

IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL

BETWEEN:

HOME INSURANCE CONSUMER ACTION LIMITED

Applicant / Proposed Class Representative

Case No: 1423/7/7/21

- v -

(1) BGL (HOLDINGS) LIMITED (2) BGL GROUP LIMITED (3) BISL LIMITED (4) COMPARE THE MARKET LIMITED

Respondents / Proposed Defendants

ORDER

UPON the application for a collective proceedings order pursuant to section 47B of the Competition Act 1998 filed by the Applicant / Proposed Class Representative on 1 November 2021 (the "CPO Application")

AND HAVING REGARD TO the appeal in BGL (Holdings) Limited & Others v Competition and Markets Authority (Case 1380/1/12/21), the hearing of which took place between 1 - 19 November 2021, in which judgment has been reserved by the Tribunal (the "Appeal Judgment")

AND UPON the Tribunal's letter of 16 November 2021 directing service of the CPO Application on the Respondents / Proposed Defendants by 16 March 2022

AND UPON reading the application by the Applicant / Proposed Class Representative dated 14 February 2022 for an extension of time for the service of the CPO Application (the "Application")

AND UPON the legal representatives for the Respondents / Proposed Defendants consenting to the extension sought in the Application by way of letter dated 7 February 2022

AND HAVING REGARD TO Rule 53(2)(j) of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules 2015

AND WITHOUT PREJUDICE to any contentions of prematurity in relation to the CPO Application or any future application based on such contention

IT IS ORDERED BY CONSENT THAT:

- 1. The time for service of the CPO Application on the Respondents / Proposed Defendants is extended to three months from the date of publication of the Appeal Judgment.
- 2. Liberty to apply.

Sir Marcus Smith Made: 16 February 2022

President of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Drawn: 16 February 2022