Lehman Brothers (PTG) Limited – In Administration

Joint Administrators' progress report for the period 6 November 2014 to 5 May 2015

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Section 1 Purpose of the Joint Administrators' progress report

Introduction

This is the 13th progress report prepared by the Joint Administrators (the "Administrators") of Lehman Brothers (PTG) Limited ("LB PTG" or the "Company").

This report provides an update on the work that the Administrators have undertaken and the progress made since their appointment, with particular focus on the progress made in the six months to 5 May 2015 (the "**reporting period**").

Objectives of the Administration

The Administrators are pursuing the objective of achieving a better result for LB PTG's creditors as a whole than would be likely if LB PTG were wound up (without first being in Administration).

The specific aims of this Administration were to:

- Realise all assets, including cash and interest in real estate on a managed basis;
- Mitigate as far as possible and agree in principle the claims of all creditors; and
- Continue to manage the investments in subsidiaries to maximise returns to creditors.

Outcome for creditors

On 24 June 2013, the Court gave the Administrators of LB PTG permission to agree and pay dividends in respect of the claims of its unsecured non-preferential creditors.

In the current period, the Administrators declared and paid a third interim dividend of 7.52 pence in the \pounds to the Company's unsecured non-preferential creditors on 11 March 2015. Dividends paid to date total 25.44 pence in the \pounds .

Further distributions are anticipated in due course, however the timing and quantum are subject to the receipt of further dividends from its debtors.

Extension to the Administration

The Administration is currently due to expire on 30 November 2015. The Administrators' intend to make an application to court to request a further extension within the next six months in order that

they may continue to pursue the objectives of the Administration and realise the remaining assets.

Future reports

The Administrators will next report to creditors in approximately six months.

Signed:

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DA Howell Joint Administrator Lehman Brothers (PTG) Limited

AV Lomas, SA Pearson, DA Howell, GE Bruce and JG Parr were appointed as Joint Administrators of Lehman Brothers (PTG) Limited to manage its affairs, business and property as agents without personal liability. AV Lomas, SA Pearson, DA Howell, GE Bruce and JG Parr are licensed in the United Kingdom to act as insolvency practitioners by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.

The Joint Administrators are Data Controllers of personal data as defined by the Data Protection Act 1998. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP will act as Data Processor on their instructions. Personal data will be kept secure and processed only for matters relating to the Administration.

Section 2 Joint Administrators' actions to date

Overview

LB PTG was initially funded by Lehman Brothers Holdings Inc ("LBHI") with the objective of investing in real estate companies within the Lehman Brothers group, principally Eldon Street Holdings Limited ("ESH") and Thayer Properties Limited, which owns the Burford group of companies.

On appointment, the three key categories of assets owned by the Company were: directly owned interests in commercial real estate; intercompany receivables (from LB PTG's immediate group as well as the wider Lehman Brothers group), and investments in subsidiary companies.

Administrators' actions to date

LB PTG's key assets are its investments in subsidiary companies ("the PTG Group"), interests in real estate and intercompany debtors (from the PTG Group and the wider Lehman Brothers group).

Debtor Realisations

Eldon Street Holdings Limited ("ESH")

As previously reported, LB PTG has an admitted claim against ESH in the sum of £210.6m.

On 11 March 2015, ESH declared and paid a third interim dividend of 6.94 pence in the £. The Company received £14.6m in respect of its claim.

To date, LB PTG has received dividends totalling £52.5m from ESH, equating to 24.92 pence in the £.

Mable Commercial Funding Limited

LB PTG has received two dividends totalling 8 pence in the \pounds in respect of its admitted claim of \pounds 3k. The quantum and timing of further dividends remains uncertain.

Subsidiary Investments

To date, LB PTG has received €3.6m from its investments in subsidiaries. A further c.€255k is expected from this source by the end of June 2015. Further distributions are likely in due course,

however the quantum and timing are uncertain at present.

Distributions to Creditors

As previously reported, on 24 October 2011 the Administrators entered into a settlement agreement ("**the Agreement**") with LBHI and certain other affiliates previously subject to Chapter 11 proceedings in the USA in conjunction with other UK affiliates. The Plans of Reorganisation became effective on 6 March 2012.

Pursuant to the Agreement, LB PTG agreed LBHI's and Lehman Commercial Paper Inc ("LCPI")'s claims in principle at \$269.51m and \$0.09m, respectively. These claims were subsequently admitted after the Administrators sought and obtained permission from the Court to agree claims and pay a dividend to the Company's unsecured non-preferential creditors.

