

ANTICIPATED ACQUISITION BY KINGSPAN GROUP LIMITED OF COVERWORLD HOLDINGS LIMITED

02 July 2025

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

The Competition and Markets Authority (**CMA**) hereby gives notice pursuant to section 96(2A) of the Enterprise Act 2002 (the **Act**) that the merger notice provided by Kingspan Group Limited (**Kingspan**) and Coverworld UK Limited (**Coverworld**) in relation to the anticipated acquisition by Kingspan of Coverworld Holdings Limited (the **Transaction**) 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 Transaction will therefore commence on the first working day after the date of this notice, ie on 3 July 2025. The deadline for the CMA to announce its decision whether to refer the Merger for a phase 2 investigation is therefore 1 September 2025.