

The Insolvency & Business Recovery Specialists

### Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation) trading as Federation

#### Liquidators' First Report

#### 1 INTRODUCTION AND APPOINTMENT

Laundromat Collective Limited ("the company") was placed into liquidation by a special resolution of the shareholders pursuant to Section 241(2)(a) of the Companies Act 1993 ("the Act") on 10 February 2016. Boris van Delden and Peri Finnigan, Insolvency Practitioners of Auckland, were appointed as joint and several liquidators of the company.

#### 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, revise this report in respect of any information existing at the date of this report which becomes known to us after that date.

#### 3 ATTACHMENTS

The following documents are attached to this report:

Appendix 1: Statement of Affairs setting out the company's estimated financial position

Appendix 2: Schedule of company creditors' names and addresses

Appendix 3: Notice of Liquidators' decision to dispense with meeting of creditors

Appendix 4: Notice to creditors to prove debts or claims

Appendix 5: Creditors claim form

#### 4 COMPANY STRUCTURE AND BACKGROUND

Date of incorporation:

11 February 2011

Company number:

3271688

Date ceased trading:

The liquidators are trading on the business

Nature of business:

New Zealand streetwear retail store operator



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Trading address: 38 Barrys Point Road, Takapuna

12 Customs Street, Britomart

Dressmart Shop 402, 151 Arthur St, Onehunga

Trading name: Federation Share capital: 100 Shares

Shareholders: Jenny Elizabeth Joblin (50 shares)

Nicholas James Clegg

Director: Jenny Elizabeth Joblin

Related companies: Federation Clothing Limited (In Liquidation)

Public Gallery Limited (In Liquidation)
Only Found You Limited (In Liquidation)

Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation) operated in conjunction with Federation Clothing Limited (In Liquidation), and previously Public Gallery Limited (In Liquidation) and Only Found You Limited (In Liquidation), operating streetwear retails stores in New Zealand and stocking the above named companies' brands.

Federation Clothing Limited (In Liquidation), Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation), Public Gallery Limited (In Liquidation) and Only Found You Limited (In Liquidation) were all placed into liquidation on 10 February 2016.

The liquidators have been advised that the failure of the entity was the result of a number of factors. These included the seizure by New Zealand Customs of a large shipment and subsequent payment to release said shipment by way of a short term loan. This loan was subsequently called up by the secured creditor. There was also a reduction in gross profit margins due to increased competition and lower pricing in the market, plus the adverse effects of exchange rate fluctuations. The failure of Public Gallery Limited (In Liquidation) adversely affected the entity's bottom line. There were also material debtor disputes in Australia. Withdrawal of the entity's product line from a large retail chain and its re-instatement at a discounted rate had adverse affects. Lastly, a number of failed improvement projects of a material amount have all contributed to the downfall of this company.

The liquidators are in the process of realising all assets, and are seeking the sale of the business as a going concern. The company was trading as at the date of liquidation. The liquidators have continued to trade the business under their control.

#### 5 STATEMENT OF AFFAIRS

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

#### 6 ASSETS AND PROPOSALS FOR CONDUCTING THE LIQUIDATION

We will realise all available assets. If any creditor is interested or knows of any other party who may be interested in purchasing any of the assets, please advise us urgently.

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.

#### 7 LIABILITIES AND CREDITOR CLAIMS

#### 7.1 Secured Creditors

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

Personal Property Securities Act / Reservation of Title

Should any creditor believe that they are entitled to any goods, or proceeds from realisation of goods, due to holding a Purchase Money Security Interest, they should contact us immediately.

If any creditor believes that they have a Reservation of Title over goods and they have not perfected their interest, they should also contact us immediately.

#### 7.2 Preferential Creditors

We estimate that there is approximately \$11,056.11 owing to employees for wages, holiday pay and redundancy pay.

The Inland Revenue Department has not yet provided us with a creditor's claim form but we understand that there are amounts due in respect of GST, PAYE and other payroll deductions estimated at around \$44,710.

#### 7.3 Unsecured Creditors

From our review of the company's accounting records and other information we estimate that the amount due to unsecured creditors is approximately \$1,332,010. A schedule of known creditors and their addresses is provided at Appendix 2, as required by Section 255(2)(c) of the Act.

A notice to creditors to prove debts or claims is included at Appendix 4. Also enclosed is a creditor's claim form for completion and return to this office by 22 March 2016. Creditors that have not made a claim by the date on the notice may be excluded from any

distribution made. If you believe that you are a secured creditor please contact us and the appropriate form will be sent to you.

#### 8 CREDITORS' MEETING / LIQUIDATION COMMITTEE

A notice of the Liquidators' decision to dispense with the meeting of creditors is provided at Appendix 3.

Pursuant to Section 314 of the Companies Act 1993, creditors are advised that at any time in the course of the liquidation the Liquidator shall, at the request in writing of any creditor or shareholder, call a meeting for the purpose of appointing a liquidation committee.

#### 9 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 the Liquidators are more able to act on written information.

