



Registration of a Charge

Company Name: **SOUTHEND UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB LIMITED(THE)**

Company Number: **00089767**



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Contains fixed charge(s).

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CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF A CHARGE

Company number: 89767

Charge code: 0008 9767 0055

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that a charge dated 24th March 2023 and created by SOUTHEND UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB LIMITED(THE) was delivered pursuant to Chapter A1 Part 25 of the Companies Act 2006 on 5th April 2023 .

Given at Companies House, Cardiff on 11th April 2023

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Dated

24 March

2023

THE SOUTHEND UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB LIMITED (1)
SOUTH EASTERN LEISURE UK LIMITED (2)

SECURITY AGREEMENT



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THIS DEED is dated 24 March 2023 and is made

BETWEEN:

- (1) **THE SOUTHEND UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB LIMITED** incorporated and registered in England with company number 00089767 whose registered office is at Verulam Point, Station Way, St Albans, Hertfordshire, United Kingdom, AL1 5HE (the **Chargor**); and
- (2) **SOUTH EASTERN LEISURE UK LIMITED** incorporated and registered in England with company number 03685980 whose registered office is at Roots Hall Stadium, Southend On Sea, Essex, SS2 6NQ as security trustee for the Secured Parties (the **Security Agent**).

BACKGROUND:

- (A) The Chargor enters into this Deed in connection with the Facility Agreement (as defined below).
- (B) It is intended that this document takes effect as a deed notwithstanding the fact that a party may only execute this document under hand.

IT IS AGREED as follows:

1. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

1.1 Definitions

In this Deed:

Account means any bank account of the Chargor.

Act means the Law of Property Act 1925.

Authorisation means an authorisation, consent, approval, resolution, licence, exemption, filing, notarisation or registration.

Delegate means any delegate, agent, attorney or co-trustee appointed by the Lender.

Event of Default means any event or circumstance specified in clause 6.3 of the Facility Agreement and any breach by the Borrower of this Deed.

Facility Agreement means the £3,256,166 loan agreement set out at schedule 2 of the Novation and Restatement Agreement dated on or about the date of this Deed between, amongst others, the Chargor and the Lender.

Finance Document means the Facility Agreement, this Deed and any other document designated as a "Finance Document" by the Lender and the Borrower.

Investments means:

- (a) all shares owned by the Chargor or held by any nominee or trustee on its behalf; and
- (b) all other shares, stocks, debentures, bonds or other securities or investments owned by the Chargor or held by any nominee or trustee on its behalf.

Lease Document means a lease or licence or other right of occupation or right to receive rent to which a Property may at any time be subject including any guarantee of a tenant's obligations under

the same; and any agreement for the grant or entry into of any of the foregoing for all or part of a Property; and any other document designated as such by the Chargor and the Security Agent.

Lender means SOUTH EASTERN LEISURE UK LIMITED incorporated and registered in England with company number 03685980 whose registered office is at Roots Hall Stadium, Southend On Sea, Essex, SS2 6NQ.

Mortgaged Property means all freehold or leasehold property included in the definition of Security Asset.

Party means a party to this Deed.

Receiver means a receiver or receiver and manager or administrative receiver, in each case appointed under this Deed.

Security Asset means any asset of the Chargor which is, or is expressed to be, subject to any Security created by this Deed.

Secured Liabilities means all present and future obligations and liabilities (whether actual or contingent and whether owed jointly or severally or in any other capacity whatsoever) of the Borrower to any Secured Party under each Finance Document.

Secured Party means the Lender, the Security Agent, a Receiver or any Delegate.

Security Period means the period beginning on the date of this Deed and ending on the date on which all the Secured Liabilities have been unconditionally and irrevocably paid and discharged in full.

Subsidiary means a subsidiary undertaking within the meaning of section 1162 of the Companies Act 2006.

