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# Avro Motor Cars Surrey Limited (In Liquidation) Liquidator's Summary of Receipts & Payments

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	Pre-Appointment Fees/Expenses	NIL NIL	4,000.00
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(80,570.00)	HM Revenue & Customs - Corp. Tax	NIL	NIL
(16,431.00)	HM Revenue & Customs - VAT	NIL	NIL
(28,553.30)	Trade & Expense Creditors	NIL NIL	NIL NIL
	DIOTRIBUTION	NIL	NIL
	DISTRIBUTIONS		
(100.00)	Ordinary Shareholders	NIL	NIL
		NIL	NIL
125,654.30)		NIL	800.008
	REPRESENTED BY		
	Vat Receivable		800.00
			800,008

Mark Reynolds

Liquidator

Liquidator's Annual Progress Report to Creditors and Members

Avro Motor Cars Surrey Limited - In Liquidation

21 November 2019



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#### 1 Introduction and Statutory Information

- 1.1 I, Mark Reynolds, of Valentine & Co, Glade House, 52 54 Carter Lane, London, EC4V 5EF, was appointed as Liquidator of Avro Motor Cars Surrey Limited (the Company) on 20 November 2017. This report provides an update on the progress in the liquidation for the year ended 19 November 2019 (the Period) and should be read in conjunction with any previous progress reports which have been issued.
- 1.2 Information about the way that we will use, and store personal data on insolvency appointments can be found at <a href="https://www.valentine-co.com/resources/">https://www.valentine-co.com/resources/</a>. If you are unable to download this, please contact us and a hard copy will be provided to you.
- 1.3 The principal trading address of the Company was 8 Bridge House, Bridge Wharf, Chertsey, Surrey, KT16 8JB.
- 1.4 The registered office of the Company was changed to c/o Valentine & Co, Glade House, 52 54 Carter Lane, London, EC4V 5EF and its registered number is 08098264.

#### 2 Receipts and Payments

- 2.1 At Appendix A, I have provided an account of my Receipts and Payments for the period ended 19 November 2019 with a comparison to the Statement of Affairs values, together with a cumulative account since my appointment, which provides details of the remuneration charged and expenses incurred and paid by the Liquidator.
- 2.2 In Section 3 below, you will find an update on the progress made during the Period in realising the Company's assets and dealing with its affairs. I would, however, bring the following matters about the receipts and payments during the Period to your attention

#### **Progress of the Liquidation**

2.3 This section of the report provides creditors with an update on the progress made in the liquidation during the Period.

#### Administration (including statutory compliance & reporting)

- 2.4 An office holder must comply with certain statutory obligations under the Insolvency Act 1986 and other related legislation. Details about the work I anticipated would need to be done in this area was outlined to creditors in my initial fees estimate/information.
- 2.5 Where the costs of statutory compliance work or reporting to creditors exceeds the initial estimate, it will usually be because the duration of the case has taken longer than anticipated, possibly due to protracted asset realisations, which have in turn placed a further statutory reporting requirement on the Liquidator.
- 2.6 As noted in my initial fees estimate/information, this work will not necessarily bring any financial benefit to creditors, but is required on every case by statute.

#### Creditors (claims and distributions)

2.7 Further information on the anticipated outcome for creditors in this case can be found at section 3 of this report. A Liquidator is not only required to deal with correspondence and claims from unsecured creditors (which may include retention of title claims), but also those of any secured and preferential creditors of the Company. This may involve separate reporting to any secured creditor and dealing with distributions from asset realisations caught under their security, most typically a debenture.



- 2.8 Claims from preferential creditors typically involve employee claims and payments made on behalf of the Company by the Redundancy Payments Service following dismissal.
- 2.9 The above work will not necessarily bring any financial benefit to creditors generally, however a Liquidator is required by statute to undertake this work. Similarly, if a distribution is to be paid to any class of creditor, work will be required to agree those claims and process the dividend payments to each relevant class of creditor. The more creditors a company has, the more time and cost will be involved by the Liquidator in dealing with those claims.
- 2.10 I consider the following matters worth noting in my report to creditors at this stage:
  - There are three unsecured creditor claims in this case with a value per the director(s) statement of affairs of £125,554.30.
  - There are no secured or preferential creditors.

