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Full forename(s)	MATTHEW	
Surname	FOX	
3	Liquidator's address	
Building name/number	BEACON	
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	SOLENT BUSINESS PARK	
Post town	WHITELEY	
County/Region	HAMPSHIRE	
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EMERGING TECHNIQUES LIMITED (In Members' Voluntary Liquidation)

**Annual Progress Report to 02 March 2021** 

# Matthew Fox – Liquidator BEACON

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#### 1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This Progress Report summarises the progress of the liquidation for the period from 03 March 2020 to 02 March 2021 ("the Review Period").

A summary of key information in this report is detailed below.

#### 1.1 Realisations

Asset	Est. to realise per Declaration of Solvency	Realisations to date	Estimated future realisations	Estimated total realisations
Cash at Bank	412,259.00	300,238.92	<u>-</u>	300,238.92
Bank Interest		1.64	-	1.64
HMRC VAT Refund	-	730.00	-	730.00

1.2 Expenses

Expense	Expense incurred to date	Estimated further expense to closure	Estimated total expense
Liquidator's Fee	1,335.75		1,335.75
Liquidator's Bond	360.00	-	360.00
Statutory Advertising	254.25	•	254.25
Declaration of Solvency Fee	750.00	•	750.00
Input VAT	540.00	•	540.00

#### 1.3 Distributions

Class - Unsecured Creditors	Distribution paid to date	Est. total distribution, based upon the above
HMRC VAT Payment	77.00	100p/£
Bank Charge	50.00	100p/£
Class – Ordinary shareholders		
Ordinary shareholders	296,871.92	100p/£

#### 2. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this report is to detail my acts and dealing as Liquidator of Emerging Techniques Limited (In Liquidation) ("the Company") for the year ended 02 March 2021 and it should be read in conjunction with my previous correspondence to members.

Attached at Appendix 1 is a summary of statutory information regarding the Company and the Liquidation.

#### 3. ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING (INCLUDING STATUTORY REPORTING)

As Liquidator, I am required to meet a considerable number of statutory and regulatory obligations. Whilst many of these tasks do not have a direct benefit, they assist in the efficient and compliant progressing of the liquidation, which ensures that I and my staff carry out our work to high professional standards. The narrative detail in respect of these tasks may be found in Appendix 4.

#### 4. ASSET REALISATIONS

My Receipts and Payment Account for the period ending 02 March 2021, is attached at Appendix 2. I have detailed below key information about asset realisation, however, a more detailed narrative about the work undertaken may be found at Appendix 4.

According to the Declaration of Solvency lodged in these proceedings, the assets of the Company had an estimated value of £412,259.00 which comprised principally of;

Cash at Bank

412,259.00

#### Cash at Bank

The Company's bank account was closed and the closing balance of £NIL has been received, after deduction of liabilities and distributions.

The Declaration of Solvency estimated that the Liquidation estate would contain cash at bank of £412,259.00 and the balance on the account as at Liquidation was £300,238.92. This difference relates to payment of Corporation Tax owing from the Company bank account prior to Liquidation and the date that the Declaration of Solvency was sworn. This is different from the sum transferred to the Liquidation account of £NIL, primarily because all outstanding Company liabilities and shareholder distributions were paid from the Company bank account prior to closure.

I have also received £1.64 in bank interest on behalf of the Company.

#### Tax Refunds

The sum of £730.00 relating to the VAT on my fees in the liquidation and the VAT on the accountancy fee in relation to Liquidation has been received on behalf of the Company.

#### **Assets Distributed in Specie**

The Declaration of Solvency lists nothing to be distributed in specie to the shareholders.

#### **Plant and Machinery**

The Declaration of Solvency lists no assets bought on finance.

#### **Book Debts**

No Book Debts are factored within the Declaration of Solvency.

#### **Payments**

No further payments were received on behalf of the company.

#### 5 CREDITORS

I have had to carry out key tasks which are detailed at Appendix 4.

#### **Unsecured creditors**

A notice to creditors requiring them to submit claims was published in the Gazette. In addition, several letters were sent to HMRC seeking confirmation of their claims and that no tax liabilities remained.