1.2 Construction

- (a) Capitalised terms defined in the Facility Agreement have the same meaning in this Deed unless expressly defined in this Deed.
- (b) The provisions of clause 1 (Definitions and Interpretation) of the Facility Agreement apply to this Deed as though they were set out in full in this Deed.
- (c) Section, Clause and Schedule headings are for ease of reference only. References to Clauses and Schedules are to the Clauses and Schedules of this Deed.
- (d) Unless a contrary indication appears, a reference in this Deed to:
 - (i) a **Chargor**, the **Security Agent** any **Party** or any other person shall be construed so as to include its successors in title, permitted assigns and permitted transferees to, or of, its rights and/or obligations under the Finance Documents;
 - (ii) **assets** includes present and future properties, revenues and rights of every description;
 - (iii) a **Finance Document** or any other agreement or instrument is a reference to that Finance Document or other agreement or instrument as amended, novated, supplemented, extended or restated;

- (iv) **guarantee** means any guarantee, letter of credit, bond, indemnity or similar assurance against loss, or any obligation, direct or indirect, actual or contingent, to purchase or assume any indebtedness of any person or to make an investment in or loan to any person or to purchase assets of any person where, in each case, such obligation is assumed in order to maintain or assist the ability of such person to meet its indebtedness;
- (v) **indebtedness** includes any obligation (whether incurred as principal or as surety) for the payment or repayment of money, whether present or future, actual or contingent;
- (vi) **determines** or **determined** means a determination made in the absolute discretion of the person making the determination;
- (vii) a **person** includes any individual, firm, company, corporation, government, state or agency of a state or any association, trust, joint venture, consortium, partnership or other entity (whether or not having separate legal personality);
- (viii) a **regulation** includes any regulation, rule, official directive, request or guideline (whether or not having the force of law) of any governmental, intergovernmental or supranational body, agency, department or of any regulatory, self-regulatory or other authority or organisation;
- (ix) a provision of law is a reference to that provision as amended or re-enacted;
- (x) unless otherwise stated, a time of day is a reference to London time;
- (xi) any **rights** in respect of an asset includes:
 - (A) all amounts and proceeds paid or payable;
 - (B) all rights to make any demand or claim; and
 - (C) all powers, remedies, causes of action, security, guarantees and indemnities,
 in each case in respect of or derived from that asset;
- (xii) any **share, stock, debenture, bond** or **other security** or **investment** includes:
 - (A) any dividend, interest or other distribution paid or payable;
 - (B) any right, money or property accruing or offered at any time by way of redemption, substitution, exchange, bonus or preference, under option rights or otherwise,
 in each case in respect of that share, stock, debenture, bond or other security or investment; and
- (xiii) the term **this Security** means any Security created by this Deed.
- (e) Any covenant of the Chargor under this Deed (other than a payment obligation which has been discharged) remains in force during the Security Period.
- (f) The terms of the other Finance Documents and of any other agreement or instrument between any Parties in relation to any Finance Document are incorporated in this Deed to the extent required to ensure that any purported disposition, or any agreement for the disposition, of any freehold or leasehold property contained in this Deed is a valid disposition in accordance with section 2(1) of the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1989.

- (g) If the Security Agent considers that an amount paid to a Secured Party under a Finance Document is capable of being avoided or otherwise set aside on the liquidation or administration of the payer or otherwise, then that amount will not be considered to have been irrevocably paid for the purposes of this Deed.
- (h) An Event of Default is "**continuing**" if it has not been waived.
- (i) Unless the context otherwise requires, a reference to a Security Asset includes the proceeds of any disposal of that Security Asset.

1.3 Third party rights

- (a) Unless expressly provided to the contrary in a Finance Document, a person who is not a Party has no right under the Third Parties Act to enforce or to enjoy the benefit of any term of this Deed.
- (b) Notwithstanding any term of any Finance Document, the consent of any person who is not a Party is not required to rescind or vary this Deed at any time.
- (c) Any Receiver may enforce and enjoy the benefit of any Clause which expressly confers rights on it, subject to paragraph (b) above and the provisions of the Third Parties Act.

2. CREATION OF SECURITY

2.1 General

- (a) The Chargor must pay or discharge the Secured Liabilities in the manner provided for in the Finance Documents.
- (b) All the security created under this Deed:
 - (i) is created in favour of the Security Agent;
 - (ii) is created over present and future assets of the Chargor;
 - (iii) is security for the payment of all the Secured Liabilities; and
 - (iv) is made with full title guarantee in accordance with the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1994.
- (c) The Security Agent holds the benefit of this Deed and this Security on trust for the Secured Parties.

