

Competition Commission Acceptance of Revised Undertakings

IN THE MATTER of a reference to the Competition Commission dated 3 April 2007 concerning the acquisition of BERTRAM GROUP LIMITED (Bertram) by WOOLWORTHS GROUP PLC (Woolworths)

Whereas on 3 April 2007 the Office of Fair Trading in exercise of its duty under section 22 of the Enterprise Act 2002 (the Act) referred to the Competition Commission (the CC) the completed acquisition of Bertram by Woolworths:

And whereas Woolworths and its subsidiaries, Entertainment UK Limited and Total Home Entertainment Distribution Limited, 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 the reference or impede the taking of any action by the CC under Part 3 of the Act which may 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, copies of which are set out in the attached Annex below, and accordingly the undertakings come into force in accordance with section 80(5) of the Act:

Signed by the authority of the CC



Diana Guy
Group Chairman
29 May 2007