In accordance with Rule 6.28 of the Insolvency (England & Wales) Rules 2016 and Section 106(3) of the Insolvency Act 1986.

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Company name in full	Adrian Engineering Services Ltd	bold black capitals.
2	Liquidator's name	
Full forename(s)	Yiannis	
Surname	Koumettou	
3	Liquidator's address	
Building name/number	1 Kings Avenue	
Street		
Post town	London	
County/Region		
Postcode	N 2 1 3 N A	
Country		
4	Liquidator's name <b>o</b>	
Full forename(s)	Ninos	<b>Other liquidator</b> Use this section to tell us about
Surname	Koumettou	another liquidator.
5	Liquidator's address ❷	
Building name/number	1 Kings Avenue	Other liquidator Use this section to tell us about
Street		another liquidator.
Post town	London	
County/Region		
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Contact name	Luis Leo	
Company name	Begbies Traynor (Central) LLP	
Address	1 Kings Avenue	
Post town	London	
County/Region		
Postcode	N 2 1 3 N A	
Country		
DX	DX 36953 Winchmore Hill	
Telephone	020 8370 7250	

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# Adrian Engineering Services Ltd (In Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation)

Final report and account of the liquidation

Period: 04/10/2022 to 02/10/2023

#### **Important Notice**

This report has been produced solely to comply with our statutory duty to report to creditors and members of the Company pursuant to Section 106 of the Insolvency Act 1986. This report is private and confidential and may not be relied upon, referred to, reproduced or quoted from, in whole or in part, by creditors and members for any purpose other than this report to them, or by any other person for any purpose whatsoever.

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#### INTERPRETATION 1.

Expression Meaning

"the Company" Adrian Engineering Services Ltd (In Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation)

"the liquidation" The appointment of liquidators on 4 October 2021.

"the liquidators",

"our" and "us"

Yiannis Koumettou of Begbies Traynor (Central) LLP, 1 Kings Avenue,

London, N21 3NA

and

Ninos Koumettou of Begbies Traynor (Central) LLP, 1 Kings Avenue, London,

N21 3NA

"the Act" The Insolvency Act 1986 (as amended)

"the Rules" The Insolvency (England & Wales) Rules 2016

"secured creditor" and

"unsecured creditor"

Secured creditor, in relation to a company, means a creditor of the company who holds in respect of his debt a security over property of the company, and

"unsecured creditor" is to be read accordingly (Section 248(1)(a) of the Act)

"security" In relation to England and Wales, any mortgage, charge, lien or other (i)

security (Section 248(1)(b)(i) of the Act); and

(ii) In relation to Scotland, any security (whether heritable or moveable), any floating charge and any right of lien or preference and any right of retention (other than a right of compensation or set off) (Section

248(1)(b)(ii) of the Act)

"preferential creditor" Any creditor of the Company whose claim is preferential within Sections 386,

387 and Schedule 6 to the Act

#### COMPANY INFORMATION 2.

Trading name(s): None

Company registered number: 10741772

Company registered office: 1 Kings Avenue, Winchmore Hill, London, N21 3NA

Former trading address: 65 Bostocke Close, Laindon, Basildon, Essex, SS15 5ET

#### DETAILS OF APPOINTMENT OF LIQUIDATORS 3.

Date winding up commenced: 04 October 2021

Date of liquidators' appointment: 04 October 2021

Changes in liquidator (if any): None

#### 4. PROGRESS SINCE OUR LAST REPORT

This is our final report and account of the liquidation and should be read in conjunction with the progress reports to creditors dated 01 December 2022.

#### Receipts and Payments

Attached at Appendix 1 is our abstract of receipts and payments for the period from 04/10/2022 to 02/10/2023, together with the cumulative totals for the whole period of Liquidation.

Creditors will note that no realisations have been made in the period of this report and details of past realisations can be found in my previous progress report.

What work has been done in the period of this report, why was that work necessary and what has been the financial benefit (if any) to creditors?

Details of the types of work that generally fall into the headings mentioned below are available on our firm's website - <a href="http://www.begbies-traynorgroup.com/work-details">http://www.begbies-traynorgroup.com/work-details</a> Under the following headings we have explained the specific work that has been undertaken on this case. Not every piece of work has been described, but we have sought to give a proportionate overview which provides sufficient detail to allow creditors to understand what has been done, why it was necessary and what financial benefit (if any) the work has provided to creditors.

The costs are not split out per heading, as our remuneration is based on a fixed sum.

The details below relate to the work undertaken in the period of the report only. Our previous report contains details of the work undertaken since our appointment.

#### General case administration and planning

This represents the work that is involved in the routine administrative functions of the case by the office holders and their staff, together with the control and supervision of the work done on the case by the office holder and their managers. Insolvency Practitioners are required to maintain records to demonstrate how the case is administered, and to document any decisions that materially affect the case.