2.2 Land

- (a) The Chargor charges:
 - (i) by way of a first legal mortgage all estates or interests in any freehold or leasehold property now owned by it; this includes the real property (if any) specified in Schedule 1 (Real Property); and
 - (ii) (to the extent that they are not either (a) the subject of a mortgage under paragraph (i) above or (b) heritable property in Scotland) by way of a first fixed charge all estates or interests in any freehold or leasehold property now or subsequently owned by it.

- (b) A reference in this Clause 2 to a mortgage or charge of any freehold or leasehold property includes:
 - (i) all buildings, fixtures, fittings and fixed plant and machinery on that property; and
 - (ii) the benefit of any covenants for title given or entered into by any predecessor in title of the Chargor in respect of that property or any moneys paid or payable in respect of those covenants.

2.3 Investments

The Chargor charges by way of a first fixed charge its interest in all its Investments.

2.4 Plant and machinery

To the extent that they are not the subject of a mortgage or a first fixed charge under Clause 2.2 (Land), the Chargor charges by way of a first fixed charge all plant and machinery owned by the Chargor and its interest in any plant or machinery in its possession.

2.5 Credit balances

The Chargor charges by way of a first fixed charge all of its rights in respect of any account it has with any person, any amount standing to the credit of any such account and the debt represented by it.

2.6 Book debts etc.

The Chargor charges by way of a first fixed charge:

- (a) all of its book and other debts;
- (b) all other moneys due and owing to it; and
- (c) the benefit of all rights in relation to any item under paragraphs (a) to (b) above.

2.7 Insurances

- (a) The Chargor assigns absolutely, subject to a proviso for re-assignment on redemption, all of its rights under any contract or policy of insurance taken out by it or on its behalf or in which it has an interest (together, the **Insurance Rights**).
- (b) To the extent that they have not been effectively assigned under paragraph (a) above, the Chargor charges by way of a first fixed charge all of its Insurance Rights.

2.8 Other contracts

- (a) The Chargor:
 - (i) assigns absolutely, subject to a proviso for re-assignment on redemption, all of its rights:
 - (A) under each Lease Document;
 - (B) in respect of all rental income payable in respect of any Mortgaged Property (**Rental Income**);
 - (C) under any guarantee of Rental Income contained in or relating to any Lease Document; and

- (D) under any document, agreement or instrument to which it and any nominee or trustee is party in respect of an Investment; and
- (ii) charges by way of a first fixed charge all of its rights under any other document, agreement or instrument to which it is a party except to the extent that it is subject to any fixed security created under any other term of this Clause 2.
- (b) To the extent that they have not been effectively assigned under paragraph (a)(i) above, the Chargor charges by way of a first fixed charge all of its rights listed under paragraph (a)(i) above.

2.9 Miscellaneous

The Chargor charges by way of first fixed charge:

- (a) its goodwill;
- (b) the benefit of any Authorisation (statutory or otherwise) held in connection with its use of any Security Asset;
- (c) the right to recover and receive compensation which may be payable to it in respect of any Authorisation referred to in paragraph (b) above;
- (d) its uncalled capital; and
- (e) the benefit of all rights in relation to any item under paragraphs (a) to (d) above.

2.10 Floating charge

- (a) The Chargor charges by way of a first floating charge all its assets not otherwise effectively mortgaged, charged or assigned by way of fixed mortgage, fixed charge or assignment under this Clause 2.
- (b) Except as provided below, the Security Agent may by notice to the Chargor convert the floating charge created by this Clause 2.10 (Floating charge) into a fixed charge as regards any of the Chargor's assets specified in that notice if:
 - (i) an Event of Default is continuing; or
 - (ii) the Security Agent considers those assets to be in danger of being seized or sold under any form of distress, attachment, execution or other legal process or to be otherwise in jeopardy.
- (c) Subject to paragraph (d) below, the floating charge created by this Clause 2.10 (Floating charge) may not be converted into a fixed charge solely by reason of:
 - (i) the obtaining of a moratorium; or
 - (ii) anything done with a view to obtaining a moratorium,

under Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.
- (d) Paragraph (c) above does not apply in respect of any floating charge referred to in subsection (4) of section A52 of Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.
- (e) The floating charge created by this Clause 2.10 (Floating charge) will (in addition to the circumstances when this may occur under the general law) automatically convert into a fixed charge

over all of the Chargor's assets if an administrator is appointed or the Security Agent receives notice of an intention to appoint an administrator.

