing with this matter. Mileage payments made for expenses relating to the use of private vehicles for business travel, which is directly attributable to the insolvency estate, are paid by FRP Advisory Trading Limited at the HMRC approved mileage rate prevailing at the time the mileage was incurred. Details of disbursements incurred during the Period are set out in **Appendix D**.

#### **Expenses of the liquidation**

I attach at  $\mbox{\bf Appendix}~\mbox{\bf E}$  a statement of expenses that have been incurred during the Period.

I confirm that no third parties have been instructed during the period.

Creditors have a right to request further information from the Liquidators and further have a right to challenge the Liquidator's remuneration and other expenses, which are first disclosed in this report, under the Insolvency (England and Wales) Rules. (For ease of reference these are the expenses incurred in the Period as set out in **Appendix E** only).

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Further details of these rights can be found in the Creditors' Guide to Fees which you can access using the following link <a href="https://creditors.frpadvisory.com/info.aspx">https://creditors.frpadvisory.com/info.aspx</a> and select the one for liquidation. Alternatively, a hard copy of the relevant guide will be sent to you on request. Please note there is a time limit for requesting information being 21 days following the receipt of this progress report. There is a time limit of 8 weeks following the receipt of this report for a Court application that the remuneration or expenses are excessive.

#### Appendix A

Statutory information about the Company and the liquidation

#### BLOCKHOUSE HOTELS LTD T/A CLARENDON ROYAL HOTEL (IN LIQUIDATION)

#### **COMPANY INFORMATION:**

Other trading names:

Clarendon Royal Hotel

Date of incorporation:

04/02/2014

Company number:

08875458

Registered office:

Centre Block, 4th Floor, Central Court, Knoll Rise,

Orpington BR6 0JA

Previous registered office:

117 Dartford Road, Dartford DA1 3EN

Business address:

The Clareondon Royal Hotel, Royal Pier Road, Gravesend DA12 2BE

#### LIQUIDATION DETAILS:

Liquidator(s):

Nedim Ailyan

Address of Liquidator(s): FRP Advisory Trading Limited

Centre Block, 4th Floor, Central Court, Knoll Rise, Orpington

Contact Details:

cp.orpington@frpadvisory.com

Date of appointment of 06/02/2020

Liquidator(s):

Court in which N/A

Liquidation

proceedings

brought:

Court reference

number:

N/A

## Appendix B

Liquidator's Receipts & Payments Account for the both the Period and cumulatively

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# Blockhouse Hotels Ltd Trading As: Clarendon Royal Hotel (In Liquidation) Liquidator's Summary of Receipts & Payments

| Statement<br>of Affairs<br>£ |                                   | From 06/02/2021<br>To 05/02/2022<br>£ | From 06/02/2020<br>To 05/02/2022<br>£ |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|                              | PREFERENTIAL CREDITORS            |                                       |                                       |
| (18,669.71)                  | Employee Holiday Pay              | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| ,                            | , , ,                             | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
|                              | FLOATING CHARGE CREDITORS         |                                       |                                       |
| (16,772.00)                  | Associated Entities               | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| •                            |                                   | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
|                              | UNSECURED CREDITORS               |                                       |                                       |
| (210.00)                     | Consumer Creditor                 | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| (14,893.07)                  | Employees                         | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| (65,426.30)                  | HM Revenue and Customs - PAYE and | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| (39,424.00)                  | HM Revenue and Customs - VAT      | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| (20,604.00)                  | Participtator's loan account      | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| (102,640.09)                 | Trade & Expense Creditors         | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| . , ,                        | ·                                 | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
|                              | DISTRIBUTIONS                     |                                       |                                       |
| (2.00)                       | Ordinary Shareholders             | NILNIL                                | NIL                                   |
| , ,                          | ,                                 | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
| (278,641.17)                 | PERRECENTED BY                    | NIL                                   | NIL                                   |
|                              | REPRESENTED BY                    |                                       |                                       |
|                              |                                   |                                       | NIL                                   |
|                              |                                   |                                       |                                       |
|                              |                                   |                                       |                                       |
|                              |                                   | 1/                                    | Nedim Ailyan<br>Liquidator            |

#### Appendix C

#### A Schedule of Work



The table below sets out a detailed summary of the work undertaken by the office holder(s) during the reporting period together with an outline of work still to complete.

A proportion of the work undertaken by an Insolvency Practitioner is required by statute, including ensuring the appointment is valid, notifications of the appointment to third parties, regular reporting on the progress, notifying statutory bodies where required in relation to the conduct of the directors, complying with relevant legislation and regulatory matters. This may not have a direct financial benefit to creditors but is substantially there to protect creditors and other stakeholders and ensuring they are kept informed of developments.

| Note | Category   |  |
|------|--|--|
| 1    | ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING Work undertaken during the reporting period  | ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING Future work to be undertaken   |
|      | Géneral Matters  |  |
|      | Regularly reviewing the conduct of the case and the case strategy and updating as required by the insolvency practitioners regulatory professional body to ensure all statutory matters are attended to and to ensure the case is progressing.   | Continuing to regularly review the conduct of the case to ensure all statutory matters are attended to and to ensure the case is progressing.  |
|      | Regulatory Requirements  |  |
|      | Ongoing consideration of matters in accordance with the Money Laundering Regulations.  | Ongoing consideration of matters in accordance with the Money Laundering Regulations.  |
|      | Ethical Requirements   |  |
|      | Prior to the Liquidator's appointment, a review of ethical issues was undertaken and no ethical threats were identified. Further ethical reviews are carried out periodically and no threats have been identified in respect of the management of the insolvency appointment over the period of this report. | Continuing to undertake periodical ethical reviews to ensure no threats have been identified in respect of the management of the insolvency appointment or where ethical threats are identified, they are evaluated and where necessary safeguards are put in place. |
|      | Case Management Descripements  |  |
| ļ    | Case Management Requirements   |  |
|      | Maintaining working files and case management systems.   | Maintaining working files and case management systems.   |
|      | Dealing with administrative matters and any queries arising.   | Dealing with administrative matters and any queries arising.   |

