

## MIRA INFORM REPORT

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### IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

<b>Name :</b>	GDB INTERNATIONAL INC.
<b>Registered Office :</b>	1 Home News Row, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901-3601
<b>Country :</b>	United States
<b>Financials (as on) :</b>	2016 [Summarized]
<b>Date of Incorporation :</b>	1993
<b>Legal Form :</b>	Domestic Profit Corporation
<b>Line of Business :</b>	Subject engages in trading plastic, paint, paper, and metal products worldwide.
<b>No. of Employees :</b>	100

### 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
<b>Litigation :</b>	Exist

#### NOTES :

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**ECGC Country Risk Classification List**

Country Name	Previous Rating (31.12.2017)	Current Rating (01.04.2018)
United States	A1	A1

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

**UNITED STATES - ECONOMIC OVERVIEW**

The US has the most technologically powerful economy in the world, with a per capita GDP of \$59,500. US firms are at or near the forefront in technological advances, especially in computers, pharmaceuticals, and medical, aerospace, and military equipment; however, their advantage has narrowed since the end of World War II. Based on a comparison of GDP measured at purchasing power parity conversion rates, the US economy in 2014, having stood as the largest in the world for more than a century, slipped into second place behind China, which has more than tripled the US growth rate for each year of the past four decades.

In the US, private individuals and business firms make most of the decisions, and the federal and state governments buy needed goods and services predominantly in the private marketplace. US business firms enjoy greater flexibility than their counterparts in Western Europe and Japan in decisions to expand capital plant, to lay off surplus workers, and to develop new products. At the same time, businesses face higher barriers to enter their rivals' home markets than foreign firms face entering US markets.

Long-term problems for the US include stagnation of wages for lower-income families, inadequate investment in deteriorating infrastructure, rapidly rising medical and pension costs of an aging population, energy shortages, and sizable current account and budget deficits.

The onrush of technology has been a driving factor in the gradual development of a "two-tier" labor market in which those at the bottom lack the education and the professional/technical skills of those at the top and, more and more, fail to get comparable pay raises, health insurance coverage, and other benefits. But the globalization of trade, and especially the rise of low-wage producers such as China, has put additional downward pressure on wages and upward pressure on the return to capital. Since 1975, practically all the gains in household income have gone to the top 20% of households. Since 1996, dividends and capital gains have grown faster than wages or any other category of after-tax income.

Imported oil accounts for more than 50% of US consumption and oil has a major impact on the overall health of the economy. Crude oil prices doubled between 2001 and 2006, the year home prices peaked; higher gasoline prices ate into consumers' budgets and many individuals fell behind in their mortgage payments. Oil prices climbed another 50% between 2006 and 2008, and bank foreclosures more than doubled in the same period. Besides dampening the housing market, soaring oil prices caused a drop in the value of the dollar and a deterioration in the US merchandise trade deficit, which peaked at \$840 billion in 2008. Because the US economy is energy-intensive, falling oil prices since 2013 have alleviated many of the problems the earlier increases had created.

The sub-prime mortgage crisis, falling home prices, investment bank failures, tight credit, and the global economic downturn pushed the US into a recession by mid-2008. GDP contracted until the third quarter of 2009, the deepest and longest downturn since the Great Depression. To help stabilize financial markets, the US Congress established a \$700 billion Troubled Asset Relief Program (TARP) in October 2008. The government used some of these funds to purchase equity in US banks and industrial corporations, much of which had been returned to the government by early 2011. In January 2009, Congress passed and former President Barack OBAMA signed a bill providing an additional \$787 billion fiscal stimulus to be used over 10 years - two-thirds on additional spending and one-third on tax cuts - to create jobs and to help the economy recover. In 2010 and 2011, the federal budget deficit reached nearly 9% of GDP. In 2012, the Federal Government reduced the growth of spending and the deficit shrank to 7.6% of GDP. US revenues from taxes and other sources are lower, as a percentage of GDP, than those of most other countries.

Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan required major shifts in national resources from civilian to military purposes and contributed to the growth of the budget deficit and public debt. Through FY 2018, the direct costs of the wars will have totaled more than \$1.9 trillion, according to US Government figures.

In March 2010, former President OBAMA signed into law the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA), a health insurance reform that was designed to extend coverage to an additional 32 million Americans by 2016,

through private health insurance for the general population and Medicaid for the impoverished. Total spending on healthcare - public plus private - rose from 9.0% of GDP in 1980 to 17.9% in 2010.