I duly contacted HMRC insolvency operations regarding PAYE, NI, and VAT to inform them of the Liquidation status of the Company, and to ask for confirmation as to whether they had any outstanding claims in the Company. I am yet to receive clearance from HMRC relating to PAYE, NI, and VAT that they have no additional claims in the Company.

I duly contacted HMRC regarding Corporation Tax to inform them of the Liquidation status of the Company, and to ask for confirmation as to whether they had any outstanding claims in the Company. HMRC required a pre-liquidation CT return for the period 19.02.2020 – 02.03.2020 and a nil return was duly submitted on 06 July 2020. I am yet to receive clearance from HMRC relating to Corporation Tax that they have no additional claims in the Company.

The company was deregistered for VAT on 2 July 2020.

The following payments were made to creditors:

Date payment	of	Class of creditor / payment	Total amount paid
		Preferential creditors – 100p in the £	N/A

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03.03.2020	Non-preferential unsecured creditors – 100p in the £ - HMRC VAT Payment	77.00
03.03.2020	Non-preferential unsecured creditors – 100p in the £ - Bank Service Charge	50.00
	Statutory interest	N/A

#### 6. DISTRIBUTIONS TO SHAREHOLDERS

The following distributions were made to the shareholders:

Date of distribution	[£/p] per share distributed	Total amount distributed (cash)	Total amount distributed (in specie)
03.03.2020	100p/£	296,871.92	N/A

A further, final, distribution to shareholders is expected to be paid following receipt of HMRC clearances relating to PAYE, NI, VAT and Corporation Tax that they hold no further claims in the Company.

#### 7. COSTS AND EXPENSES

The payments shown on the Receipts and Payments Account at Appendix 2 are in the main self-explanatory.

The Liquidators remuneration was approved by a resolution of the members to be paid as a set amount of £2,700.00 plus VAT and including disbursements. This fee has been paid.

#### **Liquidators' Disbursements**

The Liquidators' category 1 disbursements paid are detailed at Appendix 2 and represent the simple reimbursement of actual out of pocket payments made on behalf of the assignment.

#### **Guide to Liquidator's Fees**

Members are advised that guidelines regarding professional fees are published by the Association of Business Recovery Professionals ("R3") in a publication titled "Guide to Liquidators Fees", a copy of which can be obtained from <a href="https://www.beaconllp.com/uploads/assets/Guide%20to%20Fees/MVL%20Guide%20to%20Fees.pdf">https://www.beaconllp.com/uploads/assets/Guide%20to%20Fees/MVL%20Guide%20to%20Fees.pdf</a>

#### 8. FURTHER INFORMATION

Members of the Company with at least 5% of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at general meetings of the Company, or any member with the permission of the court, may request further details of the Joint Liquidators' remuneration and expenses, within 21 days of receipt of this report.

Members of the Company with at least 10% of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote at general meetings of the Company, or any member with the permission of the court, may apply to court to challenge the amount and/or basis of the Joint Liquidators' fees and the amount of any proposed expenses or expenses already incurred on the grounds that they are excessive or inappropriate, within 8 weeks of receipt of this report.

#### 9. CONCLUSION

The administration of the liquidation will continue in order to finalise the following outstanding matters:

- Receipt of HMRC clearances relating to PAYE, NI, VAT and Corporation Tax that they hold no further claims in the Company.
- Final distribution of funds to the shareholders.

Should you require any further information please contact Liz Coveney on 023 8065 1441 or via email <u>liz@beaconllp.com</u>.

