

# KIWI SHEDS NORTHLAND LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION)

### McDonald Vague Limited

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### Liquidators' First Report

TO: The directors, shareholders and known creditors of the company

### 1 INTRODUCTION AND APPOINTMENT

Kiwi Sheds Northland Limited (In Liquidation) ("the company") was placed into liquidation by the High Court at Auckland pursuant to Section 241(2)(c) of the Companies Act 1993 ("the Act") on 04 November 2022 at 10:12 a.m. on application of Robert Nigel Gauld. Iain McLennan Licence No: IP82 and Keaton Pronk Licence No: IP107, Licensed Insolvency Practitioners, of Auckland (Liquidators) were appointed as joint and several liquidators of the company. The liquidators had previously been appointed as interim liquidators of the company by the Court on 8 August 2022.

### 2 RESTRICTIONS

In preparing this report and its appendices, we have relied upon information provided to us. We have not independently verified or audited that information. 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, amend this report to take into account any information existing at the date of this report that becomes known to us after this report is published.

### 3 INDEPENDENCE

A declaration of independence is attached at Appendix 3. We are not aware of any real or perceived conflicts of interest or risks to our independence.

### 4 ATTACHMENTS

The following documents are attached to this report:

Appendix 1: Amended Statement of Affairs as at 4 November 2022

Appendix 2: Statement of Realisations and Distributions to 4 November 2022

Appendix 3: Declaration of independence, relationships, indemnities, and upfront payments









Appendix 4: Schedule of creditors' names and addresses

Appendix 5: Notice of liquidators' decision to dispense with meeting of creditors

Appendix 6: Notice to creditors to prove debts or claims

Appendix 7: Creditors claim form

### 5 COMPANY STRUCTURE AND BACKGROUND

Date of incorporation:

13 February 2017

Company number:

6232908

New Zealand Business Number:

9429045950902

Date ceased trading:

Still trading

Nature of business:

Shed Builders

Trading address:

28 Kapiro Road, Kerikeri

Previous names/Trading name:

Kiwi Sheds Northland

Share capital:

100 Shares

Shareholders:

Robert Nigel Gauld

25

Dean Rosewarne Lisa Johnson 25

Leona Gauld

25 25

Directors:

Robert Nigel Gauld and Dean Rosewarne

Related companies:

KSN Group Limited (In Liquidation) ("KSNL")

Prior to the appointment of interim liquidators by the High Court, the company sold kitset sheds to clients potentially located nationwide but from marketing activity within the limited territory in which it could market the goods and services.

By March 2022, the relationship between the individual directors and the 4 shareholders had broken down to the stage that they were unable to continue to advance. There were a wide range of disputes between the two directors in regard to the management and direction of this company (primarily) and that affected the activity of the related company.

Each director has a version of events. The liquidators have concluded from their enquiries and investigations that the company was relatively successful, but the two directors had differing and competing priorities when they entered into business together. These differences grew over time and resulted in them clashing more and more over major and minor issues to the point that the working relationship was unrecoverable.

After a number of unsuccessful attempts by both to informally resolve matters and find a way forward, one of the shareholder/directors Mr Gauld applied to the Court to have the company, and the related company KSNL, placed into liquidation.

The liquidators were appointed as interim liquidators on 8 August 2022 with the requirement to report back to the Court within 21 days on the solvency of the company and their recommendations for the way forward.



The interim liquidators identified that there were potentially a significant value of contingent claimants, being customers and/or suppliers possibly impacted by customer orders that had been received, customers had made some but not all payments towards the orders, but the kitsets had not yet been delivered by the supplier. The delay was not due to any payment delay or default by the company. It related to supplier lead time extensions post Covid.

During the interim liquidation period customers paid further contracted sums and kitsets and product was delivered to those customers which has significantly reduced the contingent creditors from both the customers and supplier sides.

With that work, and the repayment of funds to the company from the related company, it is expected to be able to pay all of its external creditors.

The underlying disputes remain however with an accounting required to be done in regard to entitlements to shareholder funds as between the shareholders. This resulted in the liquidators' being appointed on 4 November 2022.

### **6 STATEMENT OF AFFAIRS**

An Amended Statement of Affairs showing the company's estimated financial position as at the date of our appointment as liquidators is provided at Appendix 1.

A Statement of Realisations and Distributions for the period of the interim liquidation from 8 August 2022 to 4 November 2022 is provided at Appendix 2.