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 the attached creditor claim form. This report and all subsequent reports will be available on the Liquidators' website at <a href="https://www.mvp.co.nz">www.mvp.co.nz</a>

#### 10 ESTIMATED DATE OF COMPLETION

It is currently too early to estimate a date of completion for the liquidation.

#### 11 CONTACT DETAILS

Enquiries should be directed to Keaton Pronk on DDI (09) 9691518 or by email to kpronk@mvp.co.nz.

The Liquidators can be contacted at:

McDonald Vague Limited Level 10, 52 Swanson Street Auckland 1010

P O Box 6092 Wellesley Street Auckland 1141 PERI FINNIGAN LIQUIDATOR

DATED this 16 day of February 2016

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## Appendix 2

# Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation) Schedule of Creditors' Names and Addresses

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

Address 3

Address 2

Address 1

Monique Westerdaal Jeremiah Vainerere Joseph Amundsen **Creditor Names** Molly Abraham Danielle Aflallo Filipa Olausson Lisa McMelkan Louis Buckland Zoe Hendricks James Dryden **Andrew Adley** Jess Goodsell Employees Joshua Lee Tim Smith

Trade Creditors

Accident Compensation Corporation

Federation Clothing Limited Best Jet Services

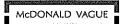
P O Box 3248 G270 Sunset Road

WELLINGTON 6140

Mairangi Bay

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Creditor Names	Address 1	Address 2	Address 3
First Security Limited	2 Arthur Brown Place	Mt Wellington	
Frank Consulting Limited	Flat 4, 92 Churchill Road	Murrays Bay	
Inland Revenue Department	P O Box 39 010	Wellington Mail Centre	
Kudos Solutions Limited	P O Box 9790	Newmarket	
Lowndes Jordan	P O Box 5966	Wellesley Street	
Minti - Britomart			
Minti - Dressmart			
Minti - Newmarket			
Minti - Takapuna			
New Era	Level 4, Suite 2, 27 Gillies Avenue	Newmarket	AUCKLAND 1023
Nutech Security	P O Box 14 052	TAURANGA	
Office Max NZ Limited	Private Bag 92 831	Penrose	AUCKLAND 1141
Only Found You	38 Barrys Point Road	Takapuna	AUCKLAND 0622
Paymark	P O Box 799	Shortland Street	AUCKLAND 1140
Payment Express	33 Wilkinson Road	Ellerslie	AUCKLAND
Pebbly Rock Limited	Suite 6 Level 2	58 Surrey Cresent, Grey Lynn	AUCKLAND
PG - Albany			
PG - Britomart			
PG - Dressmart			
PG - Newmarket			
PG - Takapuna			
Posthaste	161 Station Road	Penrose	AUCKLAND
Security Specialists	P O Box 5696	DUNEDIN 9058	
Shooting Sparrow			
Smartpay Rental Services	P O Box 100 490	North Shore Mail Centre	AUCKLAND 0745
Spark NZ Trading Limited	P O Box 1473	CHRISTCHURCH 8140	
The Market Limited	3 Newton Road	Mount Maunganui	TAURANGA



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

After having regard to the assets and liabilities of Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation) and the likely result of the liquidation it is proposed to dispense with a meeting of creditors pursuant to Section 245 of the Companies Act 1993.

We do not, however, wish to preclude creditors from expressing their views. Please contact Keaton Pronk of this office on DDI (09) 969 1518 if you have any specific enquiries.

You are advised that should you desire a creditor's meeting, notice in writing is required within 10 working days of receiving this notice.

At the time of giving notice you must also state the reason you require a meeting so that an agenda can be prepared and advertised and creditors can be given the opportunity to vote on any issue by voting letter.

PERI FINNIGAN LIQUIDATOR

DATED this 4 day of February 2016

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IN THE MATTER of

The Companies Act 1993

and

IN THE MATTER of

Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation)

trading as Federation

#### Notice to Creditors to Prove Debts or Claims

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the liquidator of Laundromat Collective Limited (In Liquidation) ("the company"), does hereby fix 22 day of March 2016, as the day on or before which the company's creditors are to make their claims, and to 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.

PERI FINNIGAN LIQUIDATOR

DATED this 6 day of February 2016

#### ADDRESS OF LIQUIDATOR

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**DATE OF LIQUIDATION:** 10 February 2016



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#### McDONALD VAGUE LIMITED

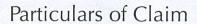
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#### Unsecured Creditor's Claim

(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)

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I am a preferential creditor for     (Refer details on reverse)			\$	\$		
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#### McDONALD VAGUE LIMITED

PO Box 6092, Wellesley St, Auckland 1141, New Zealand.

If applicable please record here your GST Registration number:

and total GST included in your tax invoice:

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 \$		
CLAIMS AGAINST INVENTORY (Romalpa Claims)(Consignment Goods) (Retention of Title) etc.				
Please provide details of the basis of the retention of title claim filed by you and/or details of entry on the Personal Property Securities Register.				
PREFERENTIAL CLAIMANTS 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 \$20,340 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:				

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