

Completed acquisition by Riviera Bidco Limited of Dental Partners Group Limited

28 June 2022

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 96(2A) OF THE ENTERPRISE ACT 2002 (THE ACT) PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 107(1)(I) OF THE ACT

The Competition and Markets Authority (**CMA**) hereby gives notice pursuant to section 96(2A) of the Act that the merger notice provided by Riviera Bidco Limited and Dental Partners Group in relation to the completed acquisition by Riviera Bidco Limited of Dental Partners Group Limited (the Merger) meets the requirements of section 96(2) of the Act.

The initial period defined in section 34ZA(3) of the Act in relation to the Merger will therefore commence on the first working day after the date of this notice, ie on 29 June 2022. The deadline for the CMA to announce its decision whether to refer the Merger for a Phase 2 investigation is therefore 23 August 2022.