

# Meltzer Mason Heath

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## Liquidators' First Report

### Tasman Goldfields Longwood Limited (In Liquidation)

#### 1. Appointment

We advise that Karen Betty Mason and Rachel Mason were appointed joint and several Liquidators of the above company on 17 February 2010 by special resolution of shareholders.

Karen Mason and Rachel Mason are Insolvency Specialists and full time Insolvency Practitioners. They have not previously acted in any capacity for the company. Karen Mason and Rachel Mason were appointed Liquidators of the shareholder company, Tasman Goldfields NZ Operations Limited (In Liquidation), on 8 February 2010. The Director and the Australian parent company considered it pragmatic and of benefit to the creditors to undertake the liquidations concurrently and with the same Liquidators.

#### 2. Background

<i>Date of Incorporation:</i>	27 September 2006
<i>Trading Address:</i>	Level 1, 83 Don Street, Invercargill
<i>Type of Business:</i>	Mineral Exploration
<i>Shareholder:</i>	Tasman Goldfields NZ Operations Ltd (In Liquidation) 100 shares
<i>Directors:</i>	Geoffrey Neville Checketts
<i>Share Capital:</i>	100 ordinary shares
<i>Date of Liquidation:</i>	17 February 2010

#### 3. Events Leading to Appointment

As the sole shareholder company is in liquidation, the decision was taken to place this company in liquidation.

#### 4. Statement of Affairs

The Liquidators have prepared an Estimated Statement of Affairs being the assets and liabilities of the company at the date of liquidation. We attach a copy.



## **5. Proposals for Conducting the Liquidation**

### **5.1 *Realisation of Assets***

The company holds four exploration permits and one prospecting permit from Crown Minerals. The Liquidators will consider whether these permits hold value, and will endeavour to sell the permits.

### **5.2 *Examination of Books and Records***

The Liquidators will examine the company's available books and records and conduct a brief review of the company's affairs.

### **5.3 *Knowledge of Information Relevant to the Liquidation***

Should creditors and other parties possess any information that may be relevant to the liquidation, or may lead to realisations for the benefit of creditors, please advise the Liquidators in writing and provide them with copies of supporting documents.

## **6. List of Creditors**

The Liquidators are not aware of any external creditors as at liquidation, therefore no such list has been compiled.

## **7. Creditors Claim Form**

Creditors should complete and return the attached Creditor's claim form by 23 March 2010. Creditors who do not make a claim within the period may be excluded from any distribution that may be made.

## **8. Retention of Title Claims/Security Interests**

Please note, if you believe you have a valid retention of title claim or security interest over goods or equipment supplied to Tasman Goldfields Longwood Limited (In Liquidation), and you have not yet contacted the Liquidators, please contact us immediately.

## **9. Initial Creditors Meeting**

As it is unlikely there will be a distribution to creditors, pursuant to s245 of the Companies Act 1993 the Liquidators propose to dispense with the meeting of creditors to consider whether to appoint different Liquidators, and to consider the views of creditors.

Accordingly a meeting of creditors will not be called unless a creditor gives notice to the Liquidators within 10 working days after receiving this notice, requiring a meeting to be called.

**10. Liquidation Committee**

At any time during the liquidation, any creditor may in writing, request the Liquidators to call a meeting of creditors to consider whether a Liquidation Committee should be appointed, and if so, to choose the members of the Committee.

A Liquidation Committee has certain powers set out in s315 of the Companies Act 1993, including to assist the Liquidators as appropriate in the conduct of the liquidation.

**11. Estimated Date of Completion of Liquidation**

It is not practicable to estimate the date of completion of the liquidation at this stage.

Enquiries should be directed to: Rachel Mason

R K Mason  
**Liquidator**

Dated this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February 2010

Attach:

**Estimated Statement of Affairs of  
Tasman Goldfields Longwood Limited (In Liquidation)  
As at the date of the Appointment of Liquidators  
Being 17 February 2010**

	<i>Estimated Realisable Value</i> \$
<b>Assets not Specifically Pledged:</b>	
Exploration and prospecting permits	UNKNOWN
<b>Estimated Total Assets Available for Preferential Creditors and Secured Creditors</b>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
<i>Less</i> – First Ranking Preferential Creditors	
Wages and Holiday Pay (Includes PAYE)	NIL
	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
<i>Less</i> – Second Ranking Preferential Creditors	
Inland Revenue Department – GST & PAYE	NIL
	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
<b>Estimated Total Assets Available for Secured Creditors and Unsecured Creditors</b>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
<i>Less</i> – Secured Creditors	NIL
<b>Estimated Total Assets Available for Secured Creditors and Unsecured Creditors</b>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
<i>Less</i> – Unsecured Creditors	NIL
<b>Total Assets Available for Unsecured Creditors and Shareholders</b>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
<i>Less</i> – Issued and Paid Up Capital	100
<b>Total Deficiency as regards Unsecured Creditors and Shareholders</b>	<u><u>UNKNOWN</u></u>

**Note:** The above estimates are subject to the costs of realisation, including Liquidators' fees.

**Disclaimer of Liability:**

We have prepared the Estimated Statement of Affairs as at the date of liquidation being 17 February 2010.

The Estimated Statement of Affairs has been prepared based on information from the books and records of the company together with information supplied by the Director. This information has not been verified. The Liquidators have not carried out an audit or reviewed the information supplied and therefore they do not accept any responsibility for the accuracy of the information from which the Estimated Statement of Affairs has been prepared. Further, the Estimated Statement of Affairs has been prepared for the purpose of the liquidation only, and the Liquidators do not accept any responsibility on any ground whatever, including liability in negligence, to any other person.