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Matthew Fox Liquidator

Appendix 1

#### STATUTORY INFORMATION

**Company** 

Registered Office: 93 Monks Way, Southampton, SO18 2LR

Former Registered Office: 99 Leigh Road, Eastleigh, Hampshire, SO50

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Registered Number: 06467081

Previous Company Name: N/A

Name of Liquidator: Matthew Fox

Address of Liquidator: Beacon, Spaces, 4500 Parkway, Solent

Business Park, Whiteley, Fareham, PO15

7AZ

IP Number: 9325

Date of Appointment as Liquidator: 03 March 2020

Appointed by: Members

Case Contact Name: Liz Coveney

Contact Telephone Number: 023 8065 1441

Contact Email Addresses: <u>liz@beaconllp.com</u> / <u>mfox@beaconllp.com</u>

# Liquidator's Receipts & Payments Account For the period 03 March 2020 to 02 March 2021

Appendix 2

Bank Interest - 1.64 HMRC VAT Refund - 730.00  300,970.56 3	£ 300,238.92 1.64 730.00 300,970.56
Cash at Bank	300,238.92 1.64 730.00 300,970.56
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PAYMENTS	
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Costs of Liquidation:	
Est. Costs of Liquidation (3,240.00)	(4 005 75)
Liquidator's Fee (1,335.75) Liquidator's Bond Fee (360.00)	(1,335.75)
Liquidator's Bond Fee (360.00) Statutory Advertising (254.25)	(360.00)
Declaration of Solvency Fee (750.00)	(254.25) (750.00)
VAT (540.00)	(540.00)
(040.00)	(040.00)
(3,240.00)	(3,240.00)
Creditor Liabilities	
HMRC CT (20,095.00) -	0.00
HMRC VAT (77.00) (77.00)	(77.00)
Bank Charge (50.00)	(50.00)
(127.00)	(127.00)
Distributions to Shareholders:	(
March 2020	
Omar Khan - 50% Shareholder (148,435.96) (1	148,435.96)
Dolores Khan - 50% Shareholder (148,435.96) (1	148,435.96)
(296,871.92) (2	296,871.92)
70	300,238.92)
Total Payments <u>(3</u>	

Appendix 3

#### **CURRENT CHARGE-OUT RATES FOR THE FIRM**

Time charging policy

Support staff include cashier, secretarial and administration support.

The minimum unit of time recorded is 6 minutes.

Staff	Charge out rates
Jan	£
Insolvency Practitioner/Partners	325.00
Directors	300.00
Senior Manager	275.00
Manager	250.00
Assistant Manager	190.00
Senior Administrator	190.00
Administrator	160.00
Junior Administrator	140.00
Secretarial/Administration support staff	80.00

#### Category 1 and 2 Disbursements

Disbursements are categorised as either Category 1 or Category 2.

#### Category 1

Category 1 disbursements are clearly identifiable third party costs that are directly attributable to the case. Occasionally these disbursements are paid by Beacon and then recharged to the case, usually when there are insufficient funds within the case to pay the disbursement at the time it falls due. Specific approval from creditors is not required for Category 1 disbursements.

Typical examples of Category 1 disbursements are:

- Postage
- Advertising
- Insurance
- Travel costs
- · External room hire
- Document storage

#### Category 2

Category 2 disbursements are estimated or shared costs which may include some internal recharges from Beacon. It is likely that it is not possible, or too costly, to calculate the exact cost and an estimate is therefore used. These disbursements can be paid from the case if the basis of the charge has been approved by creditors.

Typical examples of Category 2 disbursements are:

- Photocopying
- Internal room hire
- Stationery

It is the policy of Beacon not to charge Category 2 disbursements.

Appendix 4

### Narrative detail of work undertaken

Narrative detail of work undertaken	Includes
General Description	
Administration and Planning	
Statutory/advertising	Filing of documents to meet statutory requirements  Advertising in accordance with statutory requirements
Document maintenance/file review/checklist	Filing of documents Periodic file reviews Periodic reviews of the application of ethical, anti-money laundering and anti-bribery safeguards Maintenance of statutory and case progression task lists/diaries
Bank account	Updating checklists  Preparing correspondence opening and closing accounts
administration	Requesting bank statements Bank account reconciliations Correspondence with bank regarding specific transfers Maintenance of the estate cash book Banking remittances and issuing cheques/BACS payments
Planning / Review	Discussions regarding strategies to be pursued  Meetings with team members and independent advisers to consider practical, technical and legal aspects of the case
Books and records / storage	Dealing with records in storage Sending job files to storage
Creditor reports	Issuing annual progress report to creditors
Member reports	Preparing and issuing annual progress report and general reports to members Responding to members' queries Preparing and issuing proposed final account Preparing and issuing final account
Realisation of Assets	Troparing and localing initial account
Cash at Bank	Liasing with the bank to transfer funds and close account
Sale of Business as a Going Concern	Instructing and liaising with agents Preparing an information memorandum Liaising with potential purchasers Agreeing licences to trade/occupy
	Assessment and review of offers received  Negotiating with intended purchaser  Liaising with secured creditors and seeking releases  Exchanges with solicitors to agree sale and purchase agreement  Surrender of lease (where appropriate)  Pursuing deferred sale consideration
Plant and Equipment	Liaising with valuers, auctioneers and interested parties Reviewing asset listings Liaising with secured creditors and landlords
Freehold/Leasehold Property	Liaising with valuers and agents on marketing strategy and offers received Dealing with tenant issues (if any) Liaising with secured creditors and landlords Agreeing assignment, surrender or disclaiming property
Debtors	Collecting supporting documentation Correspondence with debtors Reviewing and assessing debtors' ledgers Receiving updates from factoring companies and liaising reassignment of ledger