In July 2010, the former president signed the DODD-FRANK Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, a law designed to promote financial stability by protecting consumers from financial abuses, ending taxpayer bailouts of financial firms, dealing with troubled banks that are "too big to fail," and improving accountability and transparency in the financial system - in particular, by requiring certain financial derivatives to be traded in markets that are subject to government regulation and oversight.

In December 2012, the Federal Reserve Board (Fed) announced plans to purchase \$85 billion per month of mortgage-backed and Treasury securities in an effort to hold down long-term interest rates, and to keep short-term rates near zero until unemployment dropped below 6.5% or inflation rose above 2.5%. The Fed ended its purchases during the summer of 2014, after the unemployment rate dropped to 6.2%, inflation stood at 1.7%, and public debt fell below 74% of GDP. In December 2015, the Fed raised its target for the benchmark federal funds rate by 0.25%, the first increase since the recession began. With continued low growth, the Fed opted to raise rates several times since then, and in December 2017, the target rate stood at 1.5%.

In December 2017, Congress passed and President Donald TRUMP signed the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, which, among its various provisions, reduces the corporate tax rate from 35% to 21%; lowers the individual tax rate for those with the highest incomes from 39.6% to 37%, and by lesser percentages for those at lower income levels; changes many deductions and credits used to calculate taxable income; and eliminates in 2019 the penalty imposed on taxpayers who do not obtain the minimum amount of health insurance required under the ACA. The new taxes took effect on 1 January 2018; the tax cut for corporations are permanent, but those for individuals are scheduled to expire after 2025. The Joint Committee on Taxation (JCT) under the Congressional Budget Office estimates that the new law will reduce tax revenues and increase the federal deficit by about \$1.45 trillion over the 2018-2027 period. This amount would decline if economic growth were to exceed the JCT's estimate.

Source : CIA

## **STATUTORY INFORMATION**

**Legal Name:** GDB INTERNATIONAL INC.  
**Trade Name:** GDB INTERNATIONAL INC  
**ID:** 100658838  
**Date Created:** 1993  
**Date Incorporated:** 03/18/1996  
**Legal Address:** 1 Home News Row  
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901-3601  
United States  
**Operative Address:** 1 Home News Row  
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901-3601  
United States  
**Telephone:** (732) 246-3001  
**Fax:** NA  
**Legal Form:** DOMESTIC PROFIT CORPORATION  
**Email:** PlasticSales@gdbinternational.com  
**Registered in:** NEW JERSEY  
**Website:** [www.gdbinternational.com/plastic.htm](http://www.gdbinternational.com/plastic.htm)  
**Contact:** Sanjeev Bagaria, Ceo  
**Staff:** 100  
**Industry:** NAICS 1: Paint and Coating Manufacturing  
NAICS 2: Paint, Varnish, and Supplies Merchant  
Wholesalers  
NAICS 3: Printing and Writing Paper Merchant Wholesalers  
NAICS 4: Plastics Materials and Basic Forms and Shapes  
Merchant Wholesalers  
NAICS 5: Packing and Crating  
SIC 1: Paints And Allied Products  
SIC 2: Paints  
SIC 3: Printing And Writing Paper  
SIC 4: Plastics Materials And Basic Shapes  
SIC 5: Packing And Crating

**Banks** Chase Bank  
The company does not disclose its banking details.

## **HISTORY**

The company was founded in 1993 and is based in New Brunswick, New Jersey.

**DOR Suspension Start**  
**Date:**  
10-16-2007  
**DOR Suspension End**

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Date:  
03-18-2008

## **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY**

GDB International, Inc. engages in trading plastic, paint, paper, and metal products worldwide.

### **Products/Services description:**

The company sells white paints, latex paints, base paints, oil paints, latex mistints, aerosols spray paints, caulking solutions and adhesives, rolling covers and paint applicators, and raw materials; solid bleached sulfate paper, poly coated paper, coated ground wood paper, silicone release liner paper, CCNB/CCKB/ground wood paper, metalized and holographic paper, color paper and boards, and glassine and greaseproof paper; and post-industrial, post-commercial, and post-consumer scrap, including LDPE, HDPE, PP, PS, PVC, etc. into the overseas markets. It also trades/exports scrap aluminum, brass, insulated copper cable, lead, stainless steel, and zinc, as well as sells non-ferrous scrap to the domestic United States, India, and China markets.

