

**ONTARIO
SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE
COMMERCIAL LIST**

IN THE MATTER OF THE *COMPANIES' CREDITORS ARRANGEMENT ACT*, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, AS AMENDED AND IN THE MATTER OF A PLAN OF COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF TARGET CANADA CO., TARGET CANADA HEALTH CO., TARGET CANADA MOBILE GP CO., TARGET CANADA PHARMACY (BC) CORP., TARGET CANADA PHARMACY (ONTARIO) CORP., TARGET CANADA PHARMACY CORP., TARGET CANADA PHARMACY (SK) CORP., AND TARGET CANADA PROPERTY LLC

**FORTIETH REPORT OF THE MONITOR
ALVAREZ & MARSAL CANADA INC.**

NOVEMBER 30, 2018

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 On January 15, 2015, Target Canada Co. (“**TCC**”) and those companies listed in Appendix A (collectively, the “**Applicants**”), together with the Partnerships also listed in Appendix A (the “**Partnerships**”, and collectively with the Applicants, the “**Target Canada Entities**”), applied for and were granted protection by the Ontario Superior Court of Justice (Commercial List) (the “**Court**”) under the *Companies’ Creditors Arrangement Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, as amended (the “**CCAA**”). Pursuant to an Order of this Court dated January 15, 2015, Alvarez & Marsal Canada Inc. (“**A&M**”) was appointed Monitor of the Target Canada Entities in the CCAA proceedings (the “**Monitor**”). The proceedings commenced by the Applicants under the CCAA are referred to herein as the “**CCAA Proceedings**”.
- 1.2 On February 11, 2015, this Court issued the Amended and Restated Initial Order (hereinafter, unless the context otherwise requires, the “**Initial Order**”), which incorporates certain changes to the Initial Order granted January 15, 2015 that were described in the Second Report of the Monitor dated February 9, 2015.
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1.4 As described in certain of the Prior Reports, and most recently in the Thirty-Ninth Report of the Monitor (the “**Thirty-Ninth Report**”, attached hereto as Appendix B (without appendices)):

- (a) on June 2, 2016, the Court granted the Sanction and Vesting Order, which among other things, ordered and/or declared that the Second Amended and Restated Joint Plan of Compromise and Arrangement dated May 19, 2016 (the “**Second Amended Plan**” or the “**Plan**”) was sanctioned and approved pursuant to Section 6 of the CCAA. A copy of the Second Amended Plan is available on the Monitor’s website;
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Cash Pool Account and \$7.5 million into the Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Equalization Cash Pool Account; and (iii) \$34.1 million was transferred from PropCo to the Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool Account;

- (d) on June 29 and 30, 2016, TCC issued cheques and wire payments totalling approximately \$672.5 million to Unaffected Creditors, Affected Creditors with Proven Claims, and Landlord Entities entitled to distributions from the Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool Account and the Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Equalization Cash Pool Account (collectively, the “**Initial Distributions**”). The Initial Distributions to Affected Creditors represented interim distributions of approximately 55.34% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims. Subsequent interim distributions totaling approximately \$830,000 were also made prior to September 30, 2016 to five claimants whose Claims were resolved in accordance with the Claims Procedure Order subsequent to the Plan Implementation Date;
- (e) on or about October 18, 2016, TCC issued cheques and wire payments totalling approximately \$87.5 million to Affected Creditors with Proven Claims (the “**Second Interim Distributions**”) and Target Canada Property LLC issued a payment of approximately \$3.0 million to the Plan Sponsor.¹ The Second Interim Distributions represented further distributions of 12.65% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims, and when combined with the Initial Distributions, equated to aggregate interim distributions to Affected Creditors of approximately 67.99% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims; and

¹ This payment was made in accordance with section 5.6(b)(ii) of the Plan, and is in respect of the Plan Sponsor’s pro-rata share of proceeds relating to the Plan Sponsor Recovery Limit Reserve.

(f) on or about October 10, 2017, TCC issued cheques and wire payments totalling approximately \$64.1 million to Affected Creditors with Proven Claims (the “**Third Interim Distributions**”) and Target Canada Property LLC issued a payment of approximately \$2.1 million to the Plan Sponsor.² The Third Interim Distributions represented further distributions of 9.05% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims, and when combined with the Initial Distributions and the Second Interim Distributions, equate to aggregate interim distributions to Affected Creditors to-date of approximately 77.04% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims.

1.5 The purpose of this Fortieth Report of the Monitor (the “**Fortieth Report**”) is to provide this Court and stakeholders with information regarding the following:

- (a) an update on the cash balances held in the “cash pool” and “reserve” accounts that were established in accordance with the Second Amended Plan;
- (b) the current status of the Claims Process; and
- (c) the Applicants’ motion for an order substantially in the form attached to the Applicants’ Motion Record dated November 30, 2018 seeking an order extending the Stay Period to June 26, 2019 (the “**Stay Extension Order**”).

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2.1 In preparing this Fortieth Report, the Monitor has been provided with, and has relied upon, unaudited financial information, books and records and financial information

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prepared by the Target Canada Entities and Target Corporation, and discussions with management of the Target Canada Entities and Target Corporation (collectively, the “**Information**”).

2.2 The Monitor has reviewed the Information for reasonableness, internal consistency and use in the context in which it was provided. However, the Monitor has not audited or otherwise attempted to verify the accuracy or completeness of the Information in a manner that would wholly or partially comply with Canadian Auditing Standards (“**CASs**”) pursuant to the *Chartered Professional Accountants Canada Handbook* and, accordingly, the Monitor expresses no opinion or other form of assurance contemplated under CASs in respect of the Information.

2.3 Unless otherwise indicated, capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Fortieth Report are as defined in the Prior Reports, the Second Amended Plan and the Initial Order.