### 7 ASSETS AND PROPOSED ACTIONS IN THE LIQUIDATION

Since our appointment as interim liquidators, with the assistance of the directors, we have continued to work on projects with some of the company's clients whereby funds were paid to the liquidators by the client to progress the projects. Several of these jobs are on-going.

We will realise all assets of the company.

We will complete a thorough review of the company's books, records and affairs to:

- ensure that all assets have been properly accounted for,
- determine if there are any other avenues of recovery for creditors,
- determine if the company's officers have properly carried out their duties and take appropriate steps where necessary.

If there are funds available for distribution to creditors, we will verify creditors' claims and make a distribution. We will then complete the liquidation and request that the Registrar of Companies remove the company from the register.



### 8 LIABILITIES AND CALL FOR CREDITOR CLAIMS

The liquidators have compiled a schedule of the company's creditors and their addresses as required by Section 255(2)(c) of the Act, which is at Appendix 4. The schedule has been compiled from company records and information provided to the liquidators at the time of preparing this report. The schedule may not list all of the company's creditors and all of the parties listed on the schedule may not be creditors of the company.

There are contingent creditors of the company as set out in 8.3 below.

A notice to creditors to prove debts or claims is provided at Appendix 6 and an unsecured creditor's claim form is provided at Appendix 7. If you are an unsecured creditor and you wish to lodge a claim in the company's liquidation, please complete the unsecured creditor's claim form then return the completed form together with supporting documentation to our offices by 9 December 2022. Creditors that have not made a claim by this date may be excluded from any distribution made.

If you believe that you are a secured creditor, you should not complete the unsecured creditor's claim form. Please contact us and request that a secured creditor's claim form be sent to you.

### 8.1 Secured Creditors

As at the date of liquidation 1 secured party had registered security interests against the company on the Personal Property Securities Register.

Bank of New Zealand

All Present and After Acquired Personal Property

At the date of the appointment of the interim liquidators, the amount of \$116,339 was owed to the secured creditor. This amount is owed by the related company KSNG and will to be paid by KSNG from the proceeds of the sale of its property at Marsden Point Road, Whangarei.

Personal Property Securities Act / Reservation of Title

If you have not registered a financing statement on the PPSR and you believe you have:

- a Purchase Money Security Interest entitling them to any goods in the possession or control of the company and/or proceeds from the realisation of those goods; and/or
- a Reservation of Title over goods;

you should contact us immediately.

### 8.2 Preferential Creditors

The applicant creditor's claim amounts to \$13,125.

We estimate that preferential creditors may recover 100 cents in the dollar.



### 8.3 Unsecured Creditors

From our review of the company's accounting records and other information we estimate that at the date of appointment, the amount due to unrelated unsecured creditors is approximately \$63,468, made up of trade creditors and contingent claims from clients.

We estimate that unrelated unsecured creditors may receive 100 cents in the dollar.

The contingent claims of shareholders, in relation to jobs and other entitlements, amount to \$484,296. As set out in section 5 above, the underlying disputes remain, with an accounting required to be done, in regard to entitlements to the shareholders.

### 9 CREDITORS' MEETING / LIQUIDATION COMMITTEE

A notice of the Liquidators' decision to dispense with the meeting of creditors is provided at Appendix 5.

Any creditor or shareholder may at any time in the course of the liquidation request that the liquidators call a meeting pursuant to Section 314 of the Companies Act 1993, for the purpose of appointing a liquidation committee. Any request for a meeting must be submitted to the liquidators in writing.

### 10 FURTHER INFORMATION

If you are aware of any information that would assist the Liquidators, please set the details out in writing, attach any supporting evidence, and send it to us. Please note that it can be difficult for liquidators to act in reliance on information that is not provided in writing.

If any creditor wishes to receive the six monthly reports by email as and when they are published, please ensure that an email address is provided on your creditors' claim form.

This report and all subsequent reports will be available on the Liquidators' website at http://www.mvp.co.nz

### 11 ESTIMATED DATE OF COMPLETION

We are unable to estimate a completion date at this stage.



### 12 CONTACT DETAILS

Enquiries should be directed to Colin Sanderson on DDI +64 (7) 838 0908 or by email to csanderson@mvp.co.nz.

The Liquidators can be contacted at:

McDonald Vague Limited Level 1 136 Greenlane East, Greenlane Auckland 1051

P O Box 6092 Victoria Street West Auckland 1142

lain McLennan

LIQUIDATOR (Licence No: IP82)

Dated this 30th day of November 2022



### Appendix 1



## KIWI SHEDS NORTHLAND LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION) Amended Statement of Affairs

Amended Statement of Affairs for the above named company as at 4 November 2022 (being the date of liquidation) showing assets at estimated realisable values and liabilities expected to rank.

