In accordance with Rule 3.12 (2)(b) of the Insolvency (Scotland) (Receivership and Winding Up) Rules 2018 & Section 94(3) of the Insolvency Act 1986.

# LIQ13 (Scot) Notice of final account prior to dissolution in MVL





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Company number	S C 0 0 1 8 4 6	Filling in this form Please complete in typescript or in
Company name in full	The Scottish Metropolitan Property Company Limited	bold black capitals.
2	Liquidator's name	
Full forename(s)	Richard	
Surname	Barker	
3	Liquidator's address	
Building name/numbe	er 1	
Street	More London Place	
Post town	London	
County/Region		
Postcode	S E 1 2 A F	
Country	United Kingdom	
4	Liquidator's name ●	
Full forename(s)	Samantha Jane	Other liquidator Use this section to tell us about
Surname	Keen	another liquidator.
5	Liquidator's address •	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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6	Final account	
	I have delivered the final account of the winding up to the members in accordance with Section 94(2) and attach a copy.	
7	Sign and date	
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## Presenter information

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	Shaun Walshaw
Company name	Ernst & Young LLP
Address	1 More London Place
Post town	London
County/Region	
Postcode	S E 1 2 A F
Country	United Kingdom
DX	
Telephone	020 7197 7961

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# 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.

### Where to send

You may return this form to any Companies House address, however for expediency we advise you to return it to the address below:

The Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Fourth floor, Edinburgh Quay 2, 139 Fountainbridge, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH3 9FF. DX ED235 Edinburgh.

### Further information

For further information please see the guidance notes on the website at www.gov.uk/companieshouse or email enquiries@companieshouse.gov.uk

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TO THE MEMBERS

28 May 2019

Ref: MLP/5W/RB/MC/LG/SW Direct Line: 02071977961 - Shaun

Email: mccomber@uk.ey.com

**Dear Sirs** 

### The Scottish Metropolitan Property Company Limited (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation) ("the Company")

Samantha Jane Keen and I were appointed as Joint Liquidators of the Company on 19 June 2018. I write to advise you that we are now in a position to conclude the Liquidation.

This letter, and its appendices, constitutes our proposed final account to members.

I enclose formal notice of our intention to deliver a final account. Under Rule 3.11(3) of the Insolvency (Scotland) (Receivership and Winding up) Rules 2018 ("the Rules"), we may conclude that the Company's affairs are fully wound up before the date given in the notice if every member of the Company confirms in writing that they do not intend to make an application to challenge the Liquidators' remuneration or expenses, nor do they intend to submit a request for additional information in relation to the Liquidators' remuneration or expenses.

We have not so far received any requests for further information, nor have any concerns been raised about our remuneration or expenses.

In order to bring the Liquidation to a close as efficiently as possible, we would like to treat this account as the final account, without sending out another in eight weeks' time. In order to do so, we must have your written confirmation as outlined above. If you are content for us to conclude the Liquidation in this way, please would you sign and date the confirmation at the foot of one copy of the enclosed notice and return it to me within the next seven days either by email to mcoomber@uk.ev.com or by post to the address above

#### Information about the Company and the Liquidators

The Rules require us to provide certain information about the Company and the Liquidators. The information can be found in Appendix A of this document. A copy of our receipts and payments account for the period from 19 June 2018 to 28 May 2019 is at Appendix B.



#### Progress during the period covered by the account

#### **Assets**

As at the date of the Liquidation, the Company's only asset was an intercompany receivable of £1 due from its parent, Haslemere Estates Limited.

The intercompany receivable was distributed in specie to Haslemere Estates Limited on 28 May 2019 and represented a return of £1 per ordinary share.

#### Liabilities

The Company had one potential creditor, Computershare Investor Services PLC, in relation to the registry service. The Liquidators have received confirmation from the Computershare that the registry service was terminated in May 2018 and there were no outstanding claims.

The Company had no other known internal or external creditors at the date of Liquidation. An advert was placed in the London Gazette requesting creditors of the Company to prove their claims by 10 August 2018. No such claims were received.

It is customary in a liquidation to seek confirmation from the relevant Crown authorities that they have no claim in respect of corporation tax, VAT, PAYE and National Insurance Contributions. HM Revenue and Customs have confirmed that they have no claims in respect of corporation tax and VAT. The Company did not operate a PAYE Scheme and therefore no tax clearance for PAYE and National Insurance Contributions is required.

#### Joint Liquidators' remuneration and expenses

Our remuneration was fixed on a time-cost basis by a resolution of members on 19 June 2018.

Details of amounts paid, name of the payor and the relationship between the payor and the Company, are available upon request to the Liquidators at 1 More London Place, London, SE1 2AF.

A contractual arrangement exists with a third party in respect of the Joint Liquidators' remuneration and as such there is no recourse to the estate.

During the Liquidation, we have incurred expenses relating to statutory advertising and statutory bonding which have also been paid by another group company without recourse to the liquidation estate.

# Members' rights to further information about, and challenge, remuneration and expenses

In certain circumstances, members are entitled to request further information about our remuneration or expenses, or to apply to court if members consider the costs to be excessive.

#### Other matters

#### **DWF LLP**

On 30 November 2018, we received a letter from DWF LLP on behalf of Scottish Water Business Stream Limited in respect of water supply to a property at 58 Quarry Street, Hamilton.