2.4 Unless otherwise stated, all monetary amounts contained in this Fortieth Report are expressed in Canadian dollars.

3.0 UPDATE ON THE “CASH POOL” AND “RESERVE” ACCOUNTS

3.1 The various “cash pool” and “reserve” accounts as at the Plan Implementation Date, and after the Initial Distributions, Second Interim Distributions, Third Interim Distributions and other administrative disbursements, are summarized below (with the “Balance April 27, 2018” column being the balances as at the date of the Thirty-Ninth Report):

(\$ in 000's CAD)	Balance on PID	Initial Distribution	Receipts/ Subsequent Distributions/ Administrative Disbursements	Balance September 15, 2016	Transfers		Receipts/ Subsequent Distributions/ Administrative Disbursements	Balance April 27, 2018	Receipts/ Subsequent Distributions/ Administrative Disbursements	Balance November 16, 2018
					Prior to Subsequent Distributions	Second and Third Distributions				
Target Canada Co.										
TCC Cash Pool Account	441,220	(441,039)	700	881	89,556	(151,560)	67,614	6,491	(215)	6,276
TCC Disputed Claims Reserve Account	197,907	-	(828)	197,079	(89,556)	-	(81,613)	25,911	-	25,911
Administrative Reserve Account [1]	12,900	(177)	(1,869)	10,854	-	-	(8,319)	2,535	(670)	1,865
Landlord Guarantee Creditor Base Claim Cash Pool Account	140,745	(140,745)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool Account	59,532	(59,532)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Equalization Cash Pool Account	7,521	(7,521)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Target Canada Co. Balance	859,825	(649,013)	(1,996)	208,815	-	(151,560)	(22,317)	34,937	(885)	34,053
Target Canada Property LLC										
PropCo Cash Pool Account	10,548	(10,533)	-	15	-	-	795	810	779	1,589
PropCo Disputed Claims Reserve Account	8,895	-	-	8,895	-	-	-	8,895	-	8,895
Plan Sponsor Recovery Limit Reserve Account	23,427	(12,966)	-	10,461	-	(5,084)	-	5,378	-	5,378
Target Canada Property LLC Balance	42,870	(23,499)	-	19,371	-	(5,084)	795	15,083	779	15,862
TOTAL	902,695	(672,512)	(1,996)	228,186	-	(156,644)	(21,523)	50,020	(106)	49,914

Notes:

[1] The Administrative Reserve Account balance includes \$25,000 withheld from a Claim distribution in accordance with a Charging Order in favour of Bougadis, Chang LLP on account of its legal fees pending its agreement with the claimant on the amount of the legal fees or determination by an assessment officer.

3.2 The changes to the above table relative to the similar table included in the Thirty-Ninth Report are:

- (a) TCC Cash Pool Account: The cash balance decreased by approximately \$215,000 due primarily to a claims payment of \$405,000 related to catch-up distributions for a previously settled claim. The decrease was partially offset by a \$190,000 sales tax refund received from Revenu Quebec.
- (b) Administrative Reserve Account: The cash balance decreased by approximately \$670,000 related primarily to administrative disbursements for professional fees, Shared Services and estate administrative costs.
- (c) Propco Cash Pool Account: The cash balance increased by approximately \$779,000 on account of a Quebec Sales Tax refund received from Revenu Quebec.

3.3 The Monitor has prepared an updated illustrative range of estimated recoveries under the Second Amended Plan, which is summarized in the table below and is based on information available as at November 16, 2018 (the “**Illustrative Recoveries Analysis**”).

The Illustrative Recoveries Analysis has been prepared based on the terms of the Second Amended Plan and the current status of Claims filed in the Claims Process. The Monitor cautions that the Illustrative Recoveries Analysis may change (which change could be material) as: (a) Unresolved Claims continue to be reviewed and assessed, including “marker claims” that have been filed for unliquidated or unknown amounts; and (b) the Claims Process continues to advance, including the resolution of Disputed Claims, in accordance with the Claims Procedure Order.

	Illustrative Scenario #1 - LOW	Illustrative Scenario #2 - HIGH
(\$ in 000's CAD)		
PROPCO		
ESTIMATED CASH AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION		
Propco Cash	\$ 76,950	\$ 76,950
RQ Tax Refunds Received	1,574	1,574
PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION	<u>78,524</u>	<u>78,524</u>
CLAIMS FILED AGAINST PROPCO/PROPERTY LP		
Total Third Party Claims Against Propco and Property LP	13,112	10,533
PropCo Intercompany Claims (recontributed into Landlord Guarantee Settlement Amount)	34,081	34,081
Estimated Payments under Plan Sponsor Propco Recovery Reserve Limit	19,457	19,616
ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR TCC AFTER DISTRIBUTIONS	<u>11,874</u>	<u>14,295</u>
TARGET CANADA CO		
ESTIMATED CASH AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION		
Target Canada Co. Cash	780,000	782,000
CRA and RQ Tax Refunds Received	9,372	9,372
Other Receipts	466	466
Propco Cash (from above)	11,874	14,295
ESTIMATED PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION	<u>801,712</u>	<u>806,132</u>
ESTIMATED SECURED, UNAFFECTED AND CONVENIENCE CLASS CREDITORS		
Secured Claims and Unaffected Creditor Claims	60,242	60,242
Convenience Class Claims - < \$25,000	5,993	5,993
Convenience Class Opt-In - Claim Value < \$35,000	1,550	1,550
TOTAL ESTIMATED SECURED, UNAFFECTED AND CONVENIENCE CLASS CREDITOR CLAIMS	<u>67,785</u>	<u>67,785</u>
ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION AFTER SECURED, UNAFFECTED AND CONVENIENCE CLASS CLAIMS	<u>733,927</u>	<u>738,347</u>
LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITOR SETTLEMENT AMOUNTS		
Landlord Guarantee Creditor Base Claim Amounts (Pre-filing and Restructuring)	140,745	140,745
Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Amounts	59,532	59,532
Total Distribution to Landlord Guarantee Creditors	<u>200,276</u>	<u>200,276</u>
Less:		
Plan Sponsor Contribution to the Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool	(25,451)	(25,451)
Plan Sponsor Contribution from the PropCo Intercompany Claims (from above)	(34,081)	(34,081)
NET DISTRIBUTION TO LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITORS AFTER PLAN SPONSOR CONTRIBUTIONS	<u>140,745</u>	<u>140,745</u>
ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION AFTER SECURED, UNAFFECTED, CONVENIENCE CLASS AND LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITOR CLAIMS	<u>(A) 593,182</u>	<u>597,603</u>
ESTIMATED ALLOWABLE CLAIMS		
Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Claim Amounts (Pre-Filing, Restructuring and Other)	190,035	190,035
Other Affected Creditor Claims	415,724	415,224
Total Affected Creditor Claims	605,760	605,260
Total Intercompany Claims	108,464	108,464
ESTIMATED ALLOWABLE TOTAL CLAIMS EXCLUDING SECURED, UNAFFECTED, CONVENIENCE CLASS AND LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITOR CLAIMS	<u>(B) 714,223</u>	<u>713,723</u>
RECOVERY % (A/B)	83.1%	83.7%