In the reporting period, a third interim dividend of 7.52 pence in the £ was declared and paid on 11 March 2015. To date, dividends totalling £46.4m have been paid equating to 25.44 pence in the £.

Section 3 Statutory and other Information

Court details for the Administration:	High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, Companies Court - case 9851 of 2008
Full name:	Lehman Brothers (PTG) Limited
Trading name:	Lehman Brothers (PTG) Limited
Registered number:	04108157
Registered address:	Level 23, 25 Canada Square, London E14 5LQ, United Kingdom
Company directors:	Mr IM Jameson (resigned 17/07/09), Mr AJ Rush (resigned 17/07/09), Mr D Gibb (resigned 17/07/09), Mr JC Blakemore (05/11/08)
Company secretary:	Ms M Smith (resigned 25/01/10), Ms P Dave (resigned 25/01/10), Ms ESE Upton (resigned 25/01/10)
Shareholdings held by the directors and secretary:	None of the directors own shares in the Company
Date of the Administration appointment:	6 November 2008
Administrators' names and addresses:	AV Lomas, SA Pearson, DA Howell, GE Bruce and JG Parr of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, 7 More London Riverside, London, SE1 2RT.
Appointer's name and address:	The original appointment of Administrators was made by the directors of the Company, 25 Bank Street, London E14 5LE
Objective being pursued by the Administrators:	Achieving a better result for LB PTG's creditors as a whole than would be likely if LB PTG were wound up (without first being in Administration)
Division of the Administrators' responsibilities:	In relation to paragraph 100(2) Sch.B1 IA86, during the period for which the Administration is in force, any act required or authorised under any enactment to be done by either or all of the Joint Administrators, may be done by any or one or more of the Joint Administrators.
Details of any extensions of the initial period of appointment:	A fourth extension has been granted by the High Court of Justice until 30 November 2015.
Proposed end of the Administration:	The Administrators wish to retain various exit options available to them. However it is most likely that the Administrators will continue to distribute from the Administration and, once the final distribution has been made, apply for the dissolution of the Company.
Estimated dividend for unsecured credi tors :	The Administrators declared a first interim dividend of 7.50 pence in the £ to unsecured non-preferential creditors on 29 October 2013. A second interim dividend of 10.42 pence in the £ was declared and paid on 5 September 2014. A third dividend of 7.52 pence in the £ was declared and paid on 11 March 2015. The Administrators anticipate that a further dividends will be paid, however the quantum and timing are uncertain.
Estimated values of the prescribed part and LB PTG's net property:	There is no prescribed part as there is no qualifying floating charge.
Whether and why the Administrators intend to apply to court under Section 176A(5) IA86:	Not applicable as there is no prescribed part.
The European Regulation on Insolvency Proceedings (Council Regulation(EC) No. 1346/2000 of 29 May 2000):	The European Regulation on Insolvency Proceedings applies to this Administration and these are the main proceedings.

Section 4 Financial Information

Administrators' remuneration

In January 2009, the Administrators requested and received consent from LB PTG's creditors for the Administrators' remuneration to be fixed by reference to the time properly given by them and the various grades of their staff. The Administrators were also authorised to draw their remuneration from time to time.

Attached at Section 6, is a summary of the Administrators' time costs for the period 1 October 2014 to 31 March 2015, presented in accordance with Statement of Insolvency Practice 9, together with a narrative of the work performed.

Time costs for this period total £71,419 plus VAT, which represents 213 hours at an average hourly rate of £335.

To date, remuneration of £1,476,027 plus VAT has been drawn in respect of time costs incurred to 31 March 2015.

Receipts and payments account

An account of the receipts and payments in the Administration showing movements for the six months to 5 May 2015 is set out overleaf.

