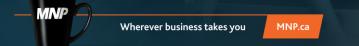
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Financial Difficulties

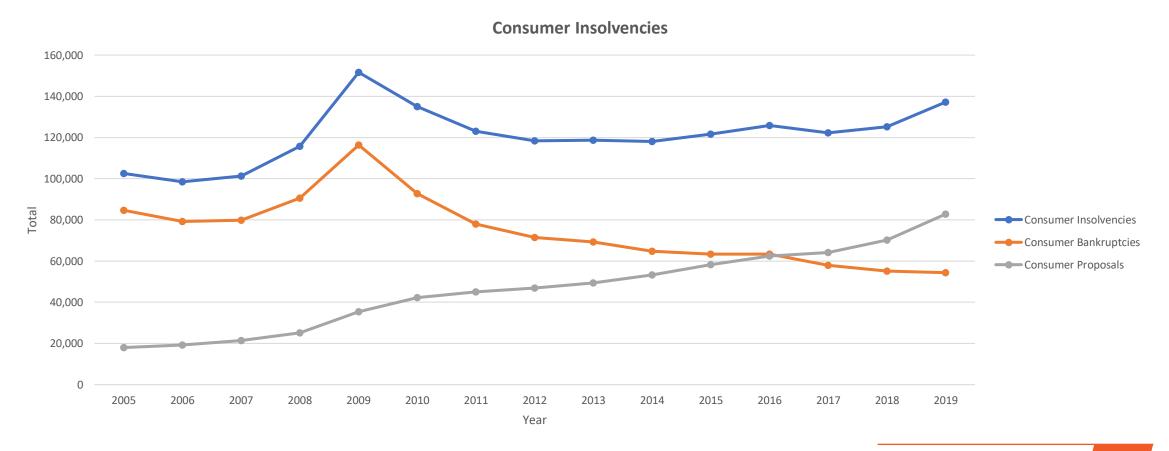
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Trends



Consumer Insolvency

15 Year Trend





Consumer Insolvency

Pre-COVID vs. Current

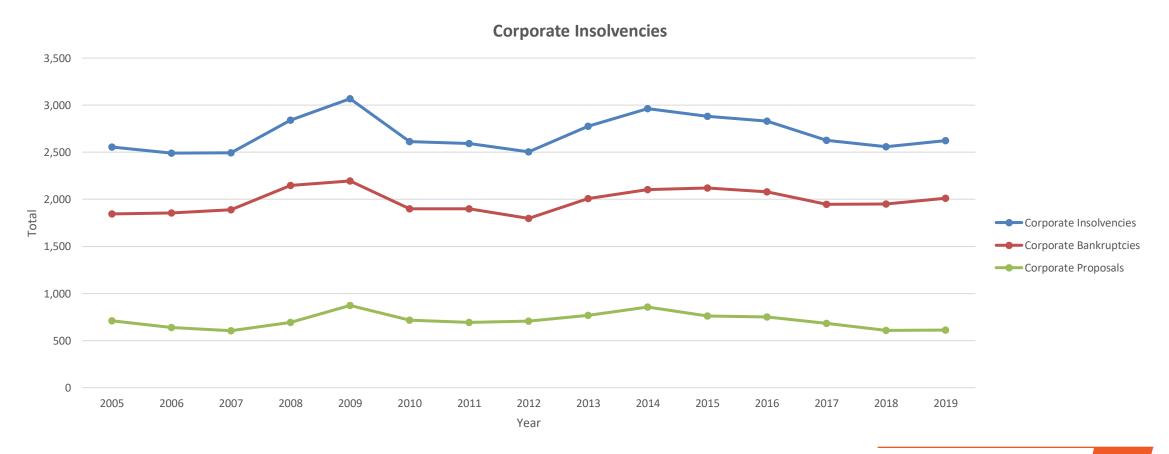
Consumer Insolvencies	February 2020 (Pre-COVID)	September 2020	Delta
Total Filings	11,221	7,627	32%
Consumer Bankruptcies	3,856	2,597	33%
Consumer Proposals	7,365	5,030	32%

Explanation - Government Assistance, Reduced Collections, Reduced Spending, Mortgage Deferrals, etc.

Prediction - Removal of and/or a combination of the foregoing (Tipping Point)



Corporate Insolvency 15 Year Trend





Corporate Insolvency

Pre-COVID vs. Current

Corporate Insolvencies	February 2020 (Pre-COVID)	September 2020	Delta
Total Filings	320	232	28%
Corporate Bankruptcies	229	188	18%
Corporate Proposals	91	44	52%

Explanation - Government Assistance (wage subsidy), Rent Deferrals, Loan Deferrals, Interest only Loan Payments, Reduced Collections

Prediction - Removal of and/or a combination of the foregoing (Tipping Point)

Warning Signs



Top 10 Signs a Business is in Trouble

- 1. Lack of profitability
- 2. Loss of key customers
- 3. Liquidity or cash flow problems
- 4. Build-up of unpaid statutory creditors (unauthorized credit)
- 5. Loss of key employees



Top 10 Signs a Business is in Trouble

- 6. Owner/manager distracted
- 7. Mismanagement of assets
- 8. Lack of management tools
- 9. Major litigation by customer(s)
- 10. Actions and litigation by creditors

Costs and Benefits



Informal

- Your time only
- No cash outlay
- No Stay of Proceedings
- Not all creditors equal
- Harder with many creditors

Formal

- Third party and your time
- Cash outlay
- Stay of Proceedings
- All creditors equal
- Easier with many creditors



Informal

- Not structured
- You deal with creditors
- No protection on credit terms
- Bound to office leases
- Poorer optics

Formal

- Very structured
- Third party deals with creditors
- Protection on credit terms
- Leases can be terminated
- Better optics

Links

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MNP Debt Website (https://mnpdebt.ca/en)

MNP Corporate Brochure (https://mnpdebt.ca/-/media/files/mnpdebt/corporate/pdfs/corporaterecovery--restructuring-professionals-brochurepdf.pdf)

Contact an MNP Advisor

(https://mnpdebt.ca/en/corporate/iicanadawebinar)

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