The Liquidators have consulted with the GE Capital Group, the ultimate parent of the Company, who confirmed that there is no evidence in the Company's record to indicate that it ever owned or rented this property. As such, the Company should not be held liable for the amounts owed. The same was confirmed to DWF LLP and no claim has been received in the liquidation.

#### EDF Energy

We have received multiple invoices from EDF Energy relating to electricity supply to a property at Gordon Chambers, Glasgow.

This property was sold by the Company to a third party in 1981 and EDF Energy has been informed to contact the registered titleholder for the property directly regarding any outstanding liabilities in respect to this property.

#### 6 Royal Exchange Square, Glasgow ("the Property")

A valuation notice was received from Glasgow City Council in relation to the Property. Subsequently, the Liquidators have consulted with the GE Capital Group who confirmed that they do not hold any record of the Company having owned the Property. As such, the Company should not be held liable or responsible as the proprietor for any rates associated with it. The same was confirmed to Glasgow City Council and no formal claim has been received.

Should you wish to discuss any matters arising from this report, please do not hesitate to contact Shaun Walshaw on the direct line telephone number shown above.

Yours faithfully for the Company

Richard Barker Joint Liquidator

Enc. Combined notice of draft and final account

Richard Barker and Samantha Keen are authorised to act as an insolvency practitioner by The Insolvency Practitioners Association.

The Joint Liquidators may act as data controllers of personal data as defined by the General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679, depending upon the specific processing activities undertaken. Ernst & Young LLP and/or the Company may act as a data processor on the instructions of the Joint Liquidators. Personal data will be kept secure and processed only for matters relating to the Joint Liquidators' appointment. The Office Holder Data Privacy Notice can be found at <a href="https://www.ev.com/uk/officeholderprivacy">www.ev.com/uk/officeholderprivacy</a>.

# The Scottish Metropolitan Property Company Limited (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation) ("the Company")

### Information about the Company and the Liquidators

Registered office address of the Company: Ernst & Young LLP

1 More London Place, London, SE1 2AF

Registered number: SC001846

Full names of the Liquidators: Richard Barker and Samantha Jane Keen

Liquidators' address 1 More London Place, London, SE1 2AF

Telephone number on which the Liquidators can

be contacted:

020 7197 7961

Date of appointment: 19 June 2018

Details of any changes of Liquidator: None

# The Scottish Metropolitan Property Company Limited (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation)

Joint Liquidators' receipts and payments account for the period from 19 June 2018 to 28 May 2019

Declaration of Solvency Estimated to Realise Amount		In this report period 19 June 2018 to 28 May 2019
E	Receipts	£
1	Intercompany receivable	
	Payments	-
	None	
	Balance at bank at 28 May 2019	

#### Notes

- 1. Receipts and payments are stated net of VAT.
- 2. The Liquidators' remuneration was fixed on a time-cost basis by the members.
- 3. The intercompany receivable amount was distributed in specie to the Company's member on 28 May 2019.

#### Combined notice of draft and final account to members and confirmation

# The Scottish Metropolitan Property Company Limited (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation) ("the Company")

Other trading name(s) or style(s): None

Any other registered name in the 12 months prior to Liquidation: None

Registered number: SC001846

Registered office address: Atria One, 144 Morrison Street, Edinburgh,

**EH3 8EX** 

Principal trading address (if different from above): None

Date of appointment of Joint Liquidators 19 June 2018

Richard Barker

Ernst & Young LLP

1 More London Place,
London, SE1 2AF

Samantha Jane Keen
Ernst & Young LLP

1 More London Place,
London, SE1 2AF

Office holder number: 17150 / 9250

Telephone number: 020 7197 7961

Name of alternative person to contact about the Liquidation: Shaun Walshaw

Date of notice: 28 May 2019

In accordance with Rules 3.11 and 3.12 of The Insolvency (Scotland) (Receivership and Winding up) Rules 2018, we give notice that a final account will be made up and delivered to members on 25 July 2019 unless within 14 days of 28 May 2019 we receive written confirmation from each member that they do not intend to make any request for further information or to make an application to challenge the Liquidators' remuneration or expenses.

We also give notice that, when the Company's affairs are fully wound up and on receipt of the above mentioned written confirmation from every member:

- · We will make up the final account and deliver it to the members; and
- We will deliver the final account to the Registrar of Companies and the Accountant in Bankruptcy in accordance with section 94(3)(6) of the Insolvency Act 1986 ("the Act") and when the final account is delivered, we will vacate office under section 171(6)(7) of the Act and be released under section 173(2)(d)(8) of the Act.

Signed: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Name: Richard Barker Joint Liquidator

Please complete and return the confirmation on the next page

# The Scottish Metropolitan Property Company Limited (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation)

### Member's confirmation

I have received the Liquidators' draft and final account dated 28 May 2019 and confirm that:

- 1. I do not intend to make a request under for further information, and
- 2. I do not intend to make an application to challenge the Liquidators' remuneration or expenses

Name of member Haslemere Estates Limited (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation)				
Signature:				
Date:				
For corporate members				
Name of Signatory: Richard Barker, the Joint Liquidator of Haslemere Estates Limited				
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Designation (eg director/secretary):				

Please return this completed confirmation within the next seven days