### ASSETS SPECIFICALLY PLEDGED

No specific securities are registered on the Personal

Property Securities Register	08/08/2	022	04/11/2022	
ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR PREFERENTIAL CREDITORS	Book	Estimated	Estimated	
	Value	to Realise	to Realise	
Bank account balances	1,713	1,713	1,713	realised
Secured funds - R Gauld	63,730	63,730	63,730	realised
KSN Group repayment bank loan & Property costs	212,609	212,609	212,609	realise
Accounts receivable	25,000	uncertain	uncertain	
Work in progress estimate	198,000	uncertain	uncertain	
Overdrawn current accounts according to bank withdrawals	499,000	uncertain	uncertain	
GST refund	4,800	4,800		realise
Total	1,004,852	282,852	282,852	realise
roccii	1,004,832	202,832	202,632	
Less preferential creditors				
Applicant Creditor		-	13,125	
otal		-	13,125	
Estimated surplus as regards preferential creditors		\$282,852	\$269,727	
ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR CENERAL SECURITY ASSESSMENT HOLDER/S		5	5	
ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR GENERAL SECURITY AGREEMENT HOLDER/S	Book	Estimated	Estimated	
**************************************	Value	to Realise	to Realise	
stimated surplus as regards preferential creditors		282,852	269,727	
Motor vehicles x 2		51,500	51,500	
Trailers x 3		21,900	21,900	
Containers x 2		9,000	9,000	
Total	-	365,252	352,127	
LESS GENERAL SECURITY AGREEMENT HOLDER/S				
Bank of New Zealand - to be paid from KSN Group funds		116,339	116,339	
Total		116,339	116,339	
Estimated surplus as regards General Security Agreement holders		\$248,913	\$235,788	
AVAILABLE FOR UNSECURED CREDITORS		248,913	235,788	
ESS UNSECURED CREDITORS				
Trade creditors		536	11,468	
Contingent claims clients		370,502	52,000	
Contingent claims between company shareholders re jobs			88,000	
Estimated Surplus before Shareholder contingent claims			84,320	
Contingent -Kiwi Sheds Limited - vehicle and phone costs		27,224	27,224	
Contingent - shareholders entitlements claimed		369,072	369,072	
and an analysis of the control of th		303,072	303,072	
Estimated surplus/(deficiency) as regards unsecured creditors		(\$518,421)	(\$311,976)	

### Notes:

- 1. There is no unpaid capital liable to be called up.
- 2. The above estimates are subject to the costs of the liquidation.
- 3. Assets held may be subject to Purchase Money Security Interest ("PMSI") or Reservation of Title claims.
- 4. The motgagee's claim will continue to accrue interest until fully paid.
- 5. Excludes Any further income tax or GST movements

### Disclaimer of Liability

The information contained in the Statement of Affairs has been supplied by the company. We have not verified the information supplied. The Statement of Affairs has been prepared for the purpose of the liquidation and we do not accept any responsibility on any grounds whatsoever, including liability in negligence, to any party.



Appendix 2		
Realisations and		
Distributions		Since initial report
Kiwi Shade Nort	hland Limited (In Liquidation	2)
		1)
8 August 2022	to 4 November 2022	
Realisations		04/11/2022
Advance from Shareholders		
Bank Account Closure		1 712
Client Deposit- Trading on Young		1,713
Refund secured funds		21,217
Client Deposit - Trading on Christini		63,730
		12,000
Client Deposit - Trading on De Ridder		20,870
Client Deposit - Trading on Stirling		74,087
Client Deposit - Trading on Dema Family Trust Interest		60,870
Pre receivership GST Refund		13
Total Realisations		4,800
Total Realisations		259,300
Payments		
Liquidators Fees		
Liquidators Fees		44,627
Disbursements		244
Total Liquidators Fees		44,870
Other Costs of Liquidation and Trading On		
Valuation		920
Bank fee		40
Withholding Tax		4
Trading on Young		21,487
Trading on -Christini		11,751
Trading on - De Ridder		11,121
Trading on - Stirling		31,437
Trading on - Dema Family Trust		-
Insurance		2,599
Total Costs of Liquidation and Trading On		79,358
Distributions		
Secured Creditor		-
Preferential Wages and Holiday Pay		-
Preferential GST and PAYE		-
Dividends to Unsecured Creditors		-
Total Distributions to Unsecured Creditors		-
Total Payments		124,229
BALANCE HELD		425.074
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### KIWI SHEDS NORTHLAND LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION)

# Declaration of Independence / Relationships / Indemnities and Upfront Payments

### A DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

(i) The appointed and McDonald Vague Limited have undertaken a proper assessment of the risks of independence prior to accepting appointment in accordance with the code of conduct and applicable professional standards and have concluded that they have no prior business or professional relationship with the insolvent that is a real or a potential risk and that they are independent.