- (f) The floating charge created by this Clause 2.10 (Floating charge) is a **qualifying floating charge** for the purpose of paragraph 14 of Schedule B1 to the Insolvency Act 1986.

3. RESTRICTIONS ON DEALINGS

3.1 Security

Except as expressly allowed under the Facility Agreement or this Deed, the Chargor must not create or permit to subsist any Security on any Security Asset.

3.2 Disposals

Except as expressly allowed under the Facility Agreement or this Deed, the Chargor must not enter into a single transaction or a series of transactions (whether related or not and whether voluntary or involuntary) to dispose of all or any part of any Security Asset.

4. LAND

4.1 Notices to tenants

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4.2 Acquisitions

If the Chargor acquires any freehold or leasehold property in England and Wales in accordance with the Facility Agreement after the date of this Deed it must:

- (a) notify the Security Agent immediately;
- (b) immediately on request by the Security Agent and at the cost of the Chargor, execute and deliver to the Security Agent a legal mortgage over that property in favour of the Security Agent in any form which the Security Agent may require; and
- (c)
 - (i) if the title to that freehold or leasehold property is registered at the Land Registry or required to be so registered, give the Land Registry written notice of this Security; and
 - (ii) if applicable, ensure that this Security is correctly noted against that title in the title register at the Land Registry.

4.3 Land Registry

The Chargor consents to a restriction in the following terms being entered into on the Register of Title relating to any Mortgaged Property registered at the Land Registry:

"No disposition of the registered estate by the proprietor of the registered estate is to be registered without a written consent signed by the proprietor for the time being of the charge dated [] in favour of [NAME OF LENDER] referred to in the charges register or their conveyancer. (Standard Form P)".

4.4 Deposit of title deeds

The Chargor must immediately:

- (a) deposit with the Security Agent all deeds and documents necessary to show good and marketable title to any property referred to in Clause 4.2 (Acquisitions) (the **Title Documents**); and
- (b) procure that the Title Documents are held to the order of the Agent by a firm of solicitors approved by the Security Agent for that purpose.

5. INVESTMENTS

5.1 Deposit

The Chargor must immediately:

- (a) deposit with the Security Agent, or as the Security Agent may direct, all certificates and other documents of title or evidence of ownership in relation to its Investments; and
- (b) execute and deliver to the Security Agent all share transfers and other documents which may be requested by the Security Agent in order to enable the Security Agent or its nominees to be registered as the owner of or otherwise obtain a legal title to its Investments.

5.2 Calls

- (a) The Chargor must pay all calls or other payments due and payable in respect of any of its Investments in accordance with the Facility Agreement.
- (b) If the Chargor fails to do so, the Security Agent may pay the calls or other payments in respect of any of its Investments on behalf of the Chargor. The Chargor must immediately on request reimburse the Security Agent for any payment made by the Security Agent under this Clause 5.2 (Calls).

5.3 Other obligations in respect of Investments

- (a) The Chargor must promptly send a copy to the Security Agent of, and comply with all requests for, information which is within its knowledge and which are made under any law or regulation or any similar provision contained in any articles of association or other constitutional document, or by any listing or other authority, relating to any of its Investments. If it fails to do so, the Security Agent may elect to provide such information as it may have on behalf of the Chargor.
- (b) The Chargor must comply with all other conditions and obligations assumed by it in respect of any of its Investments.
- (c) The Security Agent is not obliged to:
 - (i) perform any obligation of the Chargor;
 - (ii) make any payment;
 - (iii) make any enquiry as to the nature or sufficiency of any payment received by it or the Chargor; or

- (iv) present or file any claim or take any other action to collect or enforce the payment of any amount to which it may be entitled under this Deed,

in respect of any of its Investments.