3.4 Based on the Illustrative Recoveries Analysis (and subject to the important qualifications noted in paragraph 3.3 above), the Monitor now estimates that Affected Creditors with Proven Claims will ultimately receive aggregate distributions under the Second Amended

Plan in the range of approximately 83.1% to 83.7%³ of such Affected Creditors' Proven Claims.

4.0 CLAIMS PROCESS UPDATE

4.1 The Monitor has provided an update on the status of the Claims Process in a number of the Prior Reports, including most recently in the Thirty-Ninth Report.

Status of Claims Review and Assessment

4.2 As at November 16, 2018, 1,759 Claims have been filed with the Monitor, totalling approximately \$2.6 billion, excluding Intercompany Claims and withdrawn claims, and including those claims filed with the Monitor in connection with the Late Claims Motion and subsequent to the Late Claims Order (as described and defined below). As summarized in the tables below:⁴

- (a) 1,750 Claims have been reviewed, reconciled, resolved and allowed (or deemed allowed or disallowed as the case may be), as the time for a Claimant to respond to a Notice of Revision or Disallowance (“**NRDA**”) issued by the Monitor has expired) (collectively, the “**Resolved Claims**”); and
- (b) nine Claims are subject to a Notice of Dispute (“**NOD**”) where a NOD has been received by the Monitor from the Claimant in response to a NRDA issued by the Monitor, which NOD remains unresolved (the “**NOD Stage**”) (collectively, the “**Unresolved Claims**”).

³ The estimated range of recovery does not include any potential refunds that may be received from the Canada Revenue Agency, which refunds, if received, would increase the high range of the recovery.

⁴ The tables include late-filed claims that were the subject of the Late Claims Motion and those that have been permitted to be filed with the Monitor subsequent to the Late Claims Order.

4.3 In connection with the Monitor’s November 2016 motion for advice and directions regarding late claims (the “**Late Claims Motion**”), on March 1, 2017, the Court issued an order, among other things: (i) permitting certain identified late claims to be filed with the Monitor; and (ii) establishing the procedure for the filing of claims at this stage in the proceedings (the “**Late Claims Order**”). As described in the Thirty-Ninth Report, the Court has permitted nine late claimants to file claims for determination in the Claims Process.

4.4 Since the issuance of the Thirty-Ninth Report, there have been no late filed claims submitted to the Monitor.

4.5 As at November 16, 2018, a summary of the Resolved Claims and Unresolved Claims is as follows:

RESOLVED CLAIMS

Category	Filed Amount		Allowed			Deemed Disallowed			Total	
	#	\$	#	\$	Allowed \$	#	Filed \$	Allowed \$	#	\$
Landlord	(a) 96	1,855,279,112	86	1,855,279,100	338,293,548	10	12	-	96	338,293,548
Vendor	1421	549,974,418	1396	546,200,421	450,223,116	25	3,773,997	-	1,421	450,223,116
Pharmacist	95	159,934,118	95	159,934,118	26,541,098	-	-	-	95	26,541,098
Government	5	7,922,787	4	7,922,786	7,870,409	1	1	-	5	7,870,409
Litigation	69	9,835,332	59	8,755,267	617,333	10	1,080,066	-	69	617,333
Employee	62	869,677	18	536,484	381,286	44	333,193	-	62	381,286
Other	2	2	-	-	-	2	2	-	2	-
Total	1750	2,583,815,447	1658	2,578,628,176	823,926,791	92	5,187,271	-	1,750	823,926,791

UNRESOLVED CLAIMS

Category	Filed Amount		Monitor Review		NRDA Stage			NOD Stage			
	#	\$	#	\$	#	Filed \$	Allowed \$	#	Filed \$	Allowed \$	NOD \$
Landlord	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vendor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pharmacist	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Government	8	4,408	-	-	-	-	-	8	4,408	-	2,579,290
Litigation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Employee	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	9	4,409	-	-	-	-	-	9	4,409	-	2,579,291 (c)
Grand Total	1759	2,583,819,856									

Notes:

- (a) The Allowed amounts of Landlord Claims in the Resolved Claims table reflect the Claim amounts under the settlement agreements reached with Landlords.
- (b) Allowed amounts do not take into account reduced amounts for claimants who have elected into the Convenience Class.
- (c) Total NOD Amount is unknown as certain Claims cannot yet be quantified as information is still pending at this time.

4.6 In addition to the Claims set out above, 40 Claims totaling approximately \$61.4 million were filed and subsequently withdrawn by those Claimants.

4.7 The Monitor will continue to administer any further late claims in accordance with the Late Claims Order, including seeking evidence relating to late filing and obtaining the Court’s required determination, if appropriate, on whether the late-filed claim may be accepted to be filed in the Claims Process based on such evidence.

