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STATEMENT ON THE LATEST DECISIONS BY THE COMPETITION COMMISSION

The Competition Commission of South Africa (CCSA) held its ordinary meeting on Tuesday 06 September 2022, to review and take decisions on matters brought before the Commission by members of the public and corporate applicants, in terms of the Competition Act (89 of 1998) as amended. These matters include but are not limited to complaints, mergers, and acquisitions.

1. MERGERS AND ACQUISITIONS

1.1 Berkshire Hathaway Inc. (“Berkshire”)/ Alleghany Corporation (“Alleghany”) (“the proposed transaction”)

The Commission has recommended that the Competition Tribunal approve the proposed transaction whereby Berkshire through O&M Acquisition Corp intends to Alleghany, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is Berkshire, a holding company incorporated by the laws of the State of Delaware. The stock of Berkshire is publicly traded on the New York Stock Exchange and Berkshire Hathaway is not controlled by any person or firm. Berkshire controls 9 (nine) firms in South Africa. In addition, Berkshire directly or indirectly controls General Reinsurance AG (“GenRe”), a company incorporated by the laws of Germany which generated turnover in, into or from South Africa in the preceding financial year.

Berkshire is an investment firm with investments in insurance and reinsurance, freight rail transportation businesses and a group of utility and energy generation and distribution businesses. Berkshire also owns and operates numerous other businesses engaged in a variety of manufacturing, services, retailing and other activities.

The primary target firm is Alleghany. Alleghany is incorporated by the laws of the State of Delaware. The stock of Alleghany is publicly traded on the New York Stock Exchange. As such, no single firm, or individual controls Alleghany.

Alleghany owns and supports operating subsidiaries and manages investments, anchored by its property and casualty reinsurance and insurance businesses. The activities of Alleghany in South Africa include: (i) the provision of non-life reinsurance; (ii) the provision of professional construction consultancy services; and (iii) the sale of toys through distributors.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any substantial public interest concerns.

1.2 ZA Online Store Proprietary Limited (“ZA Online”)/ Shock Proof Investments 202 Proprietary Limited (“Shock Proof”)

The Commission has recommended that the Competition Tribunal approve the proposed transaction whereby ZA Online acquired an additional shareholding of Shock Proof, without conditions.

ZA Online is the primary acquiring firm. It does not directly or indirectly control any firm. Of relevance to this transaction is ZA Online’s shareholding in Core Computer Group Proprietary Limited (“Core Computer Group”), which is a holding company for the Core Computer Business Proprietary Limited (“Core Computer Business”) and Core Peripherals Proprietary Limited (“Core Peripherals”).

The activities of the Core group of companies include the distribution of information, communication and entertainment technology products and services through a network of resellers and its retail outlets. ZA Online, Core Computer Business, and Core Peripherals are the entities of relevance to the proposed transaction.

ZA Online operates in South Africa through the iStores, which supply information, communication and education technology, specifically cellular phones, IT hardware and related IT products and services for Apple products. In relation to cellular phones, ZA Online sells mobile handsets (Apple iPhone), accessories and cellular contracts. The IT hardware sold by ZA Online includes computers (Apple Mac) and tablets (Apple iPad).

Core Computer Business is the only authorised distributor for Apple products in South Africa and it has represented the Apple brand in South Africa since 1995. The business: (1) distributes Apple products and accessories to Apple Authorised Resellers; (2) is an Apple Authorised Training Provider; and (3) through its group of companies, offers various business solutions, including business consulting; mobile device management; financing solutions; extended warranties; professional deployment assistance; business mobility solutions; and cellular business contracts and education solutions.

Core Peripherals supplies Apple products and technology solutions to medium and large business-to-business (B2B) customers.

The primary target firm is Shock Proof. Shock Proof holds 100% of the shares in Praysa Trade 1165 Proprietary Limited t/a Digicape (“Digicape”). Digicape sells information, communication and entertainment technology, specifically cellular phones and IT hardware and related IT products and services. In relation to cellular phones, Digicape sells mobile handsets (iPhone), accessories and cellular contracts (with Vodacom). The IT hardware sold by Digicape includes computers (Mac) and tablets (iPad).