#### Investigations

- 2.11 You may recall from my first progress report to creditors that some of the work the Liquidator is required to undertake is to comply with legislation such as the Company Directors' Disqualification Act 1986 (CDDA 1986) and Statement of Insolvency Practice 2 Investigations by Office Holders in Administration and Insolvent Liquidations and may not necessarily bring any financial benefit to creditors, unless these investigations reveal potential asset recoveries that the Liquidator can pursue for the benefit of creditors.
- 2.12 My report on the conduct of the Directors of the Company to the Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy under the CDDA 1986 was submitted during the first year of the liquidation and is confidential.
- 2.13 Since my last progress report I would advise that no further asset realisations have come to light that may be pursued by me for the benefit of creditors.

#### Matters still to be dealt with

- 2.14 The Company's records suggest that £371,467.88 is owed to the Company in respect of commission due. This is disputed by the debtor and is currently with debt collection agents.
- 3 Creditors

#### **Secured Creditors**

3.1 There are no secured creditors.

#### **Preferential Creditors**

3.2 There are no preferential creditors.

#### **Unsecured Creditors**

- 3.3 I have received claims totalling £102,253.59 from all three creditors.
- 3.4 At this stage, it appears that there is no prospect of a dividend to unsecured creditors. I would confirm that it is anticipated there will be insufficient funds realised after defraying the expenses of the liquidation to pay a dividend to unsecured creditors.



#### 4 Liquidator's Remuneration

- 4.1 The Creditors approved that the basis of the Liquidator's remuneration be set by way of a £15,000 fixed followed by a percentage of the value of the assets he has to deal. The Liquidator has not drawn funds against the total set fee agreed of £15,000 approved by creditors.
- 4.2 The Liquidator has made the following realisations upon which the creditors have approved a percentage be taken as remuneration. Details of the realisations to date and associated remuneration drawn on account of those realisations is are set out below:

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Goodwill	0.00	4,800.00	20%	0.00	960.00

- 4.2 At the date of this report, I would confirm that my fees estimate for the liquidation remains unchanged.
- 4.3 The time spent on this case since my appointment relates to the following matters:
  - Attending to correspondence and telephone calls with creditors
  - Recording and acknowledging creditors claims
  - Investigations into the affairs of the Company
  - Preparation and submission of statutory report to the Secretary of State
  - Obtaining bonding and completing bond reviews, enabling the Liquidator to continue to act
  - Cashiering and updating insolvency computer system
  - Reviews of case
  - Statutory compliance which includes submissions to Companies House
  - Liaising with debt collection agent / collection of book debts

The time spent on this case during the preiod of this Progress Report relates to the following matters:

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- 4.4 A copy of 'A Creditors' Guide to Liquidators' Fees' is available on request or can be downloaded from <a href="http://www.valentine-co.com/resources/">http://www.valentine-co.com/resources/</a>.
- 4.5 Attached as Appendix B is additional information in relation to the Liquidator's fees, expenses and disbursements, including where relevant, information on the use of subcontractors and professional advisers.

#### 5 Opting out

- 5.1 Creditors have the right to elect to opt out of receiving further documents about the Liquidation, however where you choose to opt out, please be aware that you will continue to receive documents where:
- The Insolvency Act requires me to deliver a document to all creditors,
- It is notification of change in the appointed Liquidator or the Liquidator's contact details,
- It is notification about a dividend or proposed dividend, or
- It is a notice which the court orders to be sent to all creditors
- 5.2 Opting-out will not affect your entitlement to receive a dividend, in circumstances where a dividend is to be paid.
- Although a creditor who has opted out is entitled to participate in the making of decisions in relation to the Liquidation (or any subsequent insolvency proceedings), please note that by opting out you will not be given notice of decisions being sought.
- In order to opt out of receiving further documents, please make your request in writing, signed and dated by you or (if a company) someone entitled to sign on the creditor company's behalf. You will become an opted-out creditor when the notice is received by my office. You may at any time revoke your election to opt out by a further notice in writing, sent in the same way.