The following tasks were carried out within the period of this report:-

- Dealing with all routine correspondence and emails relating to the case.
- Maintaining and managing the office holder's estate bank account.
- Maintaining and managing the office holder's cashbook.
- Undertaking regular reconciliations of the bank account containing estate funds.
- Undertaking periodic reviews of the progress of the case.
- Overseeing and controlling the work done on the case by case administrators.
- Seeking closure clearance from relevant parties.

Whilst this does not benefit creditors financially, it is necessary to ensure the efficient and compliant progressing of the liquidation, which ensures that the office holders and their staff carry out their work to high professional standards.

#### Compliance with the Insolvency Act, Rules and best practice

The Insolvency Practitioners are governed by the Insolvency Act and Rules, together with following best practice guidelines known as Statements of Insolvency Practice. We have certain statutory obligations and duties to fulfil whilst in office. We are also duty bound to correspond with creditors and issue notice of the insolvency event to various parties.

The following was undertaken in the period of this report:-

- Reviewing the adequacy of the specific penalty bond on a quarterly basis.
- Preparing, reviewing and filing reports at Companies House and issuing to creditors and members.

This work does not benefit creditors financially but is necessary in accordance with the Insolvency Act, Rules and best practice.

#### **Investigations**

The office holders are required by the Statements of Insolvency Practice to undertake an initial investigation in all cases to determine whether there are potential recovery actions for the benefit of creditors. The insolvency legislation gives the office holder powers to take recovery action in respect of what are known as antecedent transactions, where assets have been disposed of prior to the commencement of the insolvency procedure and also in respect of matters such as misfeasance and wrongful trading. Such recovery actions will be for the benefit of the creditors.

The office holder is also required by legislation to report to the Insolvency Service on the conduct of the directors and the work to enable them to comply with this statutory obligation is of no direct benefit to the creditors, although it may identify potential recovery actions.

The following was undertaken in the period of this report:-

Liaising with director regarding outstanding queries as per the financial records of the Company

In this matter, we did not identify any recovery actions that could be taken for the benefit of the creditors.

#### Realisation of assets

Insolvency Practitioners are required to maximise realisations for the benefit of the Company's creditors. They may produce a direct benefit for creditors but are subject to the costs of the proceedings generally. We undertake the work to protect and then realise the assets, initially at our own cost, suffering the loss if any asset is not realisable. If assets are recovered, we first recover our costs and then distribute any balance.

Creditors will recall that the Statement of Affairs did not list any realisable assets in this matter other than cash held, and no other assets were identified from our investigations.

#### Dealing with all creditors' claims (including employees), correspondence and distributions

Creditors' claims are dealt with in accordance with the order of priority and therefore, only when there is a confirmed prospect of a dividend in the insolvency proceedings to any class of creditor will those specific claims be adjudicated on. However, all claims received have been noted and registered. The following tasks were carried out in the reporting period:-

- Dealing with creditor correspondence, emails and telephone conversations regarding their claims.
- Maintaining up to date creditor information on the case management system.

Other matters which includes seeking decisions from creditors (via Deemed Consent Procedure and/or Decision Procedures), tax, litigation, pensions and travel

During the course of administering the case, there are certain tasks that do not necessarily fall under any of the other categories above.

The following additional work was carried out in this respect:

- Preparing and submitting VAT returns in order to reclaim monies for the estate
- Issuing notifications and providing further assistance to pension departments

This work does not benefit creditors financially but is necessary in accordance with best practice.

#### OUTCOME FOR CREDITORS

Details of the sums owed to each class of the Company's creditors were provided in the director's statement of affairs.

On the basis of realisations, the outcome for each class of the Company's creditors is as follows:

Secured creditors

There are no known secured creditors.

Preferential creditors

There are no known preferential claims.

Secondary preferential creditors

Based upon realisations to date and estimated future realisations, there will be insufficient funds available to enable a dividend to be paid to HM Revenue & Customs as secondary preferential creditor.

Prescribed Part for unsecured creditors pursuant to Section 176A of the Act

Section 176A of the Act provides that, where the company has created a floating charge on or after 15 September 2003, the liquidator must make a prescribed part of the Company's net property available for the unsecured creditors and not distribute it to the floating charge holder except in so far as it exceeds the amount required for the satisfaction of unsecured debts. Net property means the amount which would, were it not for this provision, be available to floating charge holders out of floating charge assets (i.e. after accounting for preferential debts and the costs of realising the floating charge assets). The prescribed part of the Company's net property is calculated by reference to a sliding scale as follows:

(Where charge is created between 15th September 2003 and up to 6th April 2020)

	50% of the first £10,000 of net property;			
	20% of net property thereafter;			
	Up to a maximum amount to be made available of £600,000			
(Where charge is created on or after 6 <sup>th</sup> April 2020)				
	50% of the first £10,000 of net property;			
	20% of net property thereafter:			

A liquidator will not be required to set aside the prescribed part of net property if:

Up to a maximum amount to be made available of £800,000

- the net property is less than £10,000 and the liquidator thinks that the cost of distributing the prescribed part would be disproportionate to the benefit; (Section 176A(3)) or
- the liquidator applies to the court for an order on the grounds that the cost of distributing the prescribed part would be disproportionate to the benefit and the court orders that the provision shall not apply (Section 176A(5)).