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any substantial public interest concerns.

1.3 Glacier Financial Solutions (Pty) Ltd (“Glacier”)/ Absa LISP Business

The Commission has recommended that the Competition Tribunal approve the proposed transaction whereby Glacier intends to acquire majority shares in Absa LISP, with conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is Glacier. Glacier is a wholly owned subsidiary of Sanlam Life Insurance Ltd (“Sanlam Life”), which is in turn a wholly owned subsidiary of Sanlam. Sanlam is not directly or indirectly controlled by any single firm or individual.

Sanlam is a diversified financial services group that operates across the African continent, India, Malaysia and various other countries. Through its various subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures, Sanlam conducts its operations via four business clusters that provide financial services and products to individuals and institutional clients. Sanlam’s areas of expertise include insurance (life and general), financial planning, retirement, investments, and wealth.

The primary target firm is the linked investment service provider (LISP) business, a division of Absa Investment Management Services (Pty) Ltd (“AIMS”). AIMS is wholly owned and controlled by Absa Financial Services Ltd (“AFS”). AFS is in turn a wholly owned subsidiary of ABSA Group Ltd (“ABSA Group”).

AIMS is licensed to operate as an administrative financial service provider through its linked investment service provider, Absa LISP. A linked investment service provider (“LISP”) is a company that enables investments in a wide range of collective investment schemes, such as unit trusts funds (“funds”), via one source. The functions of a LISP encompass centralised administration (including collecting client money, executing trades and reconciliation), producing regular statements, providing a single point of contact, and sending out annual capital gains tax certificates as being key functions of a LISP.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets.

However, to cushion against any uncertainties and negative impact on employees which may arise during a consultative process with employee representatives, the Commission and the Merger Parties have agreed that, for a period of two years following the merger, the merger parties shall not retrench any employees because of the merger.

1.4 Emira Property Fund LTD (“Emira”)/ Transcend Residential Property Fund (“Transcend”)

The Commission has recommended that the Competition Tribunal approve the proposed transaction whereby Emira intends to acquire the entire shareholding of Transcend, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is Emira. Emira is controlled by I Group Financial Holdings (Pty) Ltd (“I Group Financial”). I Group Financial is solely controlled by I Group Consolidated Holdings (Pty) Ltd (“IGCH”). IGCH is solely controlled by I Group Investment (Pty) Ltd (“I Group Investment”). I Group Investment is a wholly owned subsidiary of the I Group Investment Trust (“I Group Investment Trust”).

Emira is a property investment fund that invests in a diversified portfolio of commercial and retail assets in major South African metropolitan areas. Emira is controlled by the I Group, which controls a diversified property portfolio comprised of retail, office, industrial and residential properties throughout South Africa.

The primary target firm is Transcend. Transcend is not directly or indirectly controlled by another firm.

Transcend's primary business is the letting of residential property developments situated within the Western Cape and Gauteng. Transcend owns a portfolio of high-quality residential properties, servicing the low-to-middle income market.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any public interest concerns.

1.5 Citrico Global, SL (“Citrico or the Ultimate Acquiring Firm”)/ San Miguel Fruits South Africa (Pty) Ltd (“San Miguel SA or the First Target Firm”) (“the first transaction”)/ EC Citrus Investment Proprietary Limited (“EC Citrus or Second Target Firm”)/ African Pioneer Beverages (Pty) Ltd (“the second transaction”)

The Commission has conditionally approved the proposed transaction whereby Citrico acquired the entire shareholding of San Miguel SA and increased its shareholding in EC Citrus, with conditions. Upon the implementation of this transaction, Citrico will wholly control San Miguel SA and, indirectly, EC Citrus.

The ultimate primary acquiring firm is Citrico, a company incorporated by the laws of Spain.