5.4 Voting rights

- (a) Before this Security becomes enforceable:
 - (i) the voting rights, powers and other rights in respect of its Investments will be exercised:
 - (A) by the Chargor; or
 - (B) if exercisable by the Security Agent, in any manner which the Chargor may direct the Security Agent in writing; and
 - (ii) all dividends, distributions or other income paid or payable in relation to any of its Investments in accordance with the Facility Agreement must be paid into the Chargor's general Account.
- (b) The Chargor must indemnify the Security Agent against any loss or liability incurred by the Security Agent as a consequence of the Security Agent acting in respect of any of its Investments as permitted by this Deed on the direction of the Chargor.
- (c) After this Security has become enforceable, the Security Agent may exercise (in the name of the Chargor and without any further consent or authority on the part of the Chargor) any voting rights and any powers or rights which may be exercised by the legal or beneficial owner of any Investment, any person who is the holder of any Investment or otherwise.

6. ACCOUNTS

6.1 General

In this Clause 6 **Account Bank** means a person with whom an Account is maintained by the Chargor.

6.2 Book debts and receipts

- (a) The Chargor must get in and realise its:
 - (i) Rental Income and other amounts due from tenants or any other occupiers of the Mortgaged Property; and
 - (ii) book and other debts and other moneys due and owing to it,

in the ordinary course of its business and hold the proceeds of the getting in and realisation (until payment into an Account if required in accordance with paragraph (b) below) on trust for the Security Agent.
- (b) The Chargor must, except to the extent that the Security Agent otherwise agrees, pay all the proceeds of the getting in and realisation into an Account.

7. INSURANCES

The Chargor must not vitiate or invalidate any of its insurance policies.

8. OTHER CONTRACTS

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9. WHEN SECURITY BECOMES ENFORCEABLE

9.1 Event of Default

This Security will become immediately enforceable if an Event of Default occurs and is continuing.

9.2 Discretion

After this Security has become enforceable, the Security Agent may enforce all or any part of this Security in any manner it sees fit or as instructed in accordance with the Facility Agreement.

9.3 Statutory powers

The power of sale and other powers conferred by section 101 of the Act, as amended by this Deed, will be immediately exercisable at any time after this Security has become enforceable.

10. ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY

10.1 General

- (a) For the purposes of all powers implied by statute, the Secured Liabilities are deemed to have become due and payable on the date of this Deed.
- (b) Section 103 of the Act (restricting the power of sale) and section 93 of the Act (restricting the right of consolidation) do not apply to this Security.
- (c) The statutory powers of leasing conferred on the Security Agent are extended so as to authorise the Security Agent to lease, make agreements for leases, accept surrenders of leases and grant options as the Security Agent may think fit and without the need to comply with any provision of section 99 or section 100 of the Act.

10.2 No liability as mortgagee in possession

Neither the Security Agent nor any Receiver will be liable, by reason of entering into possession of a Security Asset, to account as mortgagee in possession or for any loss on realisation or for any default or omission for which a mortgagee in possession might be liable.

10.3 Privileges

The Security Agent and each Receiver is entitled to all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities conferred by the Act on mortgagees and receivers duly appointed under the Act, except that section 103 of the Act does not apply.

10.4 Protection of third parties

No person (including a purchaser) dealing with the Security Agent or a Receiver or its or his/her agents will be concerned to enquire:

- (a) whether the Secured Liabilities have become payable;
- (b) whether any power which the Security Agent or a Receiver is purporting to exercise has become exercisable or is being properly exercised;
- (c) whether any money remains due under the Finance Documents; or
- (d) how any money paid to the Security Agent or to that Receiver is to be applied.

10.5 Redemption of prior mortgages

- (a) At any time after this Security has become enforceable, the Security Agent may:
 - (i) redeem any prior Security against any Security Asset; and/or
 - (ii) procure the transfer of that Security to itself; and/or
 - (iii) settle and pass the accounts of the prior mortgagee, chargee or encumbrancer; any accounts so settled and passed will be, in the absence of manifest error, conclusive and binding on the Chargor.
- (b) The Chargor must pay to the Security Agent, immediately on demand, the costs and expenses incurred by the Security Agent in connection with any such redemption and/or transfer, including the payment of any principal or interest.

