

# **RELEASE TO AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES EXCHANGE**

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## BBY LIMITED (RECEIVERS AND MANAGERS APPOINTED) (IN LIQUIDATION) – CASE SETTLEMENT

### Summary

• IMF announces the parties have reached a settlement of the claims from which IMF's anticipated revenue is approximately AU\$2.2m.

#### **BBY Case Settlement**

- 1. IMF Bentham Limited (**IMF**) refers to its previous announcement of 6 April 2016 regarding its on balance-sheet funding of certain claims of BBY Limited (Receivers and Managers Appointed) (In Liquidation) and its liquidators and announces that a settlement of the claims has been reached.
- 2. The terms of the settlement are confidential.
- 3. IMF expects to generate revenue of approximately AU\$2.2m and a net profit after capitalised overheads but before tax of approximately \$415,000 in relation to this matter.

#### **IMF Background**

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