Citrico is a vertically integrated fresh fruit player in Europe that farms citrus, melon, watermelon, and stone fruit in Spain and Brazil. Citrico does not have a presence in South Africa.

The primary target firm in the first transaction is San Miguel SA which is controlled by San Miguel International Investments SA (“San Miguel International”), a company incorporated by the laws of Uruguay. San Miguel International is in turn controlled by S.A. San Miguel A.G.I.C.I.Y.F (“S.A. San Miguel”), a company incorporated by the laws of Argentina.

San Miguel SA is an exporter of citrus fruit into the European market. San Miguel SA is broadly active in the production, packing, marketing, and sale of fresh citrus fruit in South Africa.

The second primary target firm is EC Citrus, a company jointly controlled by San Miguel SA (the First Target Firm) and African Pioneer Beverages Proprietary Limited (“African Pioneer”), pre-merger. EC Citrus and African Pioneer are linked to the “Thudana Group”.

The Thudana Group is an integrated citrus business that:

- operates as a packer of citrus fruit through its packhouses situated in the Eastern Cape.
- grows citrus fruit at Sun Orange Farms and Sylvania Farm. Sun Orange Farms’ fruit portfolio includes oranges, lemons, and soft citrus, and
- performs packing services for San Miguel SA farms and other third-party growers.

A majority of Thudana Group’s fruit is sold to San Miguel SA for the export market with a small amount of non-exportable fruit in the local market.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets.

However, the Commission was concerned that the proposed transaction is likely to have a negative effect on the promotion of a greater spread of ownership. To address the Commission’s public interest concerns arising from the transaction, the merging parties have agreed to the following conditions:

- San Miguel and the Thudana Group shall use reasonable endeavours to procure locally manufactured products or services from the Merged Entity’s current and/or new HDPs provided that such products meet the requisite industry norms and standards and/or comply with any regulatory requirements imposed on the specific products by law.
- The Acquiring Firm shall ensure that it increases their capital expenditure in the overall production operations of the merged entity in South Africa.
- That the merged entity shall make available a monetary contribution towards a development fund for investment in respect of community development projects (such as infrastructure, provision of water tanks and/or community healthcare projects), and the support of SMMEs in the agricultural sector value chain.

1.6 Zoro BidCo, Inc. (“BidCo”)/ Zendesk Inc. (“Zendesk”)

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby BidCo acquired Zendesk, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm, BidCo, is a newly established company registered by the laws of Delaware. BidCo does not control any firm/s whether directly or indirectly in South Africa. Post-merger, BidCo will be jointly controlled by Permira Fund VIII- 1 SCSp and Permira Fund VIII- 2 SCSp (the “Permira Funds VIII”), which are ultimately controlled by Permira Holdings Limited (“Permira”) and Hellman & Friedman LLC (“H&F”).

Permira and H&F are private equity investment firms that invest in firms active in various sectors. Relevant to the proposed transaction is the investment of Permira and H&F in Genesys. Genesys supplies customer service and support (“CSS”) software within the customer relationship management (“CRM”) software market globally, including South Africa. Genesys’ core offering is CCaaS software solutions (i.e., contact centre (or callcentre) software) which primarily routes in-bound calls, helps the call centre manage workflows across customer service agents, and powers phone communication between agents and customers, allowing service agents to solve customer questions and concerns synchronously and in real-time. Relevant to the proposed transaction is Genesys Telecommunications Laboratories Proprietary Limited (“Genesys”), a company which is jointly controlled by H&F and Permira.

The primary target firm, Zendesk, is a company registered by the laws of Delaware. Zendesk is a listed company (NYSE: ZEN) with dispersed shareholdings and does not have an ultimate controlling shareholder. Zendesk does not control any firm in South Africa.