10.6 Contingencies

If this Security is enforced at a time when no amount is due under the Finance Documents but at a time when amounts may or will become due, the Security Agent (or a Receiver) may pay the proceeds of any recoveries effected by it into a suspense account or other account selected by it.

10.7 Financial collateral

- (a) To the extent that the Security Assets constitute "financial collateral" and this Deed and the obligations of the Chargor under this Deed constitute a "security financial collateral arrangement" (in each case, for the purpose of and as defined in the Financial Collateral Arrangements (No. 2) Regulations 2003), the Security Agent will have the right after this Security has become enforceable to appropriate all or any part of that financial collateral in or towards the satisfaction of the Secured Liabilities.
- (b) Where any financial collateral is appropriated:
 - (i) if it is listed or traded on a recognised exchange, its value will be taken as being the value at which it could have been sold on the exchange on the date of appropriation; or
 - (ii) in any other case, its value will be such amount as the Security Agent reasonably determines having taken into account advice obtained by it from an independent commercial property adviser, investment bank or accountancy firm of national standing selected by it,

and each Finance Party will give credit for the proportion of the value of the financial collateral appropriated to its use.

11. RECEIVER

11.1 Appointment of Receiver

- (a) Except as provided below, the Security Agent may appoint any one or more persons to be a Receiver of all or any part of the Security Assets if:
 - (i) this Security has become enforceable; or
 - (ii) the Chargor so requests to the Security Agent at any time.
- (b) Any appointment under paragraph (a) above may be by deed, under seal or in writing under its hand.
- (c) Except as provided below, any restriction imposed by law on the right of a mortgagee to appoint a Receiver (including under section 109(1) of the Act) does not apply to this Deed.
- (d) The Security Agent is not entitled to appoint a Receiver solely as a result of the obtaining of a moratorium (or anything done with a view to obtaining a moratorium) under Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986 other than in respect of a floating charge referred to in subsection (4) of section A52 of Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.
- (e) The Security Agent may not appoint an administrative receiver (as defined in section 29(2) of the Insolvency Act 1986) over the Security Assets if the Security Agent is prohibited from so doing by section 72A of the Insolvency Act 1986 and no exception to the prohibition on appointing an administrative receiver applies.

11.2 Removal

The Security Agent may by writing under its hand (subject to any requirement for an order of the court in the case of an administrative receiver) remove any Receiver appointed by it and may, whenever it thinks fit, appoint a new Receiver in the place of any Receiver whose appointment may for any reason have terminated.

11.3 Remuneration

The Security Agent may fix the remuneration of any Receiver appointed by it and the maximum rate specified in section 109(6) of the Act will not apply.

11.4 Agent of the Chargor

- (a) A Receiver will be deemed to be the agent of the Chargor for all purposes and accordingly will be deemed to be in the same position as a Receiver duly appointed by a mortgagee under the Act. The Chargor alone is responsible for any contracts, engagements, acts, omissions, defaults and losses of a Receiver and for any liabilities incurred by a Receiver.
- (b) No Secured Party will incur any liability (either to the Chargor or to any other person) by reason of the appointment of a Receiver or for any other reason.

11.5 Relationship with Security Agent

To the fullest extent allowed by law, any right, power or discretion conferred by this Deed (either expressly or impliedly) or by law on a Receiver may after this Security becomes enforceable be

exercised by the Security Agent in relation to any Security Asset without first appointing a Receiver and notwithstanding the appointment of a Receiver.

12. POWERS OF RECEIVER

12.1 General

- (a) A Receiver has all of the rights, powers and discretions set out below in this Clause 12 in addition to those conferred on it by any law. This includes:
 - (i) in the case of an administrative receiver, all the rights, powers and discretions conferred on an administrative receiver under the Insolvency Act 1986; and
 - (ii) otherwise, all the rights, powers and discretions conferred on a receiver (or a receiver and manager) under the Act and the Insolvency Act 1986.
- (b) If there is more than one Receiver holding office at the same time, each Receiver may (unless the document appointing him/her states otherwise) exercise all of the powers conferred on a Receiver under this Deed individually and to the exclusion of any other Receiver.