Section 5 Receipts and Payments Account

	Notes	As at 5 May 2015 GBP (£)	Movement GBP (£)	As at 5 November 2014 GBP (£)	As at 5 May 2015 EUR (€)	Movement EUR (C)	As at 5 November 2014
Receipts							
Distributions received		52,819,449	14,614,848	38,204,601	510,000		510.000
Asset realisations					3,605,748	•	3.605.748
Loan from group company		30	1	30		,	-
Sale of tax losses		51.284	,	51.284		,	1
VAT refunds repaid to Lehman Brothers Ltd	(1)	. '	(51,288)	51,288	•	,	1
Corporation tax refund		13,718	13,718	, '		,	1
Net tax function costs recharged		251,253	5	251,253	1		•
Assets held on trust		399	,	300	1	,	1
Interest received gross		40,851	099'6	31.191	,	,	. 1
Total Receipts		53,176,984	14,586,938	38,590,046	4,115,748	-	4,115,748
Payments							
Legal fees		108,413	1	108,413		1	,
Professional fees		21,846	ı	21.846	•	,	1
Employee wages & associated costs		310,438	1	310,438	•	,	1
Joint Administrators' Remuneration		1,476,027	71,418	1,404,609	•	,	1
Joint Administrators' Category 1 disbursements		3,406	•	3,406	,	•	1
Payment for group relief		342,723		342,723	•	•	
Statutory advertising		31,772	11,232	20,540		1	1
Insurance		87,150	•	87,150	•	•	У.
Pension related legal costs	(3)	97,522	71,952	25,570	ı	•	1
Payment on account to HMRC for potential corporation tax liability	(3)	300,000	300,000	1	•	•	1
IT costs		5,741	•	5,741	•		1
VAT irrecoverable		273,309	16,530	256,779	•	1	ı
Total Payments		3,058,347	471,132	2,587,215	ı	t	
Intracompany Transfers							
Receipt		3,412,525	371,320	3,041,205	•	,	1
Payment) }	'	(4,115,748)	(520,056)	(3.505.692)
Total receipts less total payments		53,531,162	14,487,126	39,044,036		(520,056)	520,056
Distributions to unsecured creditors							
1st dividend of 7.50p in the E , declared in October 2013		(13,675,082)	ı	(13,675,082)	1	1	•
and dividend of 10.42p in the £, declared in September 2014		(18,999,247)	•	(18,999,247)	•	1	1
3rd dividend of 7.52p in the E, declared in March 2015		(13,714,037)	(13,714,037)	•		•	1
Cash in hand / (movement in year)		7,142,796	773,089	6,369,707	ii i	(520,056)	520,056
Cash Balances							
HSBC (non interest bearing)		513,796	(855,911)	1,369,707	,	(520,056)	520,056
Money market		6,629,000	1,629,000	5,000,000	•) I
Total Cash		7,142,796	773,089	6,369,707		(520,056)	520.056

⁽¹⁾ Refunds of input VAT totalling £51,288, which had previously been off set against irrecoverable VAT, have been repaid to Lehman Brothers Ltd (the representative of the Lehman's VAT group).

Due to the nature of the Company's former business, it is not entitled to recover input VAT on its costs.

(2) £71,952 paid during the period for LB PTG's share of the pension related legal fees met by LB SF No. 1 in Liquidation on behalf of other entities.

(3) Payment on account to HM Revenue and Customs in respect of the potential corporation tax liability arising in the year from (i) subsidiary Grace Hotels final distribution and (ii) held over gain triggered on distributions from ESH.

Section 6 Joint Administrators' time costs for the period 1 October 2014 to 31 March 2015