### **Brands:**

NA

### **Sales are:**

Wholesale

### **Clients:**

Imper Y Recubrimientos Pronexus Sa De Cv,  
MEXICO

Promotora Valmex, S.A. De C.V.,  
MEXICO

PINTURAS VALMEX SA DE CV,  
MEXICO

SCHILDERSBEDRIJF KRIES

Tecnidecor S.A  
Colombia

Kwaku Anning Ghana

JOSE MANUEL SILLER BANITA  
Mexico

BERNAL/SUAREZ/FRANCISCO  
Mexico

### **Suppliers:**

Taian Gonhal Plstic Co Ltd,  
CHINA

### **Operations area:**

National and International

### **The company imports from**

CHINA

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The company exports to  
The subject employs  
Payments:

MEXICO, COLOMBIA  
100 employees  
No complaints

## **LOCATION**

Headquarters :

1 Home News Row  
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901-3601  
United States

Comments:

1 Home News Row  
This business is located at 1 Home News Row, a commercial address in New Brunswick, NJ. The industrial property was last sold on December 14, 2009 for \$4,607,511.

Estimated Value

The industrial property has an estimated value of \$2.21 million, which is 199% higher than the \$740,517 average for industrial properties in the area. When the building was last assessed in 2012, the assessment value was \$2,177,200. There are no branches registered.

Branches:

Related Companies:

It has locations in Nashville, Illinois; New Brunswick, New Jersey; London, United Kingdom; Beijing, China; Cali, Columbia; Monterrey, Mexico; Mumbai, India; Moscow, Russian Federation; Guatemala City, Guatemala; Quito, Ecuador; and Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Fleet:

Small-Scale Fleet, All Trucks  
Its fleet is 4.4 vehicles smaller than average when compared to all federally-registered carriers.  
Its also relatively homogeneous, consisting entirely of trucks.

## **GROUP STRUCTURE AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES**

Listed at the stock exchange:

NA

Capital:

NA

Shareholders:

This is a private company. We could not confirm any major holder.

Management:

Sanjeev Bagaria, CEO  
Sunil Bagaria, President  
Francisco Suarez, Vice President Sales Latin America  
Vanessa Downey, Vice President of Sales & Marketing

## **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

The company does not public its financial statements. Thw following information has been provided by our private sources:

USD 2016	
Sales	70 000 000
Cash Flow	Normal

## **LEGAL FILINGS**

### **TRADEMARKS**

**EVOLVE**  
Recycled paint for use in industrial building construction;  
Recycled house paint  
Owned by: GDB International Inc.  
Serial Number: 86087781

**EVOLVE**  
Recycled paint for use in industrial building construction;  
Recycled house paint  
Owned by: GDB International Inc.  
Serial Number: 86087785

**EMERGE**  
Recycled paint for use in industrial building construction;  
Recycled house paint  
Owned by: GDB International Inc.  
Serial Number: 86288558

**EMERGE ULTRA PREMIUM RECYCLED LATEX PAINT**  
Recycled paint for use in industrial building construction;  
Recycled house paint  
Owned by: GDB International Inc.  
Serial Number: 86288562

**RELUXE**  
Recycled paint for house and office use  
Owned by: GDB International Inc.  
Serial Number: 86292993

### **CASES**

Martinez Guzman v. GDB International, Inc et al  
Defendant: Sanjeev Bagaria, GDB International, Inc and  
Sunil Bagaria

Plaintiff: Heladio Humberto Martinez Guzman  
Case Number: 3:2013cv01145  
Filed: November 5, 2013

Martinez Guzman v. GDB International, Inc et al  
Filing 35  
MEMORANDUM AND ORDER. Signed by Judge J. Phil  
Gilbert on 7/1/2014. (jdh)

Annual Report Month: MARCH  
Last Annual Report  
Filed:  
12/29/2017  
Year: 2018

## ***SUMMARY***

Founded in 1993, GDB INTERNATIONAL INC (PLASTIC DIVISION) is a company located in NEW YORK.

It has 100 full time employees and generates an estimated \$70 million in annual revenue.

It is incorporated in NEW JERSEY.

It is active and in good standing.

## ***RISK INFORMATION***

**DEBTS  
PAYMENTS  
CASH FLOW  
STATUS**

Controlled  
No complaints  
Normal  
ACTIVE

**INTERVIEW  
NAME  
POSITION  
COMMENTS**

Rick  
Operator  
He confirmed address, CEO's name, experience, website,  
estimated employee number and exports.

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES**

Currency	Unit	Indian Rupees
US Dollar	1	INR 68.83
UK Pound	1	INR 89.93
Euro	1	INR 80.12
USD	1	INR 68.86

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

**INFORMATION DETAILS**

Analysis Done by :	VIV
Report Prepared by :	SYL

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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)