Unresolved Claims

4.8 As at the date of this report, nine NODs have been received from Claimants which remain unresolved, disputing an aggregate total of approximately \$4,400 (plus “marker claims” that have been filed for unliquidated or unspecified amounts), as compared to the total amount of \$nil allowed by the Monitor in the corresponding NRDA’s. The remaining unresolved NODs relate to:

- (a) Government Claims: Information with respect to Government Claims was provided in certain Prior Reports, including the Twenty-Sixth and Twenty-

Seventh Reports. At the time of the Thirty-Ninth Report, the Monitor, in consultation with the Target Canada Entities was in the process of reviewing eight revised NODs that had been filed by the Department of Justice Canada on behalf of the CRA on June 27, 2016. This process continues. None of the revised NODs is expected to have a significant impact on potential recoveries to Affected Creditors described in paragraph 3.3 above. The overall resolution of matters with CRA will also necessarily address any issues that may arise for periods after June 27, 2016, including subsequent tax filings.

The Monitor understands that CRA has completed its audits of all tax filings up to fiscal 2017. In addition, the proceedings in the Tax Court of Canada on limited issues that may affect the assessments of a limited number of Applicants are advancing, including a settlement conference scheduled with the Tax Court of Canada on December 12, 2018 with the following attending (in addition to the CRA): (a) representatives of the Monitor; (b) Monitor's counsel; (c) the representative of the Target Canada Entities, Corey Haaland, who was appointed to complete the orderly wind-down and administration of the Target Canada Entities' estates following the resignation of Aaron Alt; (d) counsel to the Target Canada Entities; and (e) as the settlement conference will also deal with separate proceedings relating to an affiliate of Target Corporation that is not a Target Canada Entity, a representative of Target Corporation and its counsel. With the completion of the audits up to fiscal 2017 and the advancement of the proceedings in the Tax Court of Canada, the Target Canada Entities, in consultation with the Monitor, and CRA representatives continue to regularly engage with a view to reaching a final resolution of all issues related to CRA's claims.

CRA's claims are the only material matters remaining to be resolved in the CCAA proceedings. Once these claims are resolved, the Applicants have advised that they will proceed with a final distribution to creditors.

- (b) Employee Claims: One remaining marker claim filed against the estate on behalf of the directors and officers is expected to be withdrawn once certain other claims are resolved.

4.9 The Monitor will provide updates to the Court as the Claims Process continues to advance.

Director & Officer Claims

4.10 As described in the Thirty-Ninth Report, the eleven D&O Claims filed in these proceedings have all been resolved.

5.0 EXTENSION OF THE STAY PERIOD

5.1 Pursuant to the Order dated May 14, 2018 (Extending the Stay Period), the Stay Period is set to expire on December 14, 2018.

5.2 The Monitor supports the Applicants' motion to extend the Stay Period to June 26, 2019 for the following reasons:

- (a) the extension will provide the Monitor, in consultation with the Applicants, with the time required to: (i) continue to advance the Claims Process in accordance with the Claims Procedure Order; and (ii) facilitate further distributions to Affected Creditors with Proven Claims as Unresolved Claims are resolved;

- (b) the Applicants have sufficient liquidity through June 26, 2019;
- (c) the Applicants continue to act in good faith and with due diligence in the implementation of the Plan; and
- (d) the Monitor, the Applicants, and Target Corporation are continuing the process of discussing the steps required for completion of these CCAA Proceedings.

All of which is respectfully submitted to this Court this 30th day of November, 2018.

**Alvarez & Marsal Canada Inc., in its capacity
as Monitor of Target Canada Co., and
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Cash Pool Account and \$7.5 million into the Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Equalization Cash Pool Account; and (iii) \$34.1 million was transferred from PropCo to the Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool Account;

- (d) on June 29 and 30, 2016, TCC issued cheques and wire payments totalling approximately \$672.5 million to Unaffected Creditors, Affected Creditors with Proven Claims, and Landlord Entities entitled to distributions from the Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool Account and the Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Equalization Cash Pool Account (collectively, the “**Initial Distributions**”). The Initial Distributions to Affected Creditors represented interim distributions of approximately 55.34% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims. Subsequent interim distributions totaling approximately \$830,000 were also made prior to September 30, 2016 to five claimants whose Claims were resolved in accordance with the Claims Procedure Order subsequent to the Plan Implementation Date;
- (e) on or about October 18, 2016, TCC issued cheques and wire payments totalling approximately \$87.5 million to Affected Creditors with Proven Claims (the “**Second Interim Distributions**”) and Target Canada Property LLC issued a payment of approximately \$3.0 million to the Plan Sponsor.¹ The Second Interim Distributions represented further distributions of 12.65% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims, and when combined with the Initial Distributions, equated to aggregate interim distributions to Affected Creditors of approximately 67.99% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims; and

¹ This payment was made in accordance with section 5.6(b)(ii) of the Plan, and is in respect of the Plan Sponsor’s pro-rata share of proceeds relating to the Plan Sponsor Recovery Limit Reserve.

(f) on or about October 10, 2017, TCC issued cheques and wire payments totalling approximately \$64.1 million to Affected Creditors with Proven Claims (the “**Third Interim Distributions**”) and Target Canada Property LLC issued a payment of approximately \$2.1 million to the Plan Sponsor.² The Third Interim Distributions represented further distributions of 9.05% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims, and when combined with the Initial Distributions and the Second Interim Distributions, equate to aggregate interim distributions to Affected Creditors to-date of approximately 77.04% of such Affected Creditors’ Proven Claims.

