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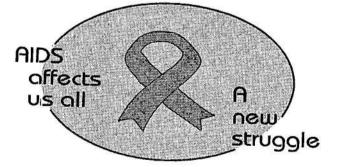
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NOTICE 2360 OF 1999

COMPETITION COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF HATCH AFRICA (PTY) LTD BY STELTECH LTD

The Competition Commission hereby gives notice, in terms of rule 26 (8) (a) (iii) of the Rules for the Conduct of Proceedings in the Competition Commission, that on 5 October 1999, Stellech Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of Hatchcos Holdings Ltd, a company incorporated in terms of the laws of Canada, notified the Competition Commission, in terms of section 13 (1) of the Competition Act, No. 89 of 1998, of its proposed acquisition of Hatch Africa (Pty) Ltd, from the BKS Group (Pty) Ltd.

In terms of the transaction, Steltech will acquire shares in Hatch Africa (Pty) Ltd.

The Competition Commission has initiated an investigation into the proposed transaction.

Any person may voluntarily file any document, affidavit, statement of his/her views with respect to the merger, or other relevant information. Enquiries may be addressed to Ms M. Ntlha at Private Bag X23, Lynnwood Ridge, 0040. Tel. No. (012) 482-9027 and Fax No. (012) 482-9121. (Case No. 1999Oct7.)

NOTICE 2378 OF 1999

THE COMPETITION COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF ISLAND VIEW STORAGE LIMITED BY THE BIDVEST GROUP LIMITED

The Competition Commission hereby gives notice, in terms of Rule 26 (8) (a) (iii) of the Rules for the Conduct of Proceedings in the Competition Commission, that on 28 September 1999, The Bidvest Group Ltd, ("Bidvest") notified the Competition Commission of its proposed acquisition of Island View Storage Ltd ("IVS"), in terms of section 13 (1) of the Competition Act, No. 89 of 1998.

Bidvest proposes to acquire shares in IVS from CG Smith Ltd.

The Competition Commission has initiated an investigation into the proposed transaction.

Any person may voluntarily file any document, affidavit, statement of his/her views with respect to the merger, or other relevant information. Enquiries may be addressed to Ms P. Tlhapi at Private Bag X23, Lynnwood Ridge, 0040. Tel. No. (012) 482-9040 and Fax No. (012) 482-9003. (Case No. 1999Sep21.)

NOTICE 2379 OF 1999

THE COMPETITION COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF GSM CELLULAR (PTY) LTD BY VODACOM GROUP (PTY) LTD

The Competition Commission hereby gives notice, in terms of Rule 26 (8) (a) (iii) of the Rules for the Conduct of Proceedings in the Competition Commission, that on 29 September 1999, Vodacom Group (Pty) Ltd, ("Vodacom") notified the Competition Commission of its proposed acquisition of GSM Cellular (Pty) Ltd ("GSM"), in terms of section 13 (1) of the Competition Act, No. 89 of 1998.

Under the proposed transaction, Vodacom, which currently owns 50% of the issued share capital of GSM, will acquire shares in GSM.

The Competition Commission has initiated an investigation into the proposed transaction.

Any person may voluntarily file any document, affidavit, statement of his/her views with respect to the merger, or other relevant information. Enquiries may be addressed to Ms P. Tlhapi at Private Bag X23, Lynnwood Ridge, 0040. Tel. No. (012) 482-9040 and Fax No. (012) 482-9003. (Case No. 1999Sep22.)

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