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## South Canterbury Finance Limited Information Release

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Entity Name:	<b>South Canterbury Finance Ltd</b>
Assessment date:	September 2009
Assessed by:	A Hemphill
Trustee	Trustee Executors [[1] _____]
Guaranteed Deposits	\$1,789m (28,429)

### Ownership

100% - Southbury Group (Allan Hubbard holds 70% shareholding).

### Key People:

Allan Hubbard – Chairman, Lachie McLeod – CEO, [[1] \_\_\_\_\_] – CFO

### Liquidity

**Based upon the Bank's weekly data, as at 13 November 09, the company held ~\$56m of liquid assets and had \$97m of deposits, either on call or maturing within 30 days. Their reinvestment rate was ~50%. Over the past 2 weeks, the coy has attracted ~ \$10m of new funding per week.**

### Estimated Loss in the event of company failure

- The estimated net claim under the DGS has been reduced to between \$450m - \$500m.

### Monthly Movement

- Guaranteed deposits declined further during the month – see above note
- Impaired assets increased ~\$70M
- Restructured assets and Loans with capitalising interest increased
- Related Party lending reduced \$5m – Now reduced 414m over past 2 months.

### Risk ranking

- Low levels of capital.
- High level of related party lending
- Diminishing Loan book quality
- Concentration / Large exposure risk
- Property development / 2<sup>nd</sup> mortgages exposure
- Modest levels of provisions

**Entity classified as High risk.**

**Key Graphs**

