



## MERGER NOTICE NO 34: 2021

### **THE PROPOSED PURCHASE AND SALE OF CERTAIN IMMOVABLE PROPERTY BEING, FARM BULL'S EYE NO. 174-NK IN GHANZI, FROM LEAMINGTON INVESTMENTS (PTY) LTD BY LAMBERTUS JOHANNES VORSTER**

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 purchase and sale of certain immovable property being, Farm Bull's eye No. 174-NK in Ghanzi, from Leamington Investments (Pty) Ltd ["Leamington Investments"] by Lambertus Johannes Vorster ["Mr. Vorster"].

The Acquirer, Mr. Vorster, is a Motswana individual with business interests in farming and cattle business which comprises of cattle farming and cattle auction, as well as property investments in the following: (i) Portion 23 of the Farm Fairy Glen No. 53NK; (ii) Portion 166 of the Farm Fairy Glen No. 53NK; (iii) Portion 24 of the Farm Fairy Glen No. 53NK; (iv) Portion 232 of the Farm Grasspan No. 54NK; and (v) Portion 15 of the Farm Black Cat No.52k. All these portions of farms are situated in Ghanzi, Botswana.

The Target Enterprise, Leamington Investments, is a company incorporated under the Laws of the Republic of Botswana. Leamington Investments, is wholly by Mr. Hans Linde Du Plessis (Mr. Du Plessis), a South African citizen, who is also its sole director. Mr. Du Plessis, has other business interests in Botswana. Leamington Investments is property holding company, for the Farm Bull's Eye No. 174-NK, Ghanzi, Botswana (the subject matter of the Proposed Transaction). Cattle farming takes place on the said farm. Leamington Investments does not control any enterprise.

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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