1.5 The purpose of this Thirty-Ninth Report of the Monitor (the “**Thirty-Ninth Report**”) is to provide this Court and stakeholders with information regarding the following:

- (a) an update on the cash balances held in the “cash pool” and “reserve” accounts that were established in accordance with the Second Amended Plan;
- (b) the current status of the Claims Process; and
- (c) the Applicants’ motion for an order substantially in the form attached to the Applicants’ Motion Record dated May 8, 2018 seeking an order extending the Stay Period to December 14, 2018 (the “**Stay Extension Order**”).

2.0 TERMS OF REFERENCE AND DISCLAIMER

2.1 In preparing this Thirty-Ninth Report, the Monitor has been provided with, and has relied upon, unaudited financial information, books and records and financial information prepared by the Target Canada Entities and Target Corporation, and discussions with

² This payment was made in accordance with section 5.6(b)(ii) of the Plan, and is in respect of the Plan Sponsor’s pro-rata share of proceeds relating to the Plan Sponsor Recovery Limit Reserve.

management of the Target Canada Entities and Target Corporation (collectively, the “**Information**”).

2.2 The Monitor has reviewed the Information for reasonableness, internal consistency and use in the context in which it was provided. However, the Monitor has not audited or otherwise attempted to verify the accuracy or completeness of the Information in a manner that would wholly or partially comply with Canadian Auditing Standards (“**CASs**”) pursuant to the *Chartered Professional Accountants Canada Handbook* and, accordingly, the Monitor expresses no opinion or other form of assurance contemplated under CASs in respect of the Information.

2.3 Unless otherwise indicated, capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Thirty-Ninth Report are as defined in the Prior Reports, the Second Amended Plan and the Initial Order.

2.4 Unless otherwise stated, all monetary amounts contained in this Thirty-Ninth Report are expressed in Canadian dollars.

3.0 UPDATE ON THE “CASH POOL” AND “RESERVE” ACCOUNTS

3.1 The various “cash pool” and “reserve” accounts as at the Plan Implementation Date, and after the Initial Distributions, Second Interim Distributions, Third Interim Distributions and other administrative disbursements, are summarized below (with the “Balance January 8, 2018” column being the balances as at the date of the Thirty-Eighth Report):

(\$ in 000's CAD)	Receipts/ Subsequent Distributions/ Administrative Disbursements			Balance September 15, 2016	Transfers		Receipts/ Subsequent Distributions/ Administrative Disbursements	Balance January 8, 2018	Receipts/ Subsequent Distributions/ Administrative Disbursements	
	Balance on PID	Initial Distribution			Prior to Subsequent Distributions	Second and Third Distributions			Balance April 27, 2018	
Target Canada Co.										
TCC Cash Pool Account	441,220	(441,039)	700	881	89,556	(151,560)	63,961	2,838	3,653	6,491
TCC Disputed Claims Reserve Account	197,907	-	(828)	197,079	(89,556)	-	(77,192)	30,332	(4,421)	25,911
Administrative Reserve Account [1]	12,900	(177)	(1,869)	10,854	-	-	(6,326)	4,528	(1,994)	2,535
Landlord Guarantee Creditor Base Claim Cash Pool Account	140,745	(140,745)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool Account	59,532	(59,532)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Equalization Cash Pool Account	7,521	(7,521)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Target Canada Co. Balance	859,825	(649,013)	(1,996)	208,815	-	(151,560)	(19,556)	37,699	(2,762)	34,937
Target Canada Property LLC										
PropCo Cash Pool Account	10,548	(10,533)	-	15	-	-	-	15	795	810
PropCo Disputed Claims Reserve Account	8,895	-	-	8,895	-	-	-	8,895	-	8,895
Plan Sponsor Recovery Limit Reserve Account	23,427	(12,966)	-	10,461	-	(5,084)	-	5,378	-	5,378
Target Canada Property LLC Balance	42,870	(23,499)	-	19,371	-	(5,084)	-	14,288	795	15,083
TOTAL	902,695	(672,512)	(1,996)	228,186	-	(156,644)	(19,556)	51,987	(1,967)	50,020

Notes:

[1] The Administrative Reserve Account balance includes \$25,000 withheld from a Claim distribution in accordance with a Charging Order (defined below) in favour of Bougadis, Chang LLP on account of its legal fees pending its agreement with the claimant on the amount of the legal fees or determination by an assessment officer.

3.2 The changes to the above table relative to the similar table included in the Thirty-Eighth Report are:

- (a) TCC Cash Pool Account: The cash balance increased by approximately \$3.7 million due primarily to the resolution of a disputed pharmacy claim resulting in approximately \$4.2 million being moved from the TCC Disputed Claims Reserve Account to the TCC Cash Pool Account. The increase was partially offset by decreases to the account for: (i) the payment of a sales tax reassessment related to one of the Target Canada Entities in the amount of approximately \$485,000 (offsetting a refund that had previously been received and deposited into the TCC Cash Pool Account); and (ii) the distribution on a late-filed claim of approximately \$15,000.
- (b) TCC Disputed Claims Reserve Account: The cash balance decreased by approximately \$4.4 million related to: (i) the resolution and payment of distributions of approximately \$198,000 on a previously Disputed Claim (claimants with subsequently resolved Claims have received their Initial, Second and Third Interim Distributions totalling approximately 77.04%, with the balance being transferred to the TCC Cash Pool Account); (ii) the corresponding transfer

out of approximately \$4.2 million to the TTC Cash Pool Account; (iii) a transfer of \$25,000 to the Administrative Reserve Account in respect of a holdback from a resolved claim distribution in accordance with a Charging Order (the “**Charging Amount**”), pending an agreement between the Claimant and its prior counsel or determination by an assessment officer on the outstanding legal fees incurred by the Claimant; (iv) in accordance with the Fee Motion Order described below, the payment of approximately \$28,000 to Pharmacist Franchisees in addition to the amounts released from the Administrative Reserve Account; and (v) in accordance with the Fee Motion Order described below, a payment of approximately \$19,000 to Strosberg Sasso Sutts LLP, in its capacity as Court-appointed representative counsel for pharmacist franchisees (“**Pharmacist Representative Counsel**”), in connection with TCC’s agreed contribution for fees, disbursements and taxes incurred by pharmacist franchisees represented by Pharmacist Representative Counsel.³

- (c) Administrative Reserve Account: The cash balance decreased by approximately \$2.0 million related primarily to: (i) administrative disbursements of \$1.2 million for professional fees and Shared Services; and (ii) the release of the 10% holdback, totalling approximately \$798,000, that was being withheld on Pharmacist Franchisee distributions in connection with the Fee Motion Order described below.

