# IN THE NATIONAL COMPANY LAW TRIBUNAL DIVISION BENCH (COURT-I) CHENNAI

ATTENDANCE CUM ORDER SHEET OF THE HEARING HELD ON **26.04.2024** THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCE

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PRESENT: HON'BLE SHRI SANJIV JAIN, MEMBER (JUDICIAL)

HON'BLE SHRI VENKATARAMAN SUBRAMANIAM, MEMBER (TECHNICAL)

IN THE MATTER OF : Syndicate Bank

Vs

Akshaya ImaginG Systems Pvt Ltd

MAIN PETITION NUMBER : CP/431/IB/2018

(IA/MA) APPLICATION NUMBERS

IA/59(CHE)/2021; IA/1319/IB/2020; IA/1321/IB/2020 IA/1322/IB/2020; IA/1324/IB/2020; IA/1325/IB/2020

IA/1326/IB/2020; IA/1327/IB/2020

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#### <u>ORDER</u>

### IA/59(CHE)/2021:

Present : Mr. Badrinarayanan, Ld. Counsel for Liquidator.

Vide separate order pronounced in the open court, the application is allowed.

The Corporate Debtor Akshya Imaging Systems Pvt. Ltd is dissolved. The Liquidator is directed to forward the copy of the order to the RoC concerned and also to the IBBI for its records within a period of 7 days from the date of the order.

The main petition CP/431/IB/2018 also stands disposed of.

Main petition and the application are consigned to records.

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[VENKATARAMAN SUBRAMANIAM]
MEMBER (TECHNICAL)

[SANJIV JAIN]
MEMBER (JUDICIAL)

## IN THE NATIONAL COMPANY LAW TRIBUNAL, DIVISION BENCH – I, CHENNAI

#### IA (IBC)/59(CHE)/2021 in CP/431/IB/2018

(Filed under Section 54 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016)

In the matter of **Akshaya Imaging Systems Private Limited** 

### Varadachari Kumar

Liquidator of Akshaya Imaging Systems Private Limited No.7, Ramanujar Street, Behind Indian Bank, Chitalapakkam, Chennai – 600 064

... Applicant

Order Pronounced on 26th April 2024

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## SANJIV JAIN, MEMBER (JUDICIAL) VENKATARAMAN SUBRAMANIAM, MEMBER (TECHNICAL)

For Applicant: S. Sathiyanarayanan, Advocate

#### <u>ORDER</u>

(Hearing Conducted through VC)

This Application has been filed under Section 54 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 by the liquidator of the Corporate Debtor herein seeking for an order for Dissolution of the Corporate Debtor viz.,

AKSHAYA IMAGING SYSTEMS PRIVATE LIMITED. The relief sought by the Applicant is as follows;

- a) dissolving the Corporate Debtor i.e. Akshaya Imaging Systems P Ltd under Section 54(2) of the IBC;
- b) Order treating the unclaimed liabilities and balances in admitted claims after distribution under section 53 as NIL and closed;
- c) Declare that the sole secured financial creditor (Canara Bank, SAM Branch, Mount Road, Chennai) shall be entitled to Rs 1,61,55,973.38 from and out of the avoidance Applications as and when orders by this Hon'ble Tribunal and consequently, direct the sole secured financial creditor (Canara Bank) to prosecute the Avoidance Applications till its disposal;
- d) To pass such other orders as the Hon'ble Tribunal may deem fit and expedient under the circumstances of the case and thus render Justice
- 2. It is stated that CIRP of the Corporate Debtor was initiated by this Tribunal vide order dated 31.05.2018 and the Applicant herein was appointed as Interim Resolution Professional (IRP) and thereafter as Resolution Professional (RP).
- 3. It is stated that the Liquidation of the Corporate Debtor was ordered by this Tribunal on 07.08.2018 in MA/286/2018 and the Applicant herein was appointed as the Liquidator.
- 4. It is stated that the manufacturing activities of the company ceased somewhere in the third quarter of FY 2017-18 and at the time of commencement of liquidation there was neither any activity nor any employees in the Corporate Debtor and it remained as a closed unit.