### **B** DECLARATION OF RELATIONSHIPS

(ii) The appointed and McDonald Vague Limited have no prior business or professional or personal relationship with known associates of the insolvent or with the major secured creditors that are a real or potential risk with the exception and to the extent of:

Relationship		Reason			
The liquidate	rs have	Other than	their rights as		
previously dealt v	previously dealt with BNZ on		secured creditor, the BNZ has		
insolvency appoi	insolvency appointments		no influence on the outcome of		
			the liquidation		
	The liquidato	The liquidators have previously dealt with BNZ on	The liquidators have Other than previously dealt with BNZ on insolvency appointments no influence o		

- (iii) The appointed disclose there are no other relevant relationships to declare.
- (iv) The appointed and McDonald Vague Limited have not provided any prior professional services to the insolvent or known associates of the insolvent in the prior two years.

### C DECLARATION OF INDEMNITIES AND UPFRONT PAYMENTS

(v) There is no indemnity nor upfront payment.

lain McLennan LIQUIDATOR

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 2022

# KIWI SHEDS NORTHLAND LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION)

# Schedule of Creditors' Names and Addresses

Pursuant to Section 255(2)(c) of the Companies Act 1993

Postcode

Address 3

Auckland

Auckland

1640 3240 1702

2140 9054

Auckland

0923

Lawyers

Creditor Name	Address 1	Address 2
Bank of New Zealand	PO Box 995	Auckland
Commercial Roller Door repairs	PO Box 22379	Otahuhu
Fonterra Farm Source	PO Box 9045	Hamilton
J C Walker Transport	Takanini School Road	Takanini
Kerikeri Daffodil World	jwalst@xtra.co.nz	
Kiwi Sheds Limited	accounts@kiwisheds.co.nz	<u>zr</u>
Konnect Fastening Systems	E.Kennedy@konnectshop.com	o.com
Metalcraft Roofing	PO Box 51286	Pakuranga
Netspeed	PO Box 5691	Dunedin
Northern Consulting Engineers	info@nceng.com.au	
Northland Flashings	102 Valencia Lane	Kerikeri
Spencer Trust	C/- Wills Westenra	megan@willswestenra.co.nz



### Notice of Liquidators' Decision to Dispense with Meeting of Creditors

After having regard to the assets and liabilities of Kiwi Sheds Northland Limited (In Liquidation) and the likely result of the liquidation the liquidators propose to dispense with a meeting of creditors pursuant to Section 245 of the Companies Act 1993.

The liquidators do not, however, wish to preclude creditors from expressing their views. Please contact Colin Sanderson of this office on DDI +64 (7) 838 0908 if you have any specific enquiries.

If you wish to request that a creditor's meeting be called, notice in writing is required within 10 working days of receiving this notice. Your notice you must also state the reason you require a meeting so that an agenda can be prepared and circulated to creditors and creditors can be given the opportunity to vote on any proposed resolutions by voting letter.

Iain McLennan LIQUIDATOR

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 2022



IN THE MATTER of

The Companies Act 1993

and

IN THE MATTER of

Kiwi Sheds Northland Limited (In Liquidation)

### Notice to Creditors to Prove Debts or Claims

Notice is given that the liquidator of Kiwi Sheds Northland Limited (In Liquidation) ("the company"), fix 9 December 2022, as the day on or before which the company's creditors are to make their claims and establish any priority their claims may have under Section 312 of the Companies Act 1993. Creditors not having made a claim by this date may be excluded from any distribution made.

lain McLennan LIQUIDATOR

Dated this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 2022

### ADDRESS OF LIQUIDATOR

McDonald Vague Limited Level 1 136 Greenlane East, Greenlane Auckland 1051

P O Box 6092 Victoria Street West Telephone: +64 (9) 303 0506

Facsimile: +64 (9) 303 0508 Auckland 1142

Website: http://www.mvp.co.nz

DATE OF LIQUIDATION: 04 November 2022



McDONALD VAGUE LIMITED
PO Box 6092, Wellesley St, Auckland 1141, New Zealand.
Telephone 0-9-303 0506, Facsimile 0-9-303 0508