³ Referred to as the “TCC Contribution” in the Monitor’s Thirty-Seventh Report dated September 27, 2017 relating to the Fee Motion.

- (d) Propco Cash Pool Account: The cash balance increased by approximately \$795,000 on account of a Quebec Sales Tax refund collected from Revenu Quebec.

3.3 The Monitor has prepared an updated illustrative range of estimated recoveries under the Second Amended Plan, which is summarized in the table below and is based on information available as at April 27, 2018 (the “**Illustrative Recoveries Analysis**”). The Illustrative Recoveries Analysis has been prepared based on the terms of the Second Amended Plan and the current status of Claims filed in the Claims Process. The Monitor cautions that the Illustrative Recoveries Analysis may change (which change could be material) as: (a) Unresolved Claims continue to be reviewed and assessed, including “marker claims” that have been filed for unliquidated or unknown amounts; and (b) the Claims Process continues to advance, including the resolution of Disputed Claims, in accordance with the Claims Procedure Order.

	Illustrative Scenario #1 - LOW	Illustrative Scenario #2 - HIGH
(\$ in 000's CAD)		
PROPCO		
ESTIMATED CASH AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION		
Propco Cash	\$ 76,950	\$ 76,950
RQ Tax Refund Received	795	795
PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION	<u>77,745</u>	<u>77,745</u>
CLAIMS FILED AGAINST PROPCO/PROPERTY LP		
Total Third Party Claims Against Propco and Property LP	13,112	10,533
PropCo Intercompany Claims (recontributed into Landlord Guarantee Settlement Amount)	34,081	34,081
Estimated Payments under Plan Sponsor Propco Recovery Reserve Limit	19,440	19,599
ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR TCC AFTER DISTRIBUTIONS	<u>11,112</u>	<u>13,532</u>
TARGET CANADA CO		
ESTIMATED CASH AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION		
Target Canada Co. Cash	780,000	782,000
CRA and RQ Tax Refunds Received	9,182	9,182
Other Receipts	466	466
Propco Cash (from above)	11,112	13,532
ESTIMATED PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION	<u>800,760</u>	<u>805,180</u>
ESTIMATED SECURED, UNAFFECTED AND CONVENIENCE CLASS CREDITORS		
Secured Claims and Unaffected Creditor Claims	60,242	60,242
Convenience Class Claims - < \$25,000	5,993	5,993
Convenience Class Opt-In - Claim Value < \$35,000	1,550	1,550
TOTAL ESTIMATED SECURED, UNAFFECTED AND CONVENIENCE CLASS CREDITOR CLAIMS	<u>67,785</u>	<u>67,785</u>
ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION AFTER SECURED, UNAFFECTED AND CONVENIENCE CLASS CLAIMS	<u>732,975</u>	<u>737,395</u>
LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITOR SETTLEMENT AMOUNTS		
Landlord Guarantee Creditor Base Claim Amounts (Pre-filing and Restructuring)	140,745	140,745
Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Amounts	59,532	59,532
Total Distribution to Landlord Guarantee Creditors	200,276	200,276
Less:		
Plan Sponsor Contribution to the Landlord Guarantee Enhancement Cash Pool	(25,451)	(25,451)
Plan Sponsor Contribution from the PropCo Intercompany Claims (from above)	(34,081)	(34,081)
NET DISTRIBUTION TO LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITORS AFTER PLAN SPONSOR CONTRIBUTIONS	<u>140,745</u>	<u>140,745</u>
ESTIMATED NET PROCEEDS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION AFTER SECURED, UNAFFECTED, CONVENIENCE CLASS AND LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITOR CLAIMS	(A) <u>592,230</u>	<u>596,651</u>
ESTIMATED ALLOWABLE CLAIMS		
Landlord Non-Guarantee Creditor Claim Amounts (Pre-Filing, Restructuring and Other)	190,035	190,035
Other Affected Creditor Claims	415,198	414,698
Total Affected Creditor Claims	605,234	604,734
Total Intercompany Claims	108,464	108,464
ESTIMATED ALLOWABLE TOTAL CLAIMS EXCLUDING SECURED, UNAFFECTED, CONVENIENCE CLASS AND LANDLORD GUARANTEE CREDITOR CLAIMS	(B) <u>713,697</u>	<u>713,197</u>
RECOVERY % (A/B)	83.0%	83.7%

3.4 Based on the Illustrative Recoveries Analysis (and subject to the important qualifications noted in paragraph 3.3 above), the Monitor now estimates that Affected Creditors with Proven Claims will ultimately receive aggregate distributions under the Second Amended

Plan in the range of approximately 83.0% to 83.7%⁴ of such Affected Creditors' Proven Claims.

4.0 CLAIMS PROCESS UPDATE

4.1 The Monitor has provided an update on the status of the Claims Process in a number of the Prior Reports, including most recently in the Thirty-Eighth Report.

