

## MIRA INFORM REPORT

<b>Report No. :</b>	483034
<b>Report Date :</b>	02.01.2018

### IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

<b>Name :</b>	BED BATH'N'TABLE PTY LTD
<b>Registered Office :</b>	255 Burwood Road Hawthorn, Victoria 3122
<b>Country :</b>	Australia
<b>Date of Incorporation :</b>	15.07.1976
<b>Legal Form :</b>	Australian Proprietary Company
<b>Line of Business :</b>	The subject operates in the retail of a diverse range of homewares including Stock includes towels, linen (sets and individual), bathroom accessories, giftware (frames, candles, teddy bears), Bedwear (dressing gowns and pyjamas), cushions, pillows, continental quilts, throw rugs and more.
<b>No. of Employees :</b>	1,200 to 1,300

### RATING & COMMENTS

(Mira Inform has adopted New Rating mechanism w.e.f. 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2017)

<b>MIRA's Rating :</b>	A
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Credit Rating	Explanation	Rating Comments
A	Acceptable Risk	Business dealings permissible with moderate risk of default

<b>Status :</b>	Satisfactory
<b>Payment Behaviour :</b>	No Complaints

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<b>Litigation :</b>	Clear
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**ECGC Country Risk Classification List**

<b>Country Name</b>	<b>Previous Rating (30.06.2017)</b>	<b>Current Rating (30.09.2017)</b>
Australia	A1	A1

<b>Risk Category</b>	<b>ECGC Classification</b>
Insignificant	A1
Low Risk	A2
Moderately Low Risk	B1
Moderate Risk	B2
Moderately High Risk	C1
High Risk	C2
Very High Risk	D

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**AUSTRALIA - ECONOMIC OVERVIEW**

Following two decades of continuous growth, low unemployment, contained inflation, very low public debt, and a strong and stable financial system, Australia enters 2017 facing a range of growth constraints, principally driven by the sharp fall in global prices of key export commodities. Demand for resources and energy from Asia and especially China has stalled and sharp drops in current prices have impacted growth.

The services sector is the largest part of the Australian economy, accounting for about 70% of GDP and 75% of jobs. Australia was comparatively unaffected by the global financial crisis as the banking system has remained strong and inflation is under control.

Australia benefited from a dramatic surge in its terms of trade in recent years, although this trend has reversed due to falling global commodity prices. Australia is a significant exporter of natural resources, energy, and food. Australia's abundant and diverse natural resources attract high levels of foreign investment and include extensive reserves of coal, iron, copper, gold, natural gas, uranium, and renewable energy sources. A series of major investments, such as the US\$40 billion Gorgon Liquid Natural Gas Project, will significantly expand the resources sector.

Australia is an open market with minimal restrictions on imports of goods and services. The process of opening up has increased productivity, stimulated growth, and made the economy more flexible and dynamic. Australia plays an active role in the WTO, APEC, the G20, and other trade forums. Australia's free trade agreement (FTA) with China entered into force in 2015, adding to existing FTAs with the Republic of Korea, Japan, Chile, Malaysia, New Zealand, Singapore, Thailand, and the US, and a regional FTA with ASEAN and New Zealand. Australia continues to negotiate bilateral agreements with India and Indonesia, as well as larger agreements with its Pacific neighbors and the Gulf Cooperation Council countries, and an Asia-wide Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership that includes the 10 ASEAN countries and China, Japan, Korea, New Zealand and India.

Source : CIA

## ***COMPANY NAME***

**BED BATH'N'TABLE PTY LTD**

**ACN: 005 216 866**

**ABN: 66 005 216 866**

## ***SUMMARY PANEL***

Established	1960's
Incorporated	1976
Line of Business	Retail homewares chain
Status	Trading
Chief Executive Officer	DEMPSEY, JONATHAN DAVID
Adverse Listings	<u>Nil</u>

## ***EXECUTIVE SUMMARY***

Current financial details could not be obtained for the current enquiry.

For the last financial year ended 30 June 2016 the subject recorded revenue in the order of \$200 million.

In the 12 months from June 2015 to June 2016 store numbers increased from 120 to 135. They were set to increase to 150 by the end of this calendar year.

Net Assets in June 2016 were valued at \$65,000,000.

## ***CORPORATE SEARCH***

Company Type	Australian Proprietary Company
Incorporation Date:	15 Jul 1976
Incorporation State:	Victoria
Registered Office	255 BURWOOD Road HAWTHORN, Victoria 3122 Australia
Number of Shares Issued:	12
Paid Capital:	12

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Shareholders	DOMESTIC TEXTILE CORPORATION PTY. LTD Number of Shares: 12
Directors	DEMPSEY, JONATHAN DAVID Appointment Date: 15 May 1992 Date of Birth: 05 Oct 1961 Gender: Male Address: 15 HARCOURT Street HAWTHORN EAST, Victoria 3123 Australia Resident Overseas: No
Secretary	JONATHAN DAVID DEMPSEY Appointment Date: 07 Aug 2000

## ***SECURITY INTERESTS***

Effective 30 January 2012 the Personal Property Securities Register (PPSR) was introduced to give the different Commonwealth, State and Territory laws and registers regarding security interests in personal property under one national system.

