



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

CR-2021-002181

**THE BUSINESS AND PROPERTY
COURTS OF ENGLAND & WALES**

CR-2021-002181

**INSOLVENCY AND COMPANIES
LIST (ChD)**

Before: Chief ICC Judge Briggs (sitting as a High Court Judge)

On 13th and 15th December 2021

**IN THE MATTER OF BULB ENERGY LTD (IN ENERGY SUPPLY
COMPANY ADMINISTRATION)**

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE INSOLVENCY ACT 1986

AND IN THE MATTER OF THE ENERGY ACT 2011

ORDER

UPON THE APPLICATION of Matthew James Cowlshaw, Matthew David Smith and Daniel Francis Butters of Teneo Restructuring Limited, of 156 Great Charles Street, Queensway, Birmingham, B3 3HN, as the joint energy administrators (the “**Energy Administrators**”) of Bulb Energy Ltd (in energy supply company administration) (the “**Administration Company**”) dated 10 December 2021 (the “**Application**”)

AND UPON HEARING Richard Fisher QC and Henry Phillips for the Energy Administrators

AND UPON READING the second witness statement of Matthew James Cowlshaw dated 10 December 2021 (“**Cowlshaw 2**”) together with exhibit “MJC2”

IT IS DECLARED THAT:

1. On a true construction of paragraph 49 of Schedule B1 to the Insolvency Act 1986 (“**Schedule B1**”), a statement of proposals under paragraph 49 of Schedule B1 (a “**Statement of Proposals**”) need not deal with the matters prescribed by paragraph 49(2)(a) of Schedule B1 and rule 20(2) of the

Energy Supply Company Administration Rules 2013 (the “**2013 Rules**”) where there exists a reasonable excuse for not doing so.

2. For the reasons identified in Cowlshaw 2, the Energy Administrators have a reasonable excuse for not including the names, addresses and debts of any “customer creditor” (as defined in paragraph 1.7 of Cowlshaw 2) of the Administration Company under rules 20(2)(h)-(i) of the 2013 Rules when making a Statement of Proposals.

AND IT IS DIRECTED AND ORDERED THAT:

3. Notwithstanding rules 20(2)(h)-(i) of the 2013 Rules, the Energy Administrators may exclude the names, addresses and debts of any customer creditor of the Administration Company when making a Statement of Proposals.
4. Pursuant to r.198(2) of the 2013 Rules and CPR r.3.1(2) (as applied by r.198(2) of the 2013 Rules), the 14-day period under r.103(a) of the 2013 Rules for filing Cowlshaw 2 be abridged.
5. The costs of the Application be paid as an expense of the Administration Company’s energy supply company administration.

Service of the order:

The Court has sent a sealed copy of this order to the Applicants’ legal advisers, Linklaters LLP, at the following address:

One Silk Street, London EC2Y 8HQ (ref. Euan Clarke / Elenor Parkhouse / Luke McCabe)