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Insolvency Practitioners Association of Australia

Insolvency information for directors, employees, creditors and shareholders

ASIC has nine insolvency information sheets to assist you if you're affected by a company's insolvency and have little or no knowledge of what's involved.

These plain language information sheets give directors, employees, creditors and shareholders a basic understanding of the three most common company insolvency procedures—liquidation, voluntary administration and receivership. There's also a glossary of commonly used insolvency terms.

The Insolvency Practitioners Association of Australia (IPAA), the leading professional organisation in Australia for insolvency practitioners, endorses these publications and encourages its members to make their availability known to affected people.

List of insolvency information sheets

- Insolvency: a glossary of terms
- Voluntary administration: a guide for creditors
- Voluntary administration: a guide for employees
- Liquidation: a guide for creditors
- Liquidation: a guide for employees
- Receivership: a guide for creditors
- Receivership: a guide for employees
- Insolvency: a guide for shareholders
- Insolvency: a guide for directors

Getting copies of these information sheets

Visit ASIC's website www.asic.gov.au/insolvencyinfosheets.

You can also visit the IPAA's website www.ipaa.com.au/bestpractice. This site also contains the IPAA's Statements of Best Practice, applicable to IPAA members.

Important note: These information sheets contain a summary of basic information on the topic. They are not a substitute for legal advice. Some provisions of the law referred to may have important exceptions or qualifications. They may not contain all of the information about the law or the exceptions and qualifications that are relevant to your circumstances. You will need a qualified professional adviser to take into account your particular circumstances and to tell you how the law applies to you.