## A TYPICAL BUSINESS PLAN

# **COVER PAGE**

- · company Name
- key Company Contacts and their titles

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note major headings in your business plan

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- complete company history
- · company aims and objectives
- · amount of financing required
- · future company plans

#### **COMPANY MANAGEMENT**

· background, responsibilities and qualifications of key personnel

## **MARKETING PROPOSAL**

- details of product or service and respective costs
- · market research conducted
- business prospecting ideas
- · promotions and public relations campaigns

# FINANCING PROPOSAL

- cash flow forecast
- repayment proposal
- collateral

# **OPERATIONAL DATA**

- contact numbers of account manager, lawyer and accountant
- legal status of business (incorporation etc)
- how the business will operate

# **ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT**

company "green plan"

# **CONCLUSION**

- · restate your aims and objectives
- · list financing amount and reasons for the financing
- explain why you are a prime candidate for the financing

# **APPENDICES**

- detailed management biographies product literature asset valuation

- financial statements
- detailed cash flow forecasts
- major contracts
- profit and loss statements