5. It is stated that the sole Financial creditor the then Syndicate Bank presently Canara Bank had relinquished its security interest in the secured properties on 06.09.2019 and opted to receive proceeds through sale of assets by the Liquidator.

6. It is stated that the Applicant published the public announcement in Form B on 12.08.2018 in two daily newspapers under Regulation 12 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (Liquidation Process) Regulations 2016, inviting proof of claims from all stakeholders. It is stated that in compliance with Regulation 31 of the IBBI (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016 a category wise list of stakeholders along with the details of each stakeholder, was prepared and filed before this Tribunal on 05.10.2018.

7. It is stated that a Bank Account in the name of 'Akshaya Imaging Systems P Ltd - In liquidation' bearing Account No 60021010009762 was opened on 14.08.2018 with Syndicate Bank, Mount Road Branch, Chennai and all the receipts and payments of the Corporate debtor under liquidation have been routed through this account.

- 8. It is stated that the as per Regulation 15 of the IBBI (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016, the Applicant prepared and filed 1st progress report dated 05.10.2018 and a Preliminary Report within 75 days before this Tribunal on 05.10.2018. It is stated that the Asset Memorandum was filed before this Tribunal on 05.10.2018.
- 9. It is stated that based on the Reports submitted by the Registered Valuers, in accordance with Regulation 35 of the IBBI (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016 the Liquidation value was arrived as under;

SL.	ITEM	VALUER I	VALUER II	AVERAGE
No.		(IN Rs.)	(IN Rs.)	LIQUIDATION
		(IN KS.)	(IN K5.)	VALUE
				ARRIVED AS
				PER RULE 35
				(4) OF
				REGULATIONS
1	Plant & Machinery	1,85,00,000	1,91,02,000	1,88,01,000
2	Swift Car	3,50,000	2,80,000	3,15,000
3	Tata Nano	1,10,000	63,000	86,500
4	Factory Land	4,27,80,000	3,78,00,000	4,02,90,000
	Building and shed			
	TOTAL	6,17,40,000	5,72,45,000	5,94,92,500

10. It is stated that further, a land parcel of 7.5 cents owned by the erstwhile directors which was neither mortgaged to the financial creditor nor leased to the company, adjoining the main land mortgaged to the Financial Creditor, and was in use by the Corporate Debtor. This parcel of land was also valued by both the above valuers and the average liquidation value for this land of 7.5 cents was arrived at as

11. It is stated that even though the unaudited balance sheet handed

over to the liquidator by the erstwhile Directors, reflects a liability of

Rs.22,31,33,711.61 as on 31.03.2018, but the Applicant received claims

from only four persons amounting to only Rs.14,30,56,551.77. They have

been processed, admitted as per Rules and Regulations under IBC 2016

for the liquidation process, and list of stakeholders have been made

public.

Rs.3,97,500/-.

12. It is stated that the assets of the Corporate Debtor forming part of

the liquidation estate were sold in the auction, duly complying with the

provisions of IBC, 2016 and the regulations framed thereunder. The

details of which are as under;

SI No	Details of asset	Liquidation value arrived at as per regulation 35	Amount realised ( in Rs)	Realisation % to the liquidation value as per regulation 35
1	Car Swift Dzire	3,15,000.00	4,50,000.00	142.86
2	Car Nano	86,500.00	1,00,000.00	115.61
3	Land of 2.93 acres, structures thereon, Plant & machinery	5,90,91,000.00	5,61,00,000.00	94.94
4	Land (Disclaimed) of 7.5 cents	3,97,500.00	8,00,000.00	201.26
	Total (1 to 4 above)	5,98,90,000.00	5,74,50,000.00	95.93
5	Trade Debtors	NA	70,667.00	

13. It is stated that an amount of Rs.6,20,48,097.09/- was realised from Liquidation process and out of this realisation, an amount of Rs.6,31,945/- was paid towards CIRP cost, Liquidation Cost (including Liquidator fees) of Rs.44,31,776.90 was absorbed and an amount of Rs.5,63,50,000/- was distributed to the sole Secured Financial Creditor.