Status of Claims Review and Assessment

4.2 As at April 30, 2018, 1,759 Claims have been filed with the Monitor, totalling approximately \$2.6 billion, excluding Intercompany Claims and withdrawn claims, and including those claims filed with the Monitor in connection with the Late Claims Motion and subsequent to the Late Claims Order (as described and defined below). As summarized in the tables below:⁵

- (a) 1,750 Claims have been reviewed, reconciled, resolved and allowed (or deemed allowed or disallowed as the case may be), as the time for a Claimant to respond to a Notice of Revision or Disallowance (“**NRDA**”) issued by the Monitor has expired) (collectively, the “**Resolved Claims**”); and
- (b) nine Claims are subject to a Notice of Dispute (“**NOD**”) where a NOD has been received by the Monitor from the Claimant in response to a NRDA issued by the Monitor, which NOD remains unresolved (the “**NOD Stage**”) (collectively, the “**Unresolved Claims**”).

⁴ The estimated range of recovery does not include any potential refunds that may be received from the Canada Revenue Agency or Revenu Quebec.

⁵ The tables include late-filed claims that were the subject of the Late Claims Motion and those that have been permitted to be filed with the Monitor subsequent to the Late Claims Order.

4.3 In connection with the Monitor’s November 2016 motion for advice and directions regarding late claims (the “**Late Claims Motion**”), on March 1, 2017, the Court issued an order, among other things: (i) permitting certain identified late claims to be filed with the Monitor; and (ii) establishing the procedure for the filing of claims at this stage in the proceedings (the “**Late Claims Order**”). As described in the Thirty-Eighth Report, the Court has permitted nine late claimants to file claims for determination in the Claims Process.

4.4 Since the issuance of the Thirty-Eighth Report, one claimant submitted a de minimus late-filed claim to the Monitor and provided evidence in accordance with the Late Claims Order. In consultation with the debtor, this claim was allowed as filed.

4.5 As at April 30, 2018, a summary of the Resolved Claims and Unresolved Claims is as follows:

RESOLVED CLAIMS

Category	Filed Amount		Allowed			Deemed Disallowed			Total	
	#	\$	#	Filed \$	Allowed \$	#	Filed \$	Allowed \$	#	\$
Landlord (a)	96	1,855,279,112	86	1,855,279,100	338,293,548	10	12	-	96	338,293,548
Vendor	1421	549,448,488	1396	545,674,491	449,697,186	25	3,773,997	-	1,421	449,697,186
Pharmacist	95	159,934,118	95	159,934,118	26,541,098	-	-	-	95	26,541,098
Government	5	7,922,787	4	7,922,786	7,870,409	1	1	-	5	7,870,409
Litigation	69	9,835,332	59	8,755,267	617,333	10	1,080,066	-	69	617,333
Employee	62	869,677	18	536,484	381,286	44	333,193	-	62	381,286
Other	2	2	-	-	-	2	2	-	2	-
Total	1750	2,583,289,517	1658	2,578,102,246	823,400,860 (b)	92	5,187,271	-	1,750	823,400,860

UNRESOLVED CLAIMS

Category	Filed Amount		Monitor Review		NRDA Stage			NOD Stage			
	#	\$	#	\$	Filed	Allowed	Filed	Allowed	NOD		
					#	\$	\$	#	\$	\$	\$
Landlord	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vendor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pharmacist	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Government	8	4,408	-	-	-	-	-	8	4,408	-	2,579,290
Litigation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Employee	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	9	4,409	-	-	-	-	-	9	4,409	-	2,579,291 (c)
Grand Total	1759	2,583,293,926									

Notes:

(a) The Allowed amounts of Landlord Claims in the Resolved Claims table reflect the Claim amounts under the settlement agreements reached with Landlords.

(b) Allowed amounts do not take into account reduced amounts for claimants who have elected into the Convenience Class.

(c) Total NOD Amount is unknown as certain Claims cannot yet be quantified as information is still pending at this time.

4.6 In addition to the Claims set out above, 40 Claims totaling approximately \$61.4 million were filed and subsequently withdrawn by those Claimants.

4.7 The Monitor will continue to administer any further late claims in accordance with the Late Claims Order, including seeking evidence relating to late filing and obtaining the Court’s required determination, if appropriate, on whether the late-filed claim may be accepted to be filed in the Claims Process based on such evidence.

Resolution of Pharmacy Claims

4.8 An update on the status and procedural history of the claims of the former pharmacist franchisees has been provided in Prior Reports, including the Thirty-Eighth Report. At the time of Thirty-Eighth Report:

- (i) except for the T Pharmacy Claim⁶, all pharmacist franchisee claims had been resolved. In respect of the T Pharmacy Claim, a hearing was held before the Court on October 11, 2017. On December 5, 2017, the Court

⁶ On July 27, 2017, the Monitor was notified that T Pharmacy had sold its claim to D. Daniel Dimovski, on behalf of Pharmacy Franchisee of Canada Association (PFAC) in the capacity of PFAC President (the “**T Pharmacy Claimant**”).

issued an order and endorsement (the “**Unresolved Pharmacist Franchisee Order**”) declaring that the T Pharmacy Claim had been fully and finally resolved save for the amount to be deducted on account of mitigation efforts in accordance with Paragraph 78 of the Claims Officer’s October 25, 2016 Ruling (the “**Mitigation Amount**”). The Court directed that the Mitigation Amount be determined on an expedited basis and, should the T Pharmacy Claimant dispute the Monitor’s assessment of the Mitigation Amount as set out in the NRDA the Monitor issued on June 29, 2017, the T Pharmacy Claimant was to file full details of the basis of objection by January 15, 2018, with a hearing date to be scheduled thereafter. On January 15, 2018 the T Pharmacy Claimant filed its objection with the Monitor and on January 17, 2018, the T Pharmacy Claimant, the Monitor and counsel attended a scheduling call with the Court pursuant to which the hearing in respect of the Mitigation Amount was scheduled for March 22, 2018 (the “**Mitigation Hearing**”);

- (ii) on December 27, 2017, the T Pharmacy Claimant provided the Monitor with a Notice of Motion of Leave to Appeal the Unresolved Pharmacist Franchisee Order to the Court of Appeal (the “**T Pharmacy Appeal**”), which Notice of Motion was filed on January 17, 2018 (the “**Leave Motion**”);

Since the date of the Thirty-Eighth Report:

- (iii) on January 22, 2018, the Monitor and the T Pharmacy Claimant entered into a settlement and release agreement (the “**Settlement Agreement**”)

whereby: (i) the amount of the T Pharmacy Claim allowed against the estate of TCC was irrevocably settled and finalized; (ii) the T Pharmacy Claimant abandoned the T Pharmacy Appeal, filing a Notice of Abandonment on January 24, 2018; (iii) the Mitigation Hearing was vacated; and (iv) the T Pharmacy Claimant agreed that the Charging Amount⁷ will be withheld by the Monitor from the initial interim distribution in respect of the T Pharmacy Claim, pending further Order of the Court or joint direction from Bougadis, Chang LLP and the T Pharmacy Claimant.

