# **Subcontract Agreement**

# Additional Special Conditions



#### **HOW TO USE THIS ADDENDUM**

Following changes to building industry legislation, please ensure this Special Conditions addendum is added to each contract prior to signing. For assistance, contact Master Builders on 1300 30 50 10.

### **SC7** Delete Clause 19 in full and replace with the following:

#### 19 Termination for Insolvency

#### 19.1 Either party may terminate Subcontract for insolvency

Subject to Clause **19.3**, either the Subcontractor or the Contractor may terminate the **Subcontract** immediately on giving written notice to the other party, if the other party:

- (a) commits an act of bankruptcy, or is made bankrupt;
- (b) makes a composition or other arrangement with creditors;
- (c) assigns assets for the benefit of creditors generally;
- (d) being a company, becomes insolvent, enters into a deed of company arrangement, has a controller, a administrator or receiver appointed, or is in liquidation.

#### 19.2 Requirements of notice

A written notice under Clause **19.1** must set out the ground or grounds relied on by the relevant party for the termination.

### 19.3 Enforceability of Clause 19.1 if the other party is a company

If 'the other party' referred to in Clause **19.1** is a company and enters into certain arrangements for the purpose of avoiding being wound up in insolvency or appoints an administrator, then the right to terminate the **Subcontract** pursuant to Clause **19.1** may be limited by the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth).