

**ANTICIPATED ACQUISITION BY
SVITZERWIJSMULLER A/S OF ADSTEAM MARINE LIMITED**

**Acceptance of Undertakings given to the Competition Commission
pursuant to section 80 of the Enterprise Act 2002 ("the Act") by:**

- 1. SVITZERWIJSMULLER A/S ("SVITZERWIJSMULLER")**
- 2. SVITZER MARINE LIMITED ("SVITZER MARINE")**
- 3. SVITZER PT LTD ("SVITZER PT")**
- 4. TYNE TOWAGE MARINE LIMITED ("TYNE")**
- 5. ADSTEAM MARINE LIMITED ("ADSTEAM MARINE")**
- 6. ADSTEAM UK LIMITED ("ADSTEAM UK")**


collectively "THE PARTIES"

Whereas, on 31 August 2006, the Office of Fair Trading, in the exercise of its duty under section 33 of the Act referred to the Competition Commission (CC) the anticipated acquisition of Adsteam Marine by SvitzerWijismuller;

And whereas the Parties have agreed to give undertakings to the CC under section 80 of the Act for the purpose of preventing pre-emptive action, to ensure that no action is taken which might prejudice that reference or impede the taking of any action by the CC under Part 3 of the Act which might be justified by the CC's decisions on the reference;

Now the CC pursuant to section 80(2) of the Act hereby accepts the undertakings, a copy of which is set out in the attached Annex below, and accordingly the undertakings come into effect in accordance with section 80(5) of the Act.

Signed by authority of the CC



Christopher Smallwood
Group Chair
9 February 2007