Narrative detail of work undertaken	Includes
General Description	
	Liaising with debt collectors and solicitors Agreeing debt collection agency agreements Dealing with disputes, including communicating with directors/former staff Pursuing credit insurance claims Submitting VAT bad debt relief claims
Leasing	Reviewing leasing documents Liaising with owners/lessors Tasks associated with disclaiming leases if appropriate
Stock	Conducting stock takes Reviewing stock values Liaising with agents and potential purchasers Analysing the value in WIP Contracting with service-providers/suppliers to complete WIP
Retention of Title Claims	Receive initial notification of creditor's intention to claim Provision of retention of title claim form to creditor Meeting claimant on site to identify goods Adjudicate retention of title claim Forward correspondence to claimant notifying outcome of adjudication Preparation of payment vouchers and correspondence to claimant to accompany payment of claim (if valid) Exchanges with solicitors in deciding claims and dealing with disputes
Other assets: motor vehicles, intangibles, intellectual property, VAT/corporation tax refunds, Insurance claims	Liaising with agents to agree disposal strategy Dealing with potential purchasers Negotiating sales Liaising with solicitors to agree sales Collecting sales consideration Liaising with insurance companies and directors to pursue claims Examining company records to support tax refunds Exchanges with government departments
Insurance	Identification of potential issues requiring attention of insurance specialists Correspondence with insurer regarding initial and ongoing insurance requirements Reviewing insurance policies Correspondence with previous brokers
Creditors	
Creditor Communication	Receive and follow up creditor enquiries via telephone Review and prepare correspondence to creditors and their representatives via facsimile, email and post Assisting employees to pursue claims via the RPO Corresponding with the PPF and the Pensions Regulator Finalising pre appointment tax position Obtaining tax clearance
Dealing with proofs of debt ("POD")	Receipting and filing POD when not related to a dividend Corresponding with RPO regarding POD when not related to a dividend
Processing proofs of debt	Preparation of correspondence to potential creditors inviting submission of POD Receipt of POD Adjudicating POD Request further information from claimants regarding POD Preparation of correspondence to claimant advising outcome of adjudication Seeking solicitors' advice on the validity of secured creditors' claims and other complex claims
Dividend procedures	Agreeing allocation of realisations and costs between fixed and floating charges

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Narrative detail of work undertaken	Includes
General Description	
	Paying distribution to secured creditors and seeking confirmation of discharged claims Preparation of correspondence to creditors advising of intention to declare distribution Advertisement of notice of proposed distribution Preparation of distribution calculation Preparation of correspondence to creditors announcing declaration of distribution Preparation of cheques/BACS to pay distribution Preparation of correspondence to creditors enclosing payment of distribution Seeking unique tax reference from HMRC, submitting information on PAYE/NI deductions from employee distributions and paying over to HMRC Dealing with unclaimed dividends Payment of statutory interest to all creditors
Distributions to Members	
Dividend procedures	Preparation of distribution calculation Preparation of correspondence to members announcing declaration of dividend Preparation of cheques/BACS to pay dividend Preparation of correspondence to members enclosing payment of dividend Seeking unique tax reference from HMRC, submitting information on PAYE/NI deductions from employee distributions and paying over to HMRC Dealing with unclaimed dividends
Distribution in specie	If this involves property, then a lawyer will be instructed A valuation of the property will need to be obtained TR1 document will need to be signed Documents will need to be filed at the land registry Notification of the distribution in specie will need to be sent to members Calculation of the cash equivalent amount to be distributed to other members not participating in the distribution in specie