			Topogon Management	Topo wall	Senior Associate	sociate	Associate/Support Staff	IDDOLL Stail	IOCAL	11
	Partner/Director	Director	Senior Mana	ger/manager	-	(0)	LYcasac	Coet (E)	Hours	Cost (£)
Classification of work	Hours	Cost (£)	Hours	Cost (£)	Hours	Cost (£)	FIOURS	COSt (E)	oc.	007.01
		100	00 2	2.155	20.00	5,386	52.90	5,931	21.00	13,394
Accounting and treasury	0.10	021	2000	0980	10 86	6.400	15.30	3,504	47.60	17,365
Strategy and planning	5.85	4583	00.0	2,009	Co.KT	Cotto	0 0	2002	06 30	20.408
Obstation and dominion of	9.30	1.946	6.65	2,955	21.30	7,547	35.05	006'/	20.00	oct (c.
Statutory and compilarice	, .	4 419	7.45	4.838	21.20	7,657	12.68	2,173	45.73	19,000
Tax and VAT	4.40	71415	St.	-6-4	0 61	163	1.36	304	3.40	974
LBIE recharges	0.23	121	1.20	350	1000	000	0000	40 872	912.11	71.419
Total	12.96	11,212	26.90	13,173	82.96	27,102	90.29	19,0/2	41014	7-14-7
		865		490		327		220		335
Average mount rate						9	and to the time areas	arly given by the loint Adn	inistrators	
Current charge out rates	Business Rec	Business Recovery Services	Spec	Specialist	The Administrators reinungeration has been taken by recreace to the time property gives by the contract and their staff in attending to matters arising in the Administration. The minimum unit for time charged by the	ration has been uxed by ren b matters arising in the Adm	inistration. The minimu	ım unit for time charged by	, the	
	Max	Max £/hr	Max	Max £/hr	Joint Administrators and their staff is 0.05 of an hour.	eir staff is 0.05 of an hour.				
	To 31 December	From 1 January	To 31 December	From 1 January					_	
Grade	2014	2015	2014	2015			E 4 20	To a formations of a compation	a character	
	873	873	1,225	1,225	* Specialist departments wit	Specialist departments within Pricewaterhouse(Sopers LLP, such as Jax, VA) and rensions, do sometimes came, a	S LLP, such as lax, vAl	and rensions, do sometim		
Palmer	665	765	1,076	1,076	small number of hours, should we require their expert advice. Their rates do vary, however, the figures shown given	ald we require their expert a	dvice. Their rates do va	ry, however, the figures sh	own given	
Director	512	512	905	905	an indication of the maximum rate per hour. In common with all professional firms, the scale rates used by the	ım rate per hour. In commo	n with all professional fi	rms, the scale rates used by	; the	
Scillor illanager		707	999	999	Joint Administrators from P	Joint Administrators from PricewaterhouseCoopers 14.P may periodically rise (for example to cover anunal inflation	P may periodically rise (for example to cover annu	al inflation	
Manager	431	431	8	3 !	and to the section Any material amendments to these rates will be advised to the	od of the Administration A	v material amendments	s to these rates will be advi	sed to the	
Senior Associate	360	360	490	490	cost increase) over the pend	On Other Administration				
Associate/Support Staff	229	229	229	229	creditors in the next statutory report.	ıry report.				

Tax function costs

Certain group tax matters are managed through Lehman Brothers Limited ("LBL") as Group Paying Agent. When recoveries of Corporation Tax paid pre-appointment are paid to relevant estates, the associated PwC costs incurred by the relevant estates are re-apportioned by reference to quantum of refunds to each estate.

The final refund of prc-appointment Corporation Tax has now been received by LBL and redistributed to certain group companies, and the final re-apportionment of costs is now known. LB PTG has benefited from tax refunds and therefore has contributed to the costs. Time costs in relation to tax function costs of £240,651 previously reported in the Administration have been partially recovered from other estates in the sum of £225,724 as such, the costs attributable to LB PTG are £14,927. No cash movements are required however the adjustments to the report are set out below.

		11			Veccopiate / Cumpant Staff		
	Partner/Director	Senior Manager/Manager	Senior Associate		Associate/ Support Start		C
Classification of Work		4	दा	લ	् च		41
Tax function costs previously reported in	4,477	77 49,462	55	186,712	,		240,651
Administration	(4,199)	(46,395)	95)	(175,130)	,		(225,724)
I ax imiculaii costs recovered							
Total tax function costs	844	110 hrs	3.067 726 hrs	11,582	1	841 hrs	14,927
attributable							

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Summary of the Joint Administrators' time costs for the period 1 October 2015 to 31 March 2015

Accounting and treasury - £13,592

- Reconciliation of bank accounts;
- Arranging receipts and payments of funds and coding of movements;
- · Monitoring flow of funds into bank accounts.
- Managing funds in various institutions in order to mitigate risk;
- Dealing funds on the money markets and inputting deals; and
- Dealing with third dividend distribution to unsecured creditors.

Strategy and planning - £17,365

- Reviewing financial information;
- Discussions regarding strategy for the Administration:
- Updating strategy documents;
- Distribution strategy and planning;
- Payment of third dividend; and
- Regular meetings regarding the status of assets.

Statutory and compliance - £20,408

- Preparation of Administrators' 12th progress report;
- Circulating progress report to creditors;
- Statutory filings at Companies House and Court;
- Preparing receipts and payments account;
- Preparing detailed remuneration summary;
- Undertaking six monthly review of Administration:
- Review of time costs in preparation for billing; and
- Maintaining case records, website and database.

Tax and VAT - £19,080

- VAT reconciliation and preparation of VAT returns:
- Dealing with Corporation Tax and VAT queries;
- Preparation of Corporation Tax returns; and
- Tax compliance.

LBIE Recharges - £974

 This is an apportionment of the costs incurred by Lehman Brothers International (Europe) associated with the administration companies.