

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE
THE BUSINESS AND PROPERTY COURTS OF ENGLAND AND WALES
INSOLVENCY AND COMPANIES LIST (Ch D)



CR-2022-002121

Before: Insolvency and Companies Court Judge Burton

Dated: 25 November 2024

IN THE MATTER OF PETROPAVLOVSK PLC (IN CREDITORS' VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION)
AND IN THE MATTER OF THE INSOLVENCY ACT 1986

ORDER

UPON THE APPLICATION of Mr Allister Jonathan Manson, Mr Trevor Binyon and Ms Joanne Rolls, the former joint administrators (and current joint liquidators) of Petropavlovsk Plc (“the **Company**”) (“the **Applicants**”) by application notice dated 8 July 2024 for an order fixing the timing of their discharge from liability pursuant to paragraph 98, Schedule B1, Insolvency Act 1986 (“the **Application**”)

AND UPON HEARING Joseph Wigley, counsel for the Applicants, Ms Caroline Edwards, claiming to be a shareholder of the Company, and Mr Jan Bogutyn, claiming to be a holder of notes issued by a subsidiary of the Company, both in person

AND UPON THE COURT HAVING READ the Eighth Witness Statement of Allister Jonathan Manson dated 8 July 2024 and the Ninth Witness Statement of Allister Jonathan Manson dated 15 November 2024

IT IS ORDERED AND DIRECTED that:

1. Any person wishing to be heard on the Application file and serve any evidence they may wish to rely upon in response to the Application by 4pm on Wednesday 4 December 2024.
2. The Applicants file and serve any further evidence, if so advised, by 4pm on Wednesday 11 December 2024.
3. The Application be adjourned and relisted for hearing with a time estimate of 1 hour in the week commencing Monday 16 December in the Insolvency and Companies Court's Interim Application List (or as soon as possible thereafter), and is hereby listed on **16 December 2024 at 10.30am.**

4. In the event that no person files and serves any evidence in response to the Application pursuant to paragraph 1 above, the Applicants have liberty to request that the Application be re-listed on the first available date after 4 December 2024.
5. Costs in the Application.