

# Merger of Nijjar Group Holdings (Acton) Limited and Medina Holdings Limited

## REVOCATION ORDER MADE BY THE COMPETITION AND MARKETS AUTHORITY PURSUANT TO SECTION 72(4)(B) OF THE ENTERPRISE ACT 2002 (THE ACT)

Whereas:

- (a) the Competition and Markets Authority (**CMA**) made an initial enforcement order pursuant to section 72(2) of the Act in relation to the anticipated merger of Nijjar Group Holdings (Acton) Limited (**Freshways**) and Medina Holdings Limited (**Medina**) (the **Transaction**) on 24 August 2021 (the **Initial Enforcement Order**);
- (b) on 2 February 2022 the CMA gave notice under section 96(2A) of the Act that the initial period in relation to the Transaction defined in section 34ZA(3) of the Act commenced on 3 February 2022;
- (c) the CMA is continuing to conduct its assessment of the Transaction and has not yet taken a decision, pursuant to section 33 of the Act, as to whether it is or may be the case that arrangements are in progress or in contemplation which, if carried into effect, will result in the creation of a relevant merger situation and whether the creation of that situation may be expected to result in a substantial lessening of competition in any market or markets in the United Kingdom for goods or services;
- (d) the CMA nevertheless considers that, based on the evidence it has received in its assessment of the Transaction to date, it is appropriate to revoke the Initial Enforcement Order;

Now for the purpose of revoking the Initial Enforcement Order the CMA makes the following order pursuant to section 72(4)(b) of the Act, addressed to the following persons (together, the **Addressees**) (the **Revocation Order**):

- each of Rajinder Singh Nijjar, Balvinder Singh Nijjar, Ravinder Singh Nijjar and Kalvinder Singh Nijjar;
- Freshways;

- each of Deo Volente Limited, Sheazad Hussain and Mohammed Azam; and
  - Medina.
1. This Revocation Order commences on 7 March 2022.
  2. This Revocation Order applies to each of the Addressees.
  3. The CMA revokes the Initial Enforcement Order.

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