To the best of our knowledge and belief, there are no unsatisfied floating charges created or registered on or after 15 September 2003 and, consequently, there is no net property as defined in Section 176A(6) of the Act and, therefore, no prescribed part of net property is available for distribution to the unsecured creditors.

#### **Unsecured creditors**

I am required by the Insolvency (England & Wales) Rules 2016 to inform creditors if:

- (a) I intend to declare a final dividend;
- (b) if no dividend will be declared; or
- (c) if no further dividend will be declared.

In this case we confirm that no dividend is available for unsecured creditors as the funds realised have already been distributed or used or allocated for defraying the expenses of the liquidation. Consequently we have not taken steps to formally agree the claims of unsecured creditors.

#### 6. REMUNERATION & EXPENSES

#### Remuneration

Our remuneration has been fixed by a resolution of creditors at a meeting held on 04/10/2022 as a set amount in the sum of £15,000.00.

We are also authorised to draw expenses for services provided by our firm and/or entities within the Begbies Traynor group, in accordance with our firm's policy, which was previously circulated.

To 02/10/2023, we have drawn the total sum of £800.00 on account of our approved fixed fee of £15,000.00.

What was the anticipated payment for administering the case in full and did the joint liquidators receive that payment?

We estimated that the cost of administering the case would be in the region of £15,000.00, and subsequently you provided approval for us to draw our remuneration up to that level.

Details of what remuneration has been drawn is detailed above. All additional costs incurred over and above what has been approved are to be written off.

However, please note that should there be additional or unexpected asset realisations, we will look to draw further remuneration from those too, capped at the level that the creditors have approved.

#### Work undertaken prior to appointment

In addition to the post appointment costs detailed above, the costs relating to work undertaken prior to our appointment in assisting with the preparation of the statement of affairs and seeking the decisions of creditors on the nomination of liquidators were approved by the creditors on 04/10/2022 in the sum of £4,000.00 + VAT.

#### Category 1 Expenses

To 02/10/2023, we have also incurred expenses in the sum of £192.50.

#### Category 2 Expenses

In this matter no category 2 expenses have been incurred.

A copy of 'A Creditors' Guide to Liquidators Fees (E&W) 2021' which provides guidance on creditors' rights on how to approve and monitor a Liquidator's remuneration and on how the remuneration is set can be obtained online at <a href="https://www.begbies-traynorgroup.com/services-to/creditors/creditors-guides">https://www.begbies-traynorgroup.com/services-to/creditors/creditors-guides</a>

Alternatively, if you require a hard copy of the Guide, please contact our office and we will arrange to send you a copy.

#### 7. LIQUIDATORS' EXPENSES

A statement of the expenses incurred since our last progress report is attached at Appendix 2. A cumulative statement showing the total expenses incurred since the date of our appointment also appears at Appendix 2.

Creditors will recall that we estimated that the expenses of the liquidation would total £384.05

As can be seen in Appendix 2, the cumulative expenses which have been discharged during the course of the liquidation have not exceeded our estimate.

#### 8. UNREALISABLE ASSETS

There are no assets that have proved to be unrealisable.

#### OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Investigations and reporting on directors conduct

You may be aware that a liquidator has a duty to enquire into the affairs of an insolvent company to determine its property and liabilities and to identify any actions which could lead to the recovery of funds. In addition, a liquidator is also required to consider the conduct of the Company's directors and to make an appropriate submission to the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy. We can confirm that we have discharged our duties in these respects.

Connected party transactions

We have not been made aware of any sales of the Company's assets to connected parties.

Use of personal information

#### 10. CREDITORS' RIGHTS

Right to request further information

Pursuant to Rule 18.9 of the Rules, 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, including that creditor, (or an unsecured creditor with less than 5% in value of the unsecured creditors, but with the permission of the court) may request in writing that we provide further information about our remuneration or expenses which have been incurred during the period of this progress report.

Right to make an application to court

Pursuant to Rule 18.34 of the Rules, any secured creditor or any unsecured creditor with the concurrence of at least 10% in value of the unsecured creditors including that creditor, (or any unsecured creditors with less than 10% in value of the unsecured creditors, but with the permission of the court) may, within 8 weeks of receipt of this progress report, make an application to court on the grounds that the remuneration charged or the expenses incurred during the period of this progress report are excessive or, the basis fixed for our remuneration is inappropriate.

