UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

(Rule 13d-102)

Information Statement Pursuant to Rules 13d-1 and 13d-2 Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

G4253H119 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2018
Date of Event which Requires Filing of the Statement

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

☐ Rule 13d-1(b)

☐ Rule 13d-1(c)

☐ Rule 13d-1(d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. <u>G4253H119</u>

1.	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON					
	Commonwealth Bank of Australia					
2.	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) □ (b) ⊠					
3.	SEC USE ONLY					
4.	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION					
	Australian Capital Territory, Commonwealth of Australia					
		5.	SOLE VOTING POWER			
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH			0			
		6.	SHARED VOTING POWER			
			31,044,043			
		7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
	PERSON WITH		0			
		8.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			31,044,043			
9.	AGGREGAT	EA	MOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
	31,044,043					
10.						
11.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)					
	Approximately 7.02% (based on 442,263,913 shares outstanding)					
12.						
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^{*} Held in the form of 31,044,043 shares of CHESS Depository Interests ("CDIs"), with 1 CDI representing 1 share of Common Stock

CUSIP No. <u>G4253H119</u>

1.	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON					
	S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON					
	Colonial Holding Company Limited					
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	New South Wales, Commonwealth of Australia					
I		5.	SOLE VOTING POWER			
NUMBER OF			0			
		6.	SHARED VOTING POWER			
	SHARES					
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON			29,849,020			
		7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
	WITH		0			
		8.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
			29,849,020			
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	29,849,020					
10.	CHECK BOX	K IF '	THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □			
11.	. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)					
	Approximately 6.75% (based on 442,263,913 shares outstanding)					
12.						
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CUSIP No. <u>G4253H119</u>

1.	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON						
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	Commonwealth Insurance Holdings Limited						
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	(a) □ (b) ⊠						
3.	SEC USE ONLY						
4.	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
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	New South Wales, Commonwealth of Australia						
		5.	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER OF			0				
		6.	SHARED VOTING POWER				
	SHARES						
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH PERSON WITH			29,849,020				
		7.	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
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		8.	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
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Item 1.

- (a) Name of Issuer: JAMES HARDIE INDUSTRIES PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY
- (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 2nd Floor, Europa House, Harcourt Centre, Harcourt Street, Dublin 2, Ireland

Item 2.

- (a) Name of Person Filing
- (b) Address of Principal Business Office
- (c) Citizenship

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

Ground Floor Tower 1, 201 Sussex Street, Sydney, NSW, 2000, Australia Commonwealth of Australia Australian Captial Territory

Colonial Holding Company Limited

Ground Floor Tower 1, 201 Sussex Street, Sydney, NSW, 2000, Australia Commonwealth of Australia New South Wales

Commonwealth Insurance Holdings Limited

Ground Floor Tower 1, 201 Sussex Street, Sydney, NSW, 2000, Australia Commonwealth of Australia New South Wales

(d) Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock
(e) CUSIP Number: G4253H119

Item 3.	If this statement is filed pursuant	t to Rules 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b)	or (c), check whether the person filing is a:					
(a) [☐ Broker or dealer registered under	section 15 of the Exchange Act	;					
(b) [Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Exchange Act;							
(c) [Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Exchange Act; Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act;							
(d) [
(e) [☐ An investment adviser in accorda	nce with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E));					
(f) [An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);							
(g) 🛭	A parent holding company or con	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);						
(h) [☐ A savings association as defined	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act;						
(i) [☐ A church plan that is excluded from	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act;						
(j) [☐ A non-U.S. institution in accordan	nce with §240.13d–1(b)(1)(ii)(J);					
(k) ☐ Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).								
If this sta	atement is filed pursuant to Rule 13o	d-1(c), check this box:						
Item 4.	Ownership:							
(a) A	mount beneficially owned:	Incorporated by reference to Ite	em 9 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.					
(b) P	ercent of class:	Incorporated by reference to Ite	em 11 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.					
(c) N	Number of shares as to which the person has:							
((i) Sole power to vote or to direct the	e vote:	Incorporated by reference to Item 5 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.					
((ii) Shared power to vote or to direct	the vote:	Incorporated by reference to Item 6 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.					
((iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct	et the disposition of:	Incorporated by reference to Item 7 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.					
((iv) Shared power to dispose or to di	rect the disposition of:	Incorporated by reference to Item 8 of the cover page pertaining to each reporting person.					
Item 5.	Ownership of Five Percent or Le	ss of a Class:						
	Applicable.							
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Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company:

See Exhibit 99.2.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

Not Applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect. I also certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foreign regulatory schemes applicable to the relevant subsidiaries referenced in Exhibit 99.2 to this Schedule 13G are substantially comparable to the regulatory scheme applicable to the functionally equivalent U.S. institution(s), and that I undertake to furnish to the Commission staff, upon request, information that would otherwise be disclosed in a Schedule 13D.

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated this 17 day of January 2019

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

By: /s/ Clare McManus
Name: Clare McManus
Title: Company Secretary

Colonial Holding Company Limited

By: /s/ Andrew Morgan
Name: Andrew Morgan

Title: Director

Commonwealth Insurance Holdings Limited

By: /s/ Andrew Morgan

Name: Andrew Morgan

Title: Director

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Joint Filling Agreement

January 17, 2019

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k)(1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, Commonwealth Bank of Australia, Colonial Holding Company Limited, and Commonwealth Insurance Holdings Limited each hereby agree to the joint filing of this statement on Schedule 13G (including any and all amendments hereto). In addition, each party to this Agreement expressly authorizes each other party to this Agreement to file on its behalf any and all amendments to such Statement on Schedule 13G. A copy of this Agreement shall be attached as an exhibit to the Statement on Schedule 13G filed on behalf of each of the parties hereto, to which this Agreement relates.

This Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, one and the same instrument.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

By: /s/ Clare McManus Name: Clare McManus Company Secretary

Colonial Holding Company Limited

/s/ Andrew Morgan

Name: Andrew Morgan Director Title:

Title:

Commonwealth Insurance Holdings Limited

By: /s/ Andrew Morgan

Name: Andrew Morgan

Title: Director

<u>Item 7 Information</u>

The securities being reported on by the reporting persons herein as parent holding companies are owned, or may be deemed to be beneficially owned as follows:

CompanyType of CompanyCommonwealth Bank Officers Superannuation Corporation Pty LimitedEP (AU registered)ASB Bank LimitedBK/HC (NZ registered)ASB Group Investments LimitedIA (NZ registered)Capital 121 Pty LimitedHC (AU registered)Colonial First State Group LimitedHC (AU registered)Avanteos Investments LimitedIA (AU registered)Colonial First State Asset Management (Australia) LimitedIA (AU registered)Realindex Investments Pty LimitedIA (AU registered)Colonial First State Investments LimitedIA (AU registered)ASB Holdings LimitedHC (NZ registered)