12.2 Possession

A Receiver may take immediate possession of, get in and realise any Security Asset.

12.3 Carry on business

A Receiver may carry on any business of the Chargor in any manner he/she thinks fit.

12.4 Employees

- (a) A Receiver may appoint and discharge managers, officers, agents, accountants, servants, workmen and others for the purposes of this Deed upon such terms as to remuneration or otherwise as he/she thinks fit.
- (b) A Receiver may discharge any person appointed by the Chargor.

12.5 Borrow money

A Receiver may raise and borrow money either unsecured or on the security of any Security Asset either in priority to this Security or otherwise and generally on any terms and for whatever purpose which he/she thinks fit.

12.6 Sale of assets

- (a) A Receiver may sell, exchange, convert into money and realise any Security Asset by public auction or private contract and generally in any manner and on any terms which he/she thinks fit.
- (b) The consideration for any such transaction may consist of cash or non-cash consideration and any such consideration may be payable in a lump sum or by instalments spread over any period which he/she thinks fit.
- (c) Fixtures, other than landlord's fixtures, may be severed and sold separately from the property containing them without the consent of the Chargor.

12.7 Leases

A Receiver may let any Security Asset for any term and at any rent (with or without a premium) which he/she thinks fit and may accept a surrender of any lease or tenancy of any Security Asset on any terms which he/she thinks fit (including the payment of money to a lessee or tenant on a surrender).

12.8 Compromise

A Receiver may settle, adjust, refer to arbitration, compromise and arrange any claim, account, dispute, question or demand with or by any person who is or claims to be a creditor of the Chargor or relating in any way to any Security Asset.

12.9 Legal actions

A Receiver may bring, prosecute, enforce, defend and abandon any action, suit or proceedings in relation to any Security Asset which he/she thinks fit.

12.10 Receipts

A Receiver may give a valid receipt for any moneys and execute any assurance or thing which may be proper or desirable for realising any Security Asset.

12.11 Subsidiaries

A Receiver may form a Subsidiary of the Chargor and transfer to that Subsidiary any Security Asset.

12.12 Delegation

A Receiver may delegate his/her powers in accordance with this Deed.

12.13 Lending

A Receiver may lend money or advance credit to any person.

12.14 Protection of assets

A Receiver may:

- (a) effect any repair or insurance and do any other act which the Chargor might do in the ordinary conduct of its business to protect or improve any Security Asset;
- (b) commence and/or complete any building operation; and
- (c) apply for and maintain any planning permission, building regulation approval or any other Authorisation,

in each case as he/she thinks fit.

12.15 Other powers

A Receiver may:

- (a) do all other acts and things which he/she may consider necessary or desirable for realising any Security Asset or incidental or conducive to any of the rights, powers or discretions conferred on a Receiver under or by virtue of this Deed or law;

- (b) exercise in relation to any Security Asset all the powers, authorities and things which he/she would be capable of exercising if he/she were the absolute beneficial owner of that Security Asset; and
- (c) use the name of the Chargor for any of the above purposes.

13. APPLICATION OF PROCEEDS

All amounts from time to time received or recovered by the Security Agent or any Receiver pursuant to the terms of this Deed or in connection with the realisation or enforcement of all or part of this Security will be held by the Security Agent and applied in accordance with the Facility Agreement. This Clause 13:

- (a) is subject to the payment of any claims having priority over this Security; and
- (b) does not prejudice the right of any Secured Party to recover any shortfall from the Chargor.

14. EXPENSES AND INDEMNITY

The Chargor must:

- (a) immediately on demand pay to each Secured Party the amount of all costs and expenses (including legal fees) incurred by that Secured Party in connection with this Deed including any arising from any actual or alleged breach by any person of any law or regulation; and
- (b) keep each Secured Party indemnified against any failure or delay in paying those costs or expenses.

15. DELEGATION

15.1 Power of Attorney

The Security Agent or any Receiver may, at any time, delegate by power of attorney or otherwise to any person for any period all or any right, power, authority or discretion exercisable by it under this Deed.