#### 11. CONCLUSION

This report and account of receipts and payments is our final account of the winding-up, showing how the liquidation has been conducted and details of how the Company's property has been disposed of.

Unless creditors object, by giving notice in writing within 8 weeks of the delivery of the notice of our final account, we will have our release from liability at the same time as vacating office. We will vacate office upon our delivering to the Registrar of Companies our final account.

Should you require further explanation of any matters contained within this report, you should contact our office and speak to the case manager, Luis Leo in the first instance, who will be pleased to assist.

Yiannis Koumettou ACA, MABRP Joint Liquidator

Dated: 2 October 2023

## ACCOUNT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Period: 04/10/2022 to 02/10/2023

### Adrian Engineering Services Ltd (In Liquidation) Joint Liquidators' Summary of Receipts & Payments

From 04/10/2023 To 02/10/2023	From 04/10/2022 To 02/10/2023		Statement of Affairs
10 02/10/2023 £	10 02/10/2023 £		of Affairs £
	<b>L</b>		L
		ASSET REALISATIONS	
4,800.00	NIL	Cash Held	4,800.00
4,800.00	NIL		
		COST OF REALISATIONS	
800.00	800.00	Liquidators' Fees	
4,000.00	NIL	Statement of Affairs Fee	
(4,800.00	(800.00)		
•		SECONDARY PREFERENTIAL CREDITORS	
NII	NIL	HMRC - VAT/PAYE/CIS	11,926.39)
NIL	NIL		
		UNSECURED CREDITORS	
NII	NIL	Adrian Andreica - Director	(2,610.00)
NII	NIL	Bank - Bounce Back Loan	7,000.00)
NII	NIL	Banks/Institutions	19,928.59)
NII	NIL		
		DISTRIBUTIONS	
NIL	NIL	Ordinary Shareholders	10,000.00)
NIL	NIL	•	,
NIL	(800.00)		56,664.98)
		REPRESENTED BY	•
NIL			

Yiannis Koumettou Joint Liquidator

## STATEMENT OF EXPENSES

Type of expense	Name of party with whom expense incurred	Amount incurred £	Amount discharged £	Balance (to be discharged) £
Expenses incurred v	vith entities not within the Be	egbies Traynor Gr	oup	
Statutory advertising	The Legal & Public Notices	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bond	Insolvency Risk Services	0.00	0.00	0.00

## **CUMULATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENSES**

Type of expense	Name of party with whom expense incurred	Amount incurred
	·	£
Statutory advertising	The Legal & Public Notices	174.50
Bond	Insolvency Risk Services	18.00

# ADRIAN ENGINEERING SERVICES LTD (IN CREDITORS' VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION) REGISTERED COMPANY NUMBER: 10741772

## NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT UNDER RULE 6.28 OF THE INSOLVENCY (ENGLAND AND WALES) RULES 2016

- 1. The Company's affairs are fully wound up.
- 2. A secured creditor or an unsecured creditor with the concurrence of at least 5% in value of the unsecured creditors (including the creditor in question) or with the permission of the court, may request in writing that the Liquidators provide further information about their remuneration or expenses as set out in the final report. A request, or an application to the court for permission, by such a person or persons must be made or filed with the court (as applicable) within 21 days of receipt of the final report by the person, or by the last of them in the case of an application by more than one creditor.
- 3. A secured creditor or an unsecured creditor with the concurrence of at least 10% in value of the unsecured creditors (including the creditor in question) or with permission of the court, may within 8 weeks after receipt of the final report make an application to court on the grounds that, in all the circumstances, the basis fixed for the Liquidators' remuneration is inappropriate and/or the remuneration charged or the expenses incurred by the Liquidators, as set out in the final account, are excessive.
- 4. A creditor may object to the release of the Liquidators by giving notice in writing to the Liquidators before the end of the prescribed period.
- 5. The prescribed period is the period ending at the later of:
  - a. eight weeks after delivery of this notice, or
  - b. if any request for information as detailed in point 2 above is received or an application to court made as detailed in point 3 above, when that request or application is finally determined.
- 6. The Liquidators will vacate office under Section 171 of the Insolvency Act 1986, as soon as the Liquidators have delivered their final account to the Registrar of Companies confirming whether any creditors have objected to the Liquidators' release.
- 7. The Liquidators will be released at the same time as vacating office unless any of the creditors object to the release.

Date: 2 October 2023

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Signed:

Yiannis Koumettou ACA, MABRP Joint Liquidator

The Liquidators' postal address is at 1 Kings Avenue, London, N21 3NA. They can also be contacted via Luis Leo by e-mail at luis.leo@btquk.com or by telephone on 0208 370 7250.