



MERGER NOTICE NO 17: 2023

THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF 51% SHAREHOLDING IN HOISTING SOLUTIONS (PTY) LTD BY EUNICE MPOLOKA

Pursuant to section 49(1) of the Competition Act, 2018, the Competition and Consumer Authority ("the Authority") has received a merger notification for the proposed acquisition of 51% shareholding in Hoisting Solutions (Pty) Ltd ("Hoisting Solutions" or the "Target Enterprise") by Eunice Mpoloka ("Eunice" or the "Acquiring Enterprise"). As a result of the proposed transaction, Eunice Mpoloka will acquire a controlling stake over Hoisting Solutions and will be appointed as an Executive Board Director.

The Acquiring Enterprise is a Motswana individual of full legal capacity named Eunice Mpoloka. Eunice owns and controls Pick'N Shovel Proprietary Limited ("Pick'N Shovel"), a company incorporated in accordance with the Laws of Botswana. Pick'N Shovel is in the business of mining services.

The Target Enterprise, Hoisting Solutions is a private company incorporated in accordance with the Laws of Botswana. Hoisting Solutions is owned and controlled by Ian Nuttall-Smith, an individual and The Netcollective (Pty) Ltd ("The Netcollective"), a private company incorporated in accordance with the Laws of Botswana. The Netcollective is wholly-owned and controlled by Shawn Stephan Bruwer, an individual.

Hoisting Solutions controls Hoistings (Pty) Limited ("Hoistings Limited"), a company incorporated in accordance with the Laws of Botswana. Hoisting Solutions' services include crane hire, jacking, access platforms, rigging and machine moving with jobs ranging from; assembly and maintenance of huge mining equipment, processing plants and crushers; assisting train derailments; movement of large transformers (power grid) for BPC; placing consignments in limited spaces and tricky spots; relocation of complete factories (Turnkey projects); project streamlining assistance, offload, destuff, assemble, install, anchor and housekeeping; placing of photocopier machines on the 4th floor through a window; relocation of live trees including transportation; loading of endangered species; relocation and installation of ivory elephant at SSKA. Hoisting Solutions' services are needed country wide from Mohembo to Tsabong, Jwaneng to Sowa, Selebi-Phikwe to Orapa, through to Maun/Ghanzi.

The Directors of Hoisting Solutions are Ian Nuttall-Smith, (South African), Moosa Omarr Omar (Motswana) and Shawn Stephan Bruwer (Namibian) and the director of Hoistings Limited is Moosa Omarr Omar (Motswana).

According to section 50 (3) of the Competition Act 2018, “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 and Consumer Authority therefore seeks any stakeholder views for or against the proposed merger, which may be sent within 10 days from date of this publication to the following address:

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