



MERGER NOTICE

THE PROPOSED MERGER BETWEEN CA STEEL (PTY) LTD AND REINFORCING STEEL CONTRACTORS BOTSWANA

Pursuant to Section 56(1) of the Competition Act of Botswana, the Competition Authority has received a merger notification between CA Steel (Pty) Ltd and Reinforcing Steel Contractors Botswana.

The proposed merger is in terms of CA Steel (Pty) Ltd acquiring 100% interest in Reinforcing Steel Contractors Botswana. CA Steel (Pty) Ltd is a newly formed company, solely for the purpose of acquiring Reinforcing Steel Contractors Botswana, therefore it has not conducted any business in Botswana. On the other hand, Reinforcing Steel Contractors Botswana, a subsidiary of Murray & Roberts (Botswana) Ltd, is in the business of providing reinforcing solutions (this includes the supply, cut, bend delivery and fixing of reinforcing steel) to the building, civil, mining and engineering markets.

According to Section 57(3), of the Competition Act, “any person, including a third party not a party to the proposed merger, may voluntarily submit to the inspector or the Authority any document, affidavit, statement or other relevant information in respect of a proposed merger”. The Competition Authority therefore seeks any stakeholder views on the proposed merger, which may be sent within 10 days from date of this publication, to the following address:

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