Zendesk provides software-as-a-service (“SaaS”) CRM software. Zendesk’s core offering is a specific type of SaaS CRM software, namely Customer Engagement Centre (“CEC”) software. At the heart of a CEC is a case management and problem resolution system that is used by customer-facing employees to manage a workflow of interactions and store a record of customer and interaction data. Zendesk's CEC is principally a ticketing solution which aggregates, tracks, and prioritises digital customer complaints and questions (e.g., social media, chat, text message, e-mails etc. in one dashboard). It allows agents to track, organise and respond to customer questions, requests, and concerns across multiple (primarily digital) channels. Zendesk also provides Sales CRM software (a suite of products known as “Zendesk for sales”), which uses Zendesk’s ticketing solution to help companies streamline their sales pipeline management and drive more sales. Sales CRM functionality includes contact and deal management, activity tracking and lead generation.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any public interest concerns.

1.7 K2021764541 (South Africa) Proprietary Limited (“BidCo”)/ EnviroServ Waste Management Proprietary Limited (“EnviroServ”)

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby Bidco acquired EnviroServ, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is BidCo. BidCo and its controllers will be collectively referred to as the "Suez Group".

Globally, Suez Group is active in municipal and industrial water, non-hazardous and hazardous waste and smart water and, more generally, the sustainable management of resources. In particular, globally, the group provides water network management, water treatment and desalination and wastewater recycling solutions for public and industrial customers. Suez is active in the collection, sorting, recycling, disposal and treatment of non-hazardous and hazardous waste for industrial and municipal customers. Suez has a limited presence in South Africa through its global Suez Consulting business, which provides consulting and engineering expertise.

The primary target firm is EnviroServ Holdings Proprietary Limited (“HoldCo”). HoldCo controls EnviroServ, which is the operating entity. EnviroServ, is active in the waste management sector in South Africa, Mozambique and Uganda. It provides solutions to complex hazardous and non-hazardous waste and chemical pollution problems, including safe handling, transportation and treatment services.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any public interest concerns.

1.8 Senosi Group Investments Proprietary Limited (“SGIH”)/ J A Engineering Works Proprietary Limited (“JAE” or “Target Firm”) (“Proposed Transaction”)

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby SGIH acquired a majority shareholding in JAE, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is SGIH. The SGIH Group has a diverse range of business interests and primarily conducts the business of coal mining through opencast and underground coal mining operations in South Africa.

The primary target firm is JAE. JAE manufactures and supplies underground mining equipment and provides servicing and repairing of both underground and surface (opencast) coal mining equipment.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any public interest concerns.

1.9 K2022390467 (South Africa) Proprietary Limited (“Betfred”)/ Lottostar Proprietary Limited (“Lottostar”)

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby Betfred acquired Lottostar, with conditions.

Betfred is the primary acquiring firm. Betfred is controlled by Lightcatch Limited (“Lightcatch”), a holding company registered and incorporated by the company laws of England and Wales. Lightcatch is in turn controlled by Betfred Group Limited (“Betfred Group”), a holding company registered and incorporated by the company laws of England and Wales. Betfred Group’s shares are widely held by several shareholders and is thus not controlled by any single firm. Betfred Group and all its subsidiaries including Betfred will collectively be referred to as the “Acquiring Group.”

The Acquiring Group offers bookmaker activities in the UK, the United States of America and Spain. In South Africa, the Acquiring Group has bookmaker licences (including an online licence) and conducts its activities through the following entities: Betting World, Sepels Best Bets and Sepels Sports Bet. Betting World, Sepels Bet Bets and Sepels Sports Bet provides the following fixed-odds bets product offering: Live In-Play Sports; Horseracing; Lotteries; Betgames; Instant Games; and Limited Payout Machines.

The target firm is Lottostar. Lottostar does not control any firms.

Lottostar is licenced by the Mpumalanga Gambling Board to conduct the business of a bookmaker in terms of section 32B of the Mpumalanga Gambling Act 5 of 1995. Lottostar has one bookmaker licence through which it conducts its online betting activities. All Lottostar activities are online. Lottostar takes fixed-odds bets from punters on the outcome of foreign lotteries, live games and RNG-based betting events such as major Lotteries and Kino, quick games, live games, Ezugi games, and Reel rush games.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. To address concerns regarding the promotion of a greater spread of ownership, the merging parties have agreed that they shall implement a Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Transaction (“B-BBEE Transaction”) in terms of which HDP Entity will have a shareholding in Lottostar.