# Unsecured Creditor's Claim (Also for use by Preferential Creditors)

SECTION 304(1) COMPANIES ACT 1993 (For help see www.mvp.co.nz or email

claims@mvp.co.nz)

175	110.00		
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NAME AND POSTAL ADDRE	STAL ADDRESS OF CREDITOR IN FULL			*Any personal information collected is for the purpose of administering the liquidation in accordance with the Companies Act 1993.  The information will be used and retained by the liquidators and McDonald Vague and will be released to other parties only with your authorisation or in compliance with the Privacy Act 1993.  Under Section 304(1) of the Companies Act 1993 any claim by an unsecured creditor against a company in				
Telephone Numbers: ( )			liquidation mi (a) Contain fu (b) Identify ar	unsecured creaters that be in this pull particulars on documents at the claim.	orescribed for of the claim;	orm and must - and		
E-Mail				You may have access to and request correction of any personal information.				
My Reference is: (if applicable)				(*Not applicable, if creditor is not an individual within the meaning of the Privacy Act 1993.)				
NAME OF COMPANY IN LIQUIDATION:								
					(IN	LIQUIDATION)		
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(If claim is made on behalf of claim that the company was a	creditor, specify relationship t the date it was put into liqu	to creditor and authority) idation indebted to the abovena	med creditor for	r the sum of (A	Amount in wo	ords):		
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STATUS OF CLAIM:								
I am an unsecured (         (Also applicable to se	creditor for ecured creditors who hereby	surrender their security)		\$				
<ol><li>I am a preferential of (Refer details on reve</li></ol>				\$				
3. I am an unsecured creditor for (State currency if other than \$NZ)  Other Currency			NZ \$					
4. I have claimed retention/reservation of title rights pursuant to rights held by me  Note: If you are a secured creditor contact this office and a Secured Creditors Claim Form will be sent to you.  Tick if Applicable  (Refer details on reverse)								
		documents that substantiate the			reverse of th	nis form.		
(The liquidator may require the any supporting documents	e production of a document u at this stage, but you may at	under Section 304(2) of the Cortach them now, if you think it wo	mpanies Act 199 ould expedite the	3. You are no e processing o	t required to of the claim.)	o attach		
SIGNED:			Date:	1	/			
It is an offence under Section 304(6) of the Companies Act 1993 to - Make or authorise the making of, a claim that is false or misleading in a material particular knowing it to be false or misleading; or Omit, or authorise the omission from a claim of any matter knowing that the omission makes the claim false or misleading in a material particular.								
Received	RESERVED FOR OFFIC	E USE:						
(Date Stamp)	Claim admitted/rejected for voting purposes:	Signed:		Date:	/	/		
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	CLAIM REJECTED FOR PAYMENT:	\$		\$				
	or	Preferential Claim for:	*	Ordinary C	laim for:			
	CLAIM ADMITTED FOR PAYMENT:	\$		\$				
McDonald	Signed Liquidator:			Date:	/	/		
Vague bus recovery partners	Note: If the decision to Liquidation Regu	admit or reject a claim is amend lations 1994 requires that it be	ded, regulation 8	3 of the Compa	anies Act 19	93		



and total GST included in your tax invoice:

housiness recovery partners
MicDONALD VAGUE LIMITED
PO Box 6092, Wellesley St, Auckland 1141, New Zealand
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If the creditor owes money to the company, please give full details

Telephone 0-9-303 0506.				
Date	Details of Claim and Identification of Documents that Evidence or Substantiate the Claim	Amount \$		
d .				
CLAIMS AGAINST INVENT Please provide details of the	ORY (Romalpa Claims)(Consignment Goods) (Retention of Title) etc. basis of the retention of title claim filed by you and/or details of entry on the Personal	Property Securities Register.		
PREFERENTIAL CLAIMAN	TS ONLY			
Guideline				
The Seventh Schedule of the Companies Act 1993 sets out those claims which are regarded as preferential and shows their extent and order of priority. For example, wages and salary of any employee in respect of services rendered to the company during the four months preceding the commencement of liquidation are preferential AND the total sum to which priority is to be given in the case of any one employee for wages, holiday pay, deductions, redundancy and child support must not exceed \$25,480 or such greater amount as is prescribed at the commencement of the liquidation.				
Why do you believe you are a preferential creditor?     (eg.employee, GST, etc)				
2. Details of your claim:				
If applicable please record h	ere your GST Registration number:			

\$