It is stated that since the Secured Financial Creditor was not fully paid, the funds were insufficient to pay to the other claimants.

- 14. It is stated that the Applicant has also filed 8 Avoidance Applications in respect of Fraudulent / preferential transactions identified before this Tribunal.
- 15. It is submitted by the Learned Counsel for the Liquidator that suitable orders be passed that the amount decreed to be paid on account of the avoidance applications from the erstwhile directors, be paid directly to the sole financial creditor viz. Canara Bank since;
  - a. The CIRP cost and Liquidation cost have been fully distributed / adjusted from the proceeds of the liquidation estate as per Section 53 of IBC, 2016.
  - b. Claimants falling under priority under Section 53(1)(b)(i) being NIL.
- 16. The details of the relevant compliances as mandated under Section 54 of the IBC, 2016 read with the IBBI (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016 are listed hereunder:-

S No.	Compliance	(Yes / No)	Reference	
(1)	400		& Page No.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
1.	(Regulation 12)	Yes	Page No.38-39 of	
	Public Announcement in Form B		the Application	
	within five days of the appointment		Book	
	of the Liquidator.		B = 6B	
2.	(Regulation 35(2)) Appointment of Registered	Yes	Para 5 of Page No.133 of the	
	Appointment of Registered Valuers in matters where no		Application Book	
	valuation conducted during the		Tippiication Doon	
	CIRP.			
3.	(Regulation 31(2))	Yes	Page No. 41-43 of	
	Filing the List of Stakeholders		the Application	
	within forty-five days of LCD.		Book	
4.	(Regulation 31A)	N/A	N/A	
	Constitution of SCC within sixty			
_	days from LCD.			
5.	(Regulation 13)	Yes	Page No. 15-22 of	
	Filing 'Preliminary Report' before the		the Present Additional	
	Adjudicating Authority within seventy-five days from the LCD.		Paperbook	
6.	(Regulation 34)	Yes	Page No. 44-51 of	
0.	Preparation of Asset	108	the Application	
	Memorandum within seventy-five		Book	
	days from LCD.			
7.	(Regulation 41)	Yes	Page No. 22 of the	
	Opening of Bank Account in the		Present Additional	
	name of the Company followed by		Paperbook	
	the words 'in liquidation' in a Scheduled Bank.			
8.	Proof of Closure of the above	Yes	Page No. 46 of the	
0.	Bank Account and any other	103	Present Additional	
	account in the name of the		Paperbook	
	Company.		_	
9.	(Regulation 15)	Yes	Page No. 13-14 of	
	Quarterly Progress Reports and		the Present	
	proof of filing the same before the		Additional	
4.0	Adjudicating Authority.		Paperbook	
10.	(Regulation 36)	Yes	Page No. 73, 84,	
	Asset Sale Report/ Auction Report		110-112 of the Application Book	
	after sale of Assets.		Application Book	

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11.	(Regulation 42(2))	Yes	S No. 32, Page No. 7
	Proof of distribution within ninety		of the Present
	days from the receipt of		Additional
	realization.		Paperbook
12.	(Regulation 45(3))	Yes	Page No. 131-206 of
	'Final Report' along with		the Application
	Compliance Certificate in Form H to		Book and Page No.
	be filed along the Application.		6-14 of the Present
	12		Additional
			Paperbook
13.	(Regulation 5(1)(e))	N/A	N/A
	(Compilation of the Minutes of		
	SCC).		
14.	(Regulation 15)	Yes	Page No. 47-48 of
	Audited accounts of receipts and		the Present
	payments.		Additional
	1.3		Paperbook
15.	(Regulation 37)	No	Page No. 49 of the
	Completion of liquidation process		Present Additional
	within one year from LCD or		Paperbook
	extension if any, date of the order		
	& period.		
16.	To furnish of details of any	No	N/A
	application pending before the		
	Adjudicating Authority if any.		
17.	Whether any application pending	Yes	Annexed to this
	before this Tribunal in relation to the		Synopsis (Page No.4
	Corporate Debtor, if any. (Details to		of this Synopsis)
	be furnished)		

