

28 October 2020

To the creditor as addressed

PAS Group of Companies as per attached schedule (Appendix A) (All Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) ("the PAS Group or Group")

We refer to our appointment as Administrators of the PAS Group, our subsequent appointment as Deed Administrators and the enclosed Administration Update dated 26 October 2020, concerning the entry of the PAS Group into sale transactions.

One of those sale transactions involves the potential sale of all shares in the PAS Group. A condition of that transaction is that the Deed Administrators make an application to Court under section 444GA of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) (**Section 444GA Application**) to seek consent for the transfer of PAS Group's shares to PAS Group International Pty Ltd, the potential new purchaser of the remainder of PAS Group's business (excluding the Designworks and Yarra Trail businesses, which are being transacted separately).

The Deed Administrators will send separate correspondence to shareholders in due course regarding the Section 444GA Application.

If you have any queries regarding this notice, please contact us at:

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Yours faithfully

Martin Ford, Stephen Longley and David McEvoy

Deed Administrators

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Appendix A - Companies Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement

The PAS Group Ltd and Associated Entities (All Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement)

Company name	ACN
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The PAS Group Limited	169 477 463
PASCO Group Pty Ltd	117 244 943
PAS Finance Pty Ltd	169 478 291
JETS Swimwear Pty Limited	068 819 581
AFG Retail Pty Limited	133 613 251
Chestnut Apparel Pty Limited	112 091 522
PASCO Operations Pty Ltd	112 078 547
Black Pepper Brands Pty Limited	112 065 559
Designworks Holdings Pty Limited	113 900 057
Designworks Clothing Company Pty Limited	117 343 807
World Brands Pty Ltd	075 219 135
Yarra Trail Holdings Pty Limited	110 901 561
Yarra Trail Pty Limited	110 902 102
Review Australia Pty Limited	122 295 836
The Capelle Group Pty Limited	121 867 641
Fiorelli Licensing Pty Limited	122 295 827
Metpas Pty Ltd	127 957 653
The Hopkins Group Aust Pty Limited	119 023 273
Bondi Bather Pty Limited	620 985 864



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ADMINISTRATION UPDATE

Entry into sale transaction for Designworks and Yarra Trail

The PAS Group Limited (ASX: PGR) (Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) announces that it has entered into binding documentation for the sale of its Designworks and Yarra Trail businesses (**First Transaction**).

The details of the First Transaction are:

Acquirer for Designworks: Designworks International Pty Ltd

Acquirer for Yarra Trail: Yarra Trail International Pty Ltd

Targeted completion date: On or before 24 December 2020

The First Transaction represents a sale of the Designworks and Yarra Trail businesses and the majority of their assets. The First Transaction ensures the continued employment for a majority of current employees of the businesses, who will be offered ongoing roles on the same or no lesser terms by the Acquirers. The First Transaction is subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions, which are expected to be satisfied.

The net proceeds of the First Transaction will be applied in accordance with the terms of the Deeds of Company Arrangement for The PAS Group Limited (Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) and its wholly owned Australian subsidiaries.

Entry into sale transaction for The PAS Group Limited

The PAS Group Limited (ASX: PGR) (Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) announces that it has entered into binding documentation for, amongst other things, the possible sale of the shares in The PAS Group Limited (Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) (Second Transaction).

The details of the Second Transaction are:

Acquirer: PAS Group International Pty Ltd

Targeted completion date: On or before 31 January 2021

The Second Transaction represents the potential sale of the remainder of The PAS Group as a whole. The Second Transaction is conditional upon a number of matters, including the completion of the First Transaction and the approval of the Federal Court of Australia for the sale of the shares in The PAS Group Limited (Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) pursuant to section 444GA of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).

The net proceeds of the Second Transaction will be applied in accordance with the terms of the Deeds of Company Arrangement for The PAS Group Limited (Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement) and its wholly owned Australian subsidiaries.



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The sale price payable on completion of each Transaction (together, the **Transactions**) is expected to produce returns to creditors which exceed the estimated 'high case' liquidation return to creditors set out in section 2.8 of the 7 August 2020 Voluntary Administrators' report (but will not satisfy creditor claims in full).

As creditors will not be able to be repaid in full from the proceeds of sale from the Transactions, there is no expected return to shareholders arising from the Transactions.

The Deed Administrators will continue to update the ASX as appropriate.

This announcement has been approved for release by the Deed Administrators.

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For further information, please contact:

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