#### 6 Creditors' Rights

- 6.1 Within 21 days of the receipt of this report, a secured creditor, or an unsecured creditor (with the concurrence of at least 5% in value of the unsecured creditors) may request in writing that the Liquidator provide further information about their remuneration or expenses which have been itemised in this progress report.
- Any secured creditor, or an unsecured creditor (with the concurrence of at least 10% in value of the unsecured creditors) may within 8 weeks of receipt of this progress report make an application to court on the grounds that, in all the circumstances, the basis fixed for the Liquidator's remuneration is inappropriate and/or the remuneration charged or the expenses incurred by the Liquidator, as set out in this progress report, are excessive.

#### 7 Next Report

7.1 I am required to provide a further report on the progress of the liquidation within two months of the next anniversary of the liquidation, unless I have concluded matters prior to this, in which case I will write to all creditors with my final account.

Mark Reynolds

Liquidator



# Appendix A

Receipts and Payments Account for Period from 20 November 2018 to 19 November 2019 and Cumulative Receipts and Payments Account from 20 November 2017 to 19 November 2019

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Mark Reynolds Liquidator



### Appendix B

# Additional Information In Relation To Liquidator's Fees Pursuant To Statement Of Insolvency Practice 9 (SIP 9)

#### **Policy**

Detailed below is Valentine & Co's policy in relation to:

staff allocation and the use of sub-contractors:

professional advisors; and

disbursements.

#### Staff Allocation and the use of Sub-contractors

Our general approach to resourcing our assignments is to allocate staff with the skills and experience to meet the specific requirements of the case.

The constitution of the case team will usually consist of a Partner, a Manager and an Administrator or Assistant. The exact constitution of the team will depend on the size and complexity of the assignment and on larger, more complex cases, several staff may be allocated to meet the demands of the case.

With regard to support staff, time spent by cashiers in relation to specific tasks on an assignment is charged. Only if there is a large block of time incurred by a member of the secretarial team, will this be charged.

We are not proposing to utilise the services of any sub-contractors in this case.

#### Professional Advisors

On this assignment we have used the professional advisors listed below. We have also indicated alongside, the basis of our fee arrangement with them, which is subject to review on a regular basis.

Name of Professional Advisor	Basis of Fee Arrangement
Grace & Good Limited (debt collection)	% of realisations and disbursements

Our choice was based on our perception of their experience and ability to perform this type of work, the complexity and nature of the assignment and the basis of our fee arrangement with them.

#### Liquidator's Expenses & Disbursements

An analysis of the expenses paid to the date of this report, together with those incurred but not paid at the date of this report is provided below:

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Statutory advertising	0.00	0.00	145.00	145.00
Specific penalty bond	0.00	0.00	60.00	60.00



Category 1 disbursements do not require approval by creditors. The type of disbursements that may be charged as a Category 1 disbursement to a case generally comprise of external supplies of incidental services specifically identifiable to the case, such as postage, case advertising, invoiced travel and external printing, room hire and document storage. Also chargeable will be any properly reimbursed expenses incurred by personnel in connection with the case. These disbursements are included in the tables of expenses above.

Category 2 disbursements do require approval from creditors. These are costs which are directly referable to the appointment in question but are not payments which are made to an independent third party and may include shared or allocated costs that can be allocated to the appointment on a proper and reasonable basis such as internal room hire, document storage or business mileage. Details of Category 2 disbursements charged by this firm (where appropriate) were provided at the time the Liquidator's fees were approved by creditors. Any Category 2 disbursements incurred are specifically highlighted in the tables of expenses above. Valentine & Co reserve the right to alter their charge rates without notice from time to time.

#### **Charge-out Rates**

Details of the firm's current charge out rates are as follows (effective from 8 January 2015):

Managing Director	425
Other Directors / Consultants	325 – 375
Manager	200 – 300
Senior Administrator	150 – 200
Administrator	50 – 150
Junior / Support	50 – 100

Please note that this firm records its time in minimum units of 6 minutes.

# You do not have to give any conta

You do not have to give any contact information, but if you do it will help Companies House if there is a query on the form. The contact information you give will be visible to searchers of the public record.

Contact name	Mark Reynolds
Company name	Valentine & Co
Address	Glade House
	52 - 54 Carter Lane
Post town	London
County/Region	
Postcode	E C 4 V 5 E F
Country	
DX	
Telephone	0203 959 9595 / 0208 343 3710

✓ Checklist

We may return forms completed incorrectly or with information missing.

Please make sure you have remembered the following:

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

### Important information

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

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