

IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL Case No: 1229/6/12/14

BETWEEN

# HCA INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

**Applicant** 

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#### **COMPETITION AND MARKETS AUTHORITY**

Respondent

-and-

## AXA PPP HEALTHCARE LIMITED THE LONDON CLINIC BUPA INSURANCE LIMITED

Interveners

#### ORDER

**UPON** the Tribunal having directed by Order dated 12 January 2015 that:

- a. the insured AEC decision and the divestment decision, as defined in that Order and as contained in the "*Private healthcare market investigation: Final report*" dated 2 April 2014 ("the Final Report"), be quashed and remitted to the Competition and Markets Authority ("the CMA") for reconsideration
- b. HCA International Limited's ("HCA") application for review insofar as it related to the decision in the Final Report that there was an AEC in relation to self-pay patients ("the self-pay AEC decision") should be stayed pending the outcome of the reconsideration
- c. the costs of Grounds 2 to 5 of HCA's Re-Amended Notice of Application should be reserved pending the outcome of the reconsideration for the

reasons set out in paragraph 69 of the Tribunal's Ruling dated 23 December 2014

**AND UPON** the CMA having published the "*Private Healthcare Remittal: Final Report*" on 5 September 2016 ("the Remittal Report")

**AND UPON** HCA having applied to withdraw its challenge to the self-pay AEC decision following the publication of the Remittal Report pursuant to Rule 12 of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules 2003 (S.I. No. 1372 of 2003) ("the 2003 Rules")

**AND UPON** the term of the Chairman hearing these proceedings, Sales LJ, having come to an end

**AND UPON** the CMA and HCA having reached a settlement on costs in respect of Grounds 2 to 5 of HCA's Re-Amended Notice of Application

**AND UPON** there being no objection to the proposed withdrawal of the application for review

## IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- Pursuant to Rule 19(1) of the 2003 Rules and the need to secure the just, expeditious and economical conduct of the proceedings, the proceedings be transferred to a Tribunal consisting of the President, Dermot Glynn and Clare Potter
- Save in respect of the Tribunal's decision to quash and remit the insured AEC decision and the divestment decision to the CMA for reconsideration, HCA's application for review be withdrawn
- 3. There shall be no order as to costs

The Hon. Mr Justice Roth (The President) Dermot Glynn

Clare Potter

Charles Dhanowa O.B.E., Q.C. (Hon) (Registrar)

Date: 27 March 2017