Distribution to Pharmacist Franchisees

- (iv) on December 5, 2017, the Court issued an order and endorsement (the “**Fee Motion Order**”) with respect to a motion brought by Pharmacist Representative Counsel for approval of its fees and disbursements (the “**Fee Motion**”). The Court approved the fees, disbursements and taxes of Pharmacist Representative Counsel, and directed the Monitor to effect payment to Pharmacist Representative Counsel on the basis set out in the Fee Motion Order;
- (v) as described in the Thirty-Seventh Report, as soon as practicable following the granting of the Fee Motion Order, the Monitor would provide each Pharmacist Franchisee with a Reconciliation Statement

⁷ On April 10, 2017, the Court issued an endorsement requiring the Monitor to withhold \$25,000 from any distributions required to be made in respect of the Claim in order to address certain amounts owing by the T Pharmacy Claimant to Bougadis, Chang LLP, pending agreement between such parties or determination by an assessment officer.

together with the payment, if any, to such Pharmacist Franchisee of any reconciliation amount shown thereon. Prior to completing such reconciliation and effecting payment, the Monitor waited for the appeal period to expire in order to ensure that the Fee Motion Order was a final order and not subject to appeal. On January 15, 2018, the Monitor received confirmation from the T Pharmacy Claimant that the Fee Motion Order was not part of the T Pharmacy Appeal;

- (vi) on or about, January 24, 2018, a distribution in the amount of approximately \$825,000 was issued to Pharmacy Franchisees (other than to the T Pharmacy Claimant) along with supporting Reconciliation Statements in connection with the Fee Motion Order;
- (vii) on or about February 16, 2018, a distribution was made to the T Pharmacy Claimant in respect of the T Pharmacy Claim representing the Initial, Second and Third Interim Distributions totalling approximately 77.04% of the T Pharmacy proven claim, less the Charging Amount; and
- (viii) if the T Pharmacy Claimant and Bougadis, Chang LLP are unable to resolve the amount of the fees payable to Bougadis, Chang LLP in the short term, the Monitor may have to bring a motion before this Court to pay the Charging Amount into Court to facilitate completion of the orderly wind-down of these proceedings.

Unresolved Claims

4.9 As at the date of this report, nine NODs have been received from Claimants which remain unresolved, disputing an aggregate total of approximately \$4,400 (plus “marker claims” that have been filed for unliquidated or unspecified amounts), as compared to the total amount of \$nil allowed by the Monitor in the corresponding NRDA. The remaining unresolved NODs relate to:

- (a) Government Claims: Information with respect to Government Claims was provided in certain Prior Reports, including the Twenty-Sixth and Twenty-Seventh Reports. At the time of the Thirty-Eighth Report, the Monitor, in consultation with the Target Canada Entities was in the process of reviewing eight revised NODs that had been filed by the Department of Justice Canada on behalf of the CRA on June 27, 2016. This process continues. None of the revised NODs is expected to have a significant impact on potential recoveries to Affected Creditors described in paragraph 3.3 above. The overall resolution of matters with CRA will also necessarily address any issues that may arise for periods after June 27, 2016, including from the Target Canada Entities’ 2016 and 2017 tax filings (for the financial year-ends January 28, 2017 and February 3, 2018).

The Monitor understands that CRA has completed its audits of all tax filings up to fiscal 2016. The Target Canada Entities and CRA are working on expediting the fiscal 2017 tax filing for the year ended February 3, 2018 and the audit relating thereto, respectively. With the completion of these audits and the advancement of proceedings in the Tax Court of Canada on limited issues that may affect the assessments of a limited number of Applicants, the Target Canada Entities, in consultation with the Monitor, and CRA representatives are engaging in regular

discussions with a view to reaching a final resolution of all issues related to CRA's claims.

- (b) Employee Claims: One remaining marker claim filed against the estate on behalf of the directors and officers is expected to be withdrawn once certain other claims are resolved.

4.10 The Monitor will provide updates to the Court as the Claims Process continues to advance.

Director & Officer Claims

4.11 As described in the Thirty-Eighth Report, the eleven D&O Claims filed in these proceedings have all been resolved.

5.0 EXTENSION OF THE STAY PERIOD

5.1 Pursuant to the Order dated January 25, 2018 (Extending the Stay Period), the Stay Period is set to expire on May 15, 2018.


5.2 The Monitor supports the Applicants' motion to extend the Stay Period to December 14, 2018 for the following reasons:


- (a) the extension will provide the Monitor, in consultation with the Applicants, with the time required to: (i) continue to advance the Claims Process in accordance with the Claims Procedure Order; and (ii) facilitate further distributions to Affected Creditors with Proven Claims as Unresolved Claims are resolved;
- (b) the Applicants have sufficient liquidity through December 14, 2018;

- (c) the Applicants continue to act in good faith and with due diligence in the implementation of the Plan; and
- (d) the Monitor, the Applicants, and Target Corporation are continuing the process of discussing the steps required for completion of these CCAA Proceedings.

All of which is respectfully submitted to this Court this 8th day of May, 2018.

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