- 17. We have heard Ld. Counsel for the Applicant and perused the report and synopsis filed by the Liquidator.
- 18. It is stated in Form H that total of 8 applications were pending before this Tribunal for avoidance, Preferential, Undervalued or Fraudulent Transactions. However, this Tribunal vide its order dated 18.04.2024 allowed the Application filed by the Liquidator under Section 43 of IBC, 2016. The Applications filed under Section 66 of IBC, 2016 were disposed of by this Tribunal vide order dated 25.04.2024. Since we

are inclined to pass an order of dissolution of the Corporate Debtor, we direct the Respondents in IA/1320/IB/2020 (*Application filed under Section 43 of IBC*, 2016, which was disposed of on 18.04.2024) to pay the amount to the sole financial creditors viz. Canara Bank.

19. The liquidator has filed the synopsis showing the realization and the distribution which are reproduced as under:

18. REALISATION:

S. No.	Assets	Mode of Sale	Estimated Liquidatio n Value (Rs.)	Realisation Amount (Rs.)	Date of Transfer to Liquidatio n Account
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Immovable Properties of Factory Land & Building situated at Survey No 244/1A, 244/2A, 244/4A, and 244/4A3, Pappankuppam Village,Gummidipoo ndi Taluk, Thiruvallur Dist - 601201 along Plant & Machineries and other Movable Assets	Through e- auction	5,98,72,606	5,74,50,000	03.11.2018, 29.03.2019, 03.02.2020 and 29.07.2020

#### 19. DISTRIBUTION:

SI.	Stakeholders*	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amoun	Remark
No.	under section	Claimed	Admitted	Distributed	t	S
	53 (1)				Distrib	
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					Amoun	
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					d (%)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1	(a)CIRP Costs	6,31,945/-	6,31,945/-	6,31,945/-	100	, ,
2	(a)		48,36,597.82	48,36,597.82/	100	
	Liquidation	/-	/-			
	Costs					
3	(b)(i)Workmen	14016651	14.01.66.56		- 20 50	
4	(b)(ii)	14,21,66,54		5,65,64,924.2	39.79	
	Secured	7/-	7/-	7/-		
	Financial					
	Creditor					
5	(c) wages and			-		
	any					
	unpaid dues					
	owed to					
6	employees (d)Financial	8,89,977/-	8,89,977/-		0	
0	debts to	0,09,911/-	0,09,911/-	_		
	Unsecured					
	Creditor					
7	(e)(i) Statutory	-	-	-	-	-
	dues					
8	(e) (ii)Debt owed to	-	-	-	-	-
	secured creditor					
9	(f)Remaining	-	-			_
	dues					
IO	(g)Preference	-	-		-	-
	Shareholders					
11	(h)Equity	-	-		-	-
	shareholders					
TOT	AL	14,81,20,245	14,81,20,245	6,20,33,467.09/	41.88	
		/-	/-	-		

20. From the averments made in the Application along with the perusal of the final report and the Compliance Certificate filed in Form-

H by the Applicant, it is seen that the Corporate Debtor has been

completely liquidated. In the circumstances as averred and as prayed

for by the Applicant, an order for dissolution is required to be passed by

this Tribunal under Section 54 of the IBC, 2016. Accordingly, we order

for the dissolution of the Corporate Debtor viz., Akshaya Imaging

*Systems Private Limited.* The Liquidator is directed to forward the copy

of this Order to the RoC concerned and also to the IBBI for its records

within a period of 7 days from the date of this Order.

21. In terms of the above, this IA(IBC)59/CHE/2021 stands allowed

and the CP/431/IB/2018 also stands disposed of. Files be consigned to

records.

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VENKATARAMAN SUBRAMANIAM

SANJIV JAIN MEMBER (JUDICIAL)

MEMBER (TECHNICAL) MEM

Raymond