



**PRESS RELEASE (07/06/2019)**  
**The Song Company (Administrators Appointed)**  
**to recommence trading.**

Michael Tidball (Chair) and Antony Pitts (Artistic Director) are pleased to announce that following the 16 May 2019 announcement that The Song Company had entered voluntary administration, the company has been able to recommence trading in advance of the second creditors' meeting scheduled for 18 June.

Trevor Pogroske and Anthony Warner of CRS Insolvency, the Voluntary Administrators, have recommended in their report to creditors that the Company be returned to the Directors, subject to creditors approval at the second meeting to be held on the 18 June, 2019.

Thereafter, The Song Company will continue business as usual.

"I have been touched by the incredible support of our audiences and donors and the Arts community both here and abroad" said Pitts, continuing "We've been touring a really innovative, exciting, and challenging program for 2019, and I am looking forward to bringing the remaining part of our **Above Beyond** season to as wide an audience as possible".

"After a thorough review of our accounts and budgets, the intervention of a significant donor and confirmation of our existing generous support from both Create NSW and the Australia Council we are confident that the company is in a good position to recommence trading. We feel strongly that at its core the Company is a viable and important contributor to the Arts in Australia and are delighted to be able to continue this 35-year legacy" said Tidball.

The company will be re-enabling ticket booking and donation links on the company website within the next 24 hours, and encourages supporters to visit the below:

Donations:  
<http://the.song.company/donate>

The Song Company 2019 Season:  
<http://the.song.company/2019/#AboveBeyond>

