



Drafting of liquidation and distribution accounts – practical exercise

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PRACTICAL EXAMPLE

Facts:

The insolvent estate of X was provisionally sequestrated on 16 January 2021, the order being made final on 31 January 2021

Assets realised (sold)

- 1.1 Proceeds of furniture and effects sold by public auction by Sellme Auctioneers on 20 March 2021 for R8,500.00
- 1.2 Proceeds of a BMW 318 i motor vehicle sold by public auction on 20 March 2021 by Sellme Auctioneers for R40,250.00
- 1.3 Proceeds collected of an Old Mutual insurance policy for **R3,750.00**

Expenses incurred:

- 2.1 Bond of security premium paid to Fedgen Insurers: **R300.00**
- 2.2 Auctioneers commission on proceeds of auction held on 20 March 2021, paid to Sellme Auctioneers: R4,800.00
- 2.3 Repairs made to brakes of the BMW motor vehicle: **R350.00**
- 2.4 Crooked Attorneys, for application re sequestration: **R1,854.50**
- 2.5 Advertisement costs paid: second meeting: **R250.00**; inspection of account: **R250.00**; confirmation of account: **R75.00**
- 2.6 Bank charges on estate banking account: R200.00

The following creditors proved claims:

- 1 ABC Bank, for overdraft facility: **R6,214.99** (the overdraft is **secured by a cession** of the Old Mutual insurance policy. The creditor **did not rely** on its security
- 2 Woolworths, for arrear amount owing on open account: **R3,651.65**
- 3 ABC Bank, for the amount owing for the sale of a BMW motor vehicle: **R56,748.37**

An Instalment Sale Transaction secures this amount over the BMW motor vehicle in favour of ABC Bank.

This creditor has **relied** on its security

- 4 SA Revenue Service for arrear Personal Income Tax: **R2,754.13**
- Western Province Cellars, for the amount owing on open account: **R2,120.00**

Preparation of the Account

Step 1 - Determine the **Secured Creditors**

- Creditor No. 1 ABC Bank for the cession over Old Mutual Policy
 - Open and Encumbered Asset Account No 1 EAA 1
 - Reflect the proceeds of the Old Mutual Policy- R 3750.00
- Creditor No. 2 ABC Bank for the Instalment Sale Agreement over the BMW
 - Open and Encumbered Asset Account No 2 EAA 2
 - Reflect the proceeds of the BMW- R 40 250.00
 - Determine the Section 89 Costs associated with the EAA 1 and 2
 - Repairs to BMW R 350.00 insert in EAA No. 2

Step 2 - Open a Free **Residue Account**

- 1. Reflect the **proceeds** of the remainder of the Assets sold:
 - Furniture and Household effects R8500.00
- 2. Reflect all the **administration costs** payable from the Free Residue Account:
 - Crooked Attorneys Application for sequestration taxed Bill of Costs R 4800.00
 - Advertising Costs Second meeting R 250.00, Inspection of Account R 250.00 and Confirmation of Account R 75.00
 - Bank charges R 200.00

Step 3 - Draft the **Distribution** Account

Insert all the creditors who proved their claims at the meetings of creditors:

- Determine the **preferent** creditors Creditor no 4 SARS R 2 754.13
- Determine the secured creditors who relied on their security Creditor no 3- ABC Bank
 R 56 748.37
- Determine the secured creditor who did not rely on security ABC Bank Creditor no 1 R 6 214.99
- Determine the concurrent creditors
 - Creditor no 2 Woolworths R 3 651.65
 - Creditor no 5 Western Province Cellars R 2 120.00

Add the above information in the respective columns.

Step 4 - Draft the schedules to calculate the pro-rata share of Administration Costs and Masters Fees.

- Determine the Administration Cost to be shared amounts the EAA and the Free Residue
 - Fedgen Bond of Security R 300.00
 - Sellme Auctioneers Commission for R 4800.00 to be shared pro rata between:
 - Free Residue- Furniture and Effects, and
 - EAA No. 1 BMW
- Calculate the Master's Fees
 - Step 1 Calculate the Gross value of Assets = R 52 500.00
 - Note If Gross value is above R 50 000 and less than R 150 000
 - Master's Fees is R 1000.00
 - Determine the pro rata share the Free Residue, EAA 1 and EAA 2 must contribute.

Steps Continued

- Step 5 Allocate the Masters Fees and shared administration costs from the Schedules to the Free Residue, EAA 1 and EAA 2
- Step 6 Add the Trustee's Fees in the Free Residue and EAA 1 and EAA 2.
- Step 7 Free Residue- Calculate the balance available for distribution (Proceeds of Assets minus the Costs) = R 3 973,10
- Step 8 Determine the Preferent creditors to be paid first from the balance available for distribution – SARS – Sec 101 – Creditor no 4 – Transfer the award to the distribution account under SARS- preferent award
- Step 9 Deduct the amount of the amount allocated to the preferent creditor (SARS) from the amount available for distribution = The balance available to concurrent creditorstransfer the amount to the Distribution account →Total Concurrent dividend

Steps Continued – EAA no 1

- Step 10 Calculate the balance available for distribution in both the EAA no 1
- Calculate the interest if applicable
- EAA No 1 Proceeds of assets R 40 250,00
 minus the Section 89(1) costs R 9 334,74
 the dividend awarded to Creditor no 3 = R 30 915,26
- Add note that the creditor relied on its security.
- Transfer the dividend calculated to the Distribution account to creditor no 3 under secured dividend column
- Under the concurrent claim column for the creditor, note that the creditor relied on its security.

Steps Continued – EAA no 2

- Step 11 Calculate the balance available for distribution in both the EAA no 2
- Calculate the interest if applicable
- EAA No 2 Proceeds of assets R 3 750,00
 minus the Section 89(1) costs R 205,36
 - = the dividend awarded to Creditor no 1 = R 3 544,64
- Add note that the creditor did not rely on its security.
- Transfer the dividend calculated to the Distribution account to creditor no 1 under the secured dividend column
- Under the concurrent claim column for the creditor, calculate the difference of the claim amount

Steps Continued

- Step 12 Calculate the total amounts in the Distribution Account of the various claims
- Step 13 Calculate the respective concurrent awards of the concurrent creditors:
 e.g. Creditor 1 -

Concurrent claim R 2 670,35 is **divided** by the total amount of all concurrent claims R 8 442,00 **X** the Total amount available for Concurrent creditors R 1 218,97

- = the concurrent dividend/award to Creditor no 1 R 385,58
- Do the same calculations for the remaining concurrent creditors/ portion of concurrent creditors.
- Calculate the shortfall= Total claim minus all awards received
- Draft the Heading of the L& D Account:
- Draft the reconciliation Statement
- Draft the Trustee's Affidavit.