As a result of PPS Reform a number of existing Commonwealth, State and Territory personal property security registers will close. Interests registered on existing security interest registers will be migrated to the national PPS Register. Subsequently Registered Charges are no longer lodged with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC).

Please contact us should you require a search of the PPSR.

## ***BUSINESS STRUCTURE***

TRADING ADDRESS	255 Burwood Rd HAWTHORN, VIC 3122
TELEPHONE	(613) 8888 8100
WEBSITE	<a href="http://www.bedbathntable.com.au">www.bedbathntable.com.au</a>
ASSOCIATED ENTITY	BED BATH N TABLE NZ P/L
HOLDING ENTITY	DOMESTIC TEXTILE CORPORATION P/L
ULTIMATE HOLDING ENTITY	THE DEMPSEY GROUP P/L
RETAIL OUTLETS	The subject maintains 150 Stores across Australia

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BANK ANZ BANKING GROUP  
EMPLOYEES 1,200 to 1,300

## **BACKGROUND**

The subject was incorporated in Victoria on 15 July 1976 as Demcart P/L, before adopting the current style on 10 May 1991.

The group has origins that date back to the 1960's.

## **OPERATIONS**

The subject operates in the retail of a diverse range of homewares including Stock includes towels, linen (sets and individual), bathroom accessories, giftware (frames, candles, teddy bears), Bedwear (dressing gowns and pyjamas), cushions, pillows, continental quilts, throw rugs and more.

Activities are conducted from premises located at the above listed trading address.

## **ADVERSE**

A search of on 2 January 2018 failed to trace any litigation listed against the subject at that date.

## **FINANCES**

The subject is not required to lodge financial statements with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

During the current investigation contact with Finance Manager, Mark Jacobson was unable to be established. It was advised that he is on annual leave and is not due to return until the week commencing 2 January 2017.

As a result current financial details could not be obtained for the current enquiry.

Previous enquiries have revealed that for the last financial year ended 30 June 2016 the subject recorded revenue in the order of \$200 million. This compares to revenue of \$160 million for the previous corresponding year ended 30 June 2015.

From June 2015 to June 2016 store numbers increased from 120 to 135. They were set to increase to 150 by the end of the 2017 calendar year.

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For the year ended 30 June 2013 the subject traded profitably and recorded revenue of \$125,000,000. This compares to revenue of \$125,000,000 for the previous corresponding year ended 30 June 2012.

For the year ended 30 June 2011 the subject traded profitably and recorded revenue of \$95,000,000.

For the year ended 30 June 2009 the subject recorded revenue of \$70,000,000. This compares to revenue of \$65,000,000 for the year ended 30 June 2008.

The subject maintains access to financing facilities with its bankers which are used to assist in funding working capital requirements.

Net Assets in June 2016 were valued at \$65,000,000.

## ***TRADE SURVEY***

During the current investigation, contact with the subject's principals was unable to be established.

Subsequently details pertaining to the company's suppliers were unable to be obtained and a trade survey could not be conducted.

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES**

Currency	Unit	Indian Rupees
US Dollar	1	INR 63.67
UK Pound	1	INR 85.90
Euro	1	INR 75.47
AUD	1	INR 49.86

**Note :** Above are approximate rates obtained from sources believed to be correct

**INFORMATION DETAILS**

<b>Analysis Done by :</b>	NIY
<b>Report Prepared by :</b>	TRU

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**RATING EXPLANATIONS**

Credit Rating	Explanation	Rating Comments
A++	Minimum Risk	Business dealings permissible with minimum risk of default
A+	Low Risk	Business dealings permissible with low risk of default
A	Acceptable Risk	Business dealings permissible with moderate risk of default
B	Medium Risk	Business dealings permissible on a regular monitoring basis
C	Medium High Risk	Business dealings permissible preferably on secured basis
D	High Risk	Business dealing not recommended or on secured terms only
NB	New Business	No recommendation can be done due to business in infancy stage
NT	No Trace	No recommendation can be done as the business is not traceable

NB is stated where there is insufficient information to facilitate rating. However, it is not to be considered as unfavourable.

This score serves as a reference to assess SC's credit risk and to set the amount of credit to be extended. It is calculated from a composite of weighted scores obtained from each of the major sections of this report. The assessed factors are as follows:

- Financial condition covering various ratios
- Company background and operations size
- Promoters / Management background
- Payment record
- Litigation against the subject
- Industry scenario / competitor analysis
- Supplier / Customer / Banker review (wherever available)

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