

## **ACQUISITION BY BOUYGUES S.A. OF EQUANS S.A.S.**

### **Variation 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 on 2 August 2022 pursuant to section 72(2) of the Act in relation to the acquisition by Bouygues S.A. of Equans S.A.S. (the **Initial Enforcement Order**);

(b) the CMA considers that it is appropriate to vary the Initial Enforcement Order.

For the purpose of varying the Initial Enforcement Order the CMA hereby makes the following order pursuant to section 72(4)(b) of the Act, addressed to Bouygues S.A. and Equans S.A.S. (the **Variation Order**).

#### **Variation**

The definition of ‘the OCS Businesses’ on page 5 of the Initial Enforcement Order is replaced with:

“the OCS Businesses’ means:

1. On the part of Bouygues: Colas Rail S.A.S. (a company incorporated under the laws of France), Colas Rail Holdings Limited, and each of Colas Rail Holdings Limited’s direct and indirect subsidiary companies.
2. On the part of Equans, Powerlines Group GmbH (a company incorporated under the laws of Germany), SPL Powerlines UK Holding Limited, each of SPL Powerlines UK Holding Limited’s direct and indirect subsidiary companies, and Ineo SCLE Ferroviaire S.N.C. (a general partnership organised under the laws of France).”

and is accordingly so varied.

The Variation Order comes into force on 08 August 2022.

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## Mergers