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|   | Maintaining and managing office holder's cashbook and regularly reconciling to the bank account containing estate funds.  | Maintaining and managing office holder's cashbook and regularly reconciling to the bank account containing estate funds.   |
|---|---|--|
| 2 | INVESTIGATIONS Work undertaken during the reporting period  | INVESTIGATIONS Future work to be undertaken  |
|   | Continuing to undertake reviews of Company records and accounting information to identify potential claims.   | Ongoing review to identify any further matters that may lead to potential claims taking into account the costs involved and the likelihood of realisations that may result in a benefit to creditors.  |
| 3 | CREDITORS Work undertaken during the reporting period   | CREDITORS<br>Future work to be undertaken  |
|   | Corresponding with the stakeholders and creditors, providing updates as and when required.  | Updating creditor information as necessary.  Corresponding with the stakeholders and creditors, providing updates as and when required.  |
| 4 | STATUTORY COMPLIANCE AND REPORTING Work undertaken during the reporting period  | STATUTORY COMPLIANCE AND REPORTING Future work to be undertaken  |
|   | Providing an annual statutory report to various stakeholders. A copy of this report was filed at Registrar of Companies.  Dealing with post appointment taxation matters. | Providing annual statutory reports to various stakeholders and managing any queries arising therefrom. Copies of these reports are required to be filed at Registrar of Companies.  Dealing with post appointment VAT and taxation matters.                                |
|   |   | Dealing with the statutory requirements in order to bring the case to a close and for the office holder to obtain his release from office; this includes preparing final reports for stakeholders, statutory advertising and filing relevant documents at Companies House. |

#### Appendix D

Details of the Liquidator's time costs and disbursements for both the Period and cumulatively

#### Blockhouse Hotels Ltd (In Liquidation)

Time charged for the period 06 February 2021 to 05 February 2022

|                             | Managers / Directors Other P            | ofessional | Junior<br>Professional &<br>Support | Total Hours | Total Cost | Average Hrly Rate £ |
|-----------------------------|---|------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------------|
| Administration and Planning | *************************************** | 2.50       |                                     | 2.50        | 663.00     | 265.20              |
| Creditors                   |   | 3.80       | 0.30                                | 4.10        | 1,089.00   | 265.61              |
| Investigation               |   | 2.90       |                                     | 2.90        | 783.00     | 270.00              |
| Statutory Compliance        | 1.50                                    | 4.70       | 0.20                                | <br>6.40    | 1,766.00   | 275.94              |
| Total Hours                 | 1.50                                    | 13.90      | 0.50                                | 15.90       | 4,301.00   | 270.50              |

Blockhouse Hotels Ltd (In Liquidation)
Time charged for the period 06 February 2021 to 05 February 2022

| Con Marie de Marie de Marie de Julio de 1976. | Total Hours | Cost £   | Rate £ |
|---|-------------|----------|--------|
| Administration and Planning                   | 2.50        | 663.00   | 265.20 |
| Creditors                                     | 4.10        | 1,089.00 | 265.61 |
| Investigation                                 | 2.90        | 783.00   | 270.00 |
| Statutory Compliance                          | 6.40        | 1,766.00 | 275.94 |
| Grand Total                                   | 15.90       | 4,301.00 | 270.50 |

Time charged from the start of the case to 05 February 2022

|  | Total Hours | Total<br>Cost £ | Average Hrly<br>Rate £   |
|--|-------------|-----------------|--|
| Administration and Planning                | 2.90        | 740.00          | 255.17   |
| Creditors                                  | 6.90        | 1,467.00        | 212.61   |
| Investigation                              | 3.50        | 27.6 0          | A Comment of the Comm |
| Statutory Compliance                       | 9.40        | 2,252.00        | 239.57   |
| Time brought forward as at 03 October 2020 | 56.90       | 14,699.00       | 258.33   |
| Grand Total                                | 79.60       | 20,103.00       | 252.55   |

#### Disbursements for the period

06 February 2021 to 05 February 2022

|             | Value £ |
|-------------|---------|
| Category 1  |         |
| Postage     | 28.78   |
| Storage     | 22.40   |
| Grand Total | 51.18   |

Mileage is charged at the HMRC rate

prevailing at the time the cost was incurred

| FRP Charge out rates          | From              |                  |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Grade                         | 1st February 2020 | 4th October 2020 |
| Appointment taker / Partner   | 385-550           | 370-495          |
| Managers / Directors          | 310-400           | 310-370          |
| Other Professional            | 210-290           | 250-290          |
| Junior Professional & Support | 210-280           | 150-230          |

### Appendix E

Statement of expenses incurred in the Period



| Blockhouse Hotels Ltd<br>Statement of expenses for the period ended<br>5 February 2022 |                              |
|--|------------------------------|
|  | Period to<br>5 February 2022 |
| Expenses   | £                            |
| Office Holder's remuneration (Time costs)  | 4,301                        |
| Office Holder's Disbursements  | 51                           |
| Total  | 4,352                        |