1.10 Schools and Education Investment Impact Fund of South Africa (“SEIIFSA”)/ Acudeo Property (RF) Proprietary Limited (“Propco”) and Acudeo Schools Opco Proprietary Limited (“Opco”) (“Target Firms”)

The Commission has approved the transaction whereby SEIIFSA acquired the Target Firms, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is SEIIFSA, a trust registered with the Master of the High Court of South Africa. SEIIFSA owns shareholding in Propco and Opco, the primary target firms in the instant transaction.

SEIFSA is a trust controlled by a Governing Board and conducts business as an education impact fund aimed at investments that improve access to quality education. SEIFSA's focus is on upgrading and building affordable private schools to deliver quality education and commercially acceptable returns.

The principal activity of SEIFSA is to hold investments in schools, education, and education-like assets in South Africa for investment purposes and to provide a risk-adjusted return to investors. SEIFSA's investments in schools, education and education-like assets comprise minority non-controlling equity interests and senior debt and guarantees in eight private school businesses across the country.

The Target Firms are Propco and Opco. The Target Firms were established to roll out and operate the Acudeo Schools Group. Propco is active in the development of investment property for the establishment and rollout of the Acudeo Schools Group and owning the immovable properties on which the Acudeo Schools are situated. Opco acts as the operator of the Acudeo Schools businesses, responsible for, amongst others, registering the Acudeo Schools and collecting the Acudeo Schools school fees. The focus of the Acudeo Schools Group is to provide quality education to middle-income households in Gauteng. There are currently five private schools within the Acudeo Schools Group through which the Acudeo Schools Business is conducted by Propco and Opco.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any public interest concerns.

1.11 Gusto Sing BidCo Pte. Ltd. (“Gusto Sing”)/ Coronis Health TopCo Pte Ltd (“Coronis Health Topco”)

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby Gusto Sing acquired Coronis Health Topco, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is Gusto Sing, an entity incorporated under the laws of Singapore. The following 4 (four) investors located outside the Republic of South Africa (“South Africa”) hold indirect interests in Gusto Sing namely TPG Asia Fund VIII, Abu Dhabi Investment Authority, Government of Singapore Special Investments and Pacific Equity Partners. Gusto Sing does not control any firms. Gusto Sing and the TPG Group and all its subsidiaries are collectively referred to as the Acquiring Group.

The primary target firm is Coronis Health Topco, which is located in Singapore. The current owners of Coronis Health Topco are funds managed by Pacific Equity Partners and The Carlyle Group. Coronis Health Topco controls iNova Pharmaceuticals (Pty) Ltd (iNova”) which is located in South Africa and has several other subsidiaries located outside of South Africa. iNova is involved in the development and marketing of prescription and non-prescription pharmacy healthcare products such as medicines, vitamins and minerals.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any substantial public interest concerns.

1.12 Thebe Investment Corporation (Pty) Ltd (“TIC”)/ Grow Farming Enterprises (Pty) Ltd (“WeGrow”)

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby TIC acquired a majority shareholding in WeGrow, without conditions.

TIC controls several firms in the oil and gas, renewable energy, solar, mining services, media, healthcare, food, property, telecoms and automotive sectors. Relevant to the proposed transaction are TIC’s investments in the food and agribusiness sector.

In this sector, TIC has a shareholder in Empact Group (Pty) Ltd (“Empact Group”), in Grow Fresh Produce (Pty) Ltd (“Grow”), in Harvestfresh (Pty) Ltd (“Harvestfresh”), in Schoonbee Nation Building (Pty) Ltd (“SNB”) and Pride Milling Company (Pty) Ltd (“Pride Milling”). Specifically, TIC exercises negative control over Pride Milling through minority protections.