15.2 Terms

Any such delegation may be made upon any terms and conditions (including the power to sub-delegate) and subject to any restrictions that the Security Agent or that Receiver (as the case may be) may, in its discretion, think fit in the interests of the Secured Parties.

15.3 Liability

Neither the Security Agent nor any Receiver shall be bound to supervise, or be in any way responsible for any damages, costs or losses incurred by reason of any misconduct, omission or default on the part of, any such delegate or sub-delegate.

16. FURTHER ASSURANCES

- (a) The Chargor must promptly, at its own expense, take whatever action the Security Agent or a Receiver may require for:
 - (i) creating, perfecting or protecting any security over any Security Asset; or

- (ii) facilitating the realisation of any Security Asset, or the exercise of any right, power or discretion exercisable, by the Security Agent or any Receiver or any of their respective delegates or sub-delegates in respect of any Security Asset.
- (b) The action that may be required under paragraph (a) above includes:
- (i) the execution of any mortgage, charge, transfer, conveyance, assignment or assurance of any asset, whether to the Security Agent or to its nominees; or
 - (ii) the giving of any notice, order or direction and the making of any filing or registration,
- which, in any such case, the Security Agent may consider necessary or desirable.

17. POWER OF ATTORNEY

The Chargor, by way of security, irrevocably and severally appoints the Security Agent, each Receiver and any of their respective delegates or sub-delegates to be its attorney with the full power and authority of the Chargor to execute, deliver and perfect all deeds, instruments and other documents in its name and otherwise on its behalf and to do or cause to be done all acts and things, in each case which may be required or which any attorney may in its absolute discretion deem necessary for carrying out any obligation of the Chargor under or pursuant to this Deed or generally for enabling the Security Agent or any Receiver to exercise the respective powers conferred on them under this Deed or by law. The Chargor ratifies and confirms whatever any attorney does or purports to do under its appointment under this Clause 17.

18. MISCELLANEOUS

18.1 Continuing Security

This Security is a continuing security and will extend to the ultimate balance of the Secured Liabilities regardless of any intermediate payment or discharge in whole or in part.

18.2 Tacking

A Lender must perform its obligations under the Facility Agreement (including any obligation to make available further advances).

18.3 New Accounts

- (a) If any subsequent charge or other interest affects any Security Asset, a Secured Party may open a new account with the Chargor.
- (b) If that Secured Party does not open a new account, it will nevertheless be treated as if it had done so at the time when it received or was deemed to have received notice of that charge or other interest.
- (c) As from that time all payments made to that Secured Party will be credited or be treated as having been credited to the new account and will not operate to reduce any Secured Liability.

18.4 Time deposits

Without prejudice to any right of set-off any Secured Party may have under any other Finance Document or otherwise, if any time deposit matures on any account the Chargor has with any Secured Party within the Security Period when:

- (a) this Security has become enforceable; and

(b) no Secured Liability is due and payable,

that time deposit will automatically be renewed for any further maturity which that Secured Party considers appropriate.

18.5 Notice to Chargor

This Deed constitutes notice in writing to the Chargor of any charge or assignment of a debt owed by the Chargor to any Obligor and contained in any other Security Document.

19. RELEASE

At the end of the Security Period, the Finance Parties must, at the request and cost of the Chargor, take whatever action is necessary to release the Security Assets from this Security.

20. GOVERNING LAW

This Deed and any non-contractual obligations arising out of or in connection with it are governed by English law.


THIS DEED has been executed and delivered as a deed on the date stated at the beginning of this Deed.

SCHEDULE 1
REAL PROPERTY


None

SIGNATORIES

Executed as a deed on
behalf of **THE SOUTHEND
UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB
LIMITED** acting by two
directors


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Director


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Director

Signed as a deed on behalf
of **SOUTH EASTERN
LEISURE UK LIMITED**
acting by a director in the
presence of:

DocuSigned by:

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Witness

DocuSigned by:

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Director

Witness Name: Lisa Basgallop

Witness Address: 118 Hullbrige Road, South woodham Ferrers, Essex CM35LL