Pride Milling is in the business of producing, marketing, and distributing basic and essential staple foods products (comprising predominantly white maize products) to customers located locally and internationally. Pride Milling’s main product lines are white maize products, pulses, mabele (sorghum), yellow maize products (whole maize and crushed maize) including other human consumption products and animal feed (bird seed, fowl feed and pet food). Pride Milling also buys beans from farmers, package, rebrand and sells to retailers. Of relevance to the proposed transaction is Pride Milling’s yellow maize production and distribution, as well as the supply of soya beans businesses. Pride conducts its business in all provinces, except the Northern Cape.

The primary target firm is WeGrow. WeGrow does not directly or indirectly control any firm.

WeGrow is a company operating in the farming industry. The company is involved in the supply and production of yellow maize and soya beans production. WeGrow is also involved in the market for the farming, production and supply of piggeries/pork. WeGrow only conducts business in Mpumalanga, Western Cape and Gauteng (i.e., pork products). WeGrow’s yellow maize and soya beans businesses are only in the Mpumalanga and Western Cape areas.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any substantial public interest concerns.

1.13 Scintia Vermögensverwaltungs GmbH ("Scintia")/ Beiersdorf AG

The Commission has approved the proposed transaction whereby Scintia acquired Beiersdorf AG, without conditions.

The primary acquiring firm is Scintia, a private company incorporated under the laws of Germany. Scintia is an investment vehicle ultimately indirectly controlled by Wolfgang Herz (WH), an individual, who is a German citizen and resident. Scintia controls Maxingvest ag, a private company incorporated by the company laws of Germany. Maxingvest ag controls various entities worldwide and only the following generate turnover in, into or from South Africa (or which hold assets in South Africa):

- Beiersdorf AG, a company headquartered in Hamburg, Germany, and listed in the Prime Standard of the German Stock Exchange (the target firm).
- CHIBO GmbH, a limited liability company incorporated by the company laws of Germany.
- TCHIBO Anlagen-Verwaltungsgesellschaft mbH GmbH, a limited liability company incorporated by the company laws of Germany.

The primary target firm is Beiersdorf AG, a company headquartered in Hamburg, Germany, and listed in the Prime Standard of the German Stock Exchange ("Beiersdorf"). Beiersdorf is jointly controlled by Maxingvest ag (a subsidiary of the acquiring firm), a private company incorporated by the company laws of Germany. Beiersdorf controls Beiersdorf Consumer Products Proprietary Limited, a private company incorporated by the company laws of South Africa.

Beiersdorf and the firms it controls are active primarily in two areas in South Africa, namely skincare and associated products (through Beiersdorf SA); and self-adhesive solutions (through tesa). Further, the products of Beiersdorf's controlled affiliate, La Prairie Group, are sold in South Africa through a distributor.

The Commission found that the proposed transaction is unlikely to result in a substantial prevention or lessening of competition in any relevant markets. The Commission further found that the proposed transaction does not raise any substantial public interest concerns.

2. COMPLAINTS (NON-REFERRALS)

2.1 African Panelbeaters and Motor Mechanics Association (APMMA) v National Department of Transport and Wesbank

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.2 Mr. Gideon Jannasch v Mahindra South Africa

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.3 Yogasvaran Naidoo v PPS for Professionals Mutual Insurance ("PPS Insurance") – Mutual Company

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.4 Ortho-Design (Pty) Limited v Mediclinic Southern Africa and Netcare Hospital Groups

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.5 Humbulani Netshieneulu v The CEO of BTE Renewable Energy Company (Biotherm Operations and Maintenance Company), ESG Director, HR Director, and Head of Operations

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.6. Retief Le Roux v Finance and Insurance Management Solutions (Pty) Ltd and Liquid Capital and Finance

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.7. Kate Elliott v Jaguar Land Rover Cape Town

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

2.8. Toby Cilliers on behalf of Born to Hunt Safaris v Meadow Feeds Port Elizabeth and Barlows Logistics

The Commission is of the view that the conduct complained of does not contravene the Competition Act.

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