



**IN THE COMPETITION**  
**APPEAL TRIBUNAL**

Case No: 1602/7/7/23

BETWEEN:

**CHRISTINE RIEFA CLASS REPRESENTATIVE LIMITED**

Proposed Class Representative

- v -

**(1) APPLE INC.**

**(2) APPLE DISTRIBUTION INTERNATIONAL LIMITED**

**(3) AMAZON.COM, INC.**

**(4) AMAZON EUROPE CORE S.À.R.L.**

**~~(5) AMAZON SERVICES EUROPE S.A.R.L.~~**

**(6) AMAZON EU S.A.R.L.**

**(7) AMAZON.COM SERVICES LLC**

Proposed Defendants

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**ORDER (DISMISSAL OF PROCEEDINGS AND COSTS)**

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**UPON** Christine Riefa Class Representative Limited (the “PCR”) applying for a collective proceedings order pursuant to section 47B of the Competition Act 1998 (the “CPO Application”)

**AND UPON** The Fifth Proposed Defendant having been removed as a party to the proceedings by consent order drawn on 11 September 2024

**AND UPON** the Tribunal’s Judgment dated 14 January 2025 ([2025] CAT 5) refusing the CPO Application (the “**Certification Judgment**”)

**AND UPON** the Tribunal refusing the PCR’s application for leave to appeal the Certification Judgment by way of reasoned order drawn on 19 February 2025

**AND UPON** the applications of the First and Second Proposed Defendants (the “**Apple Proposed Defendants**”) and the Third, Fourth, Sixth and Seventh Proposed Defendants (the “**Amazon Proposed Defendants**”) made on 3 April 2025 for a costs award and an interim payment on account (the “**Costs Applications**”)

**AND UPON** the PCR having filed responses to the Costs Applications (the “**PCR’s Responses**”), and having made an application for a costs award and an interim payment on account in relation to its costs of responding to the Amazon Proposed Defendants’ application for disclosure of privileged material (the “**Disclosure Costs Application**”) on 28 April 2025

**AND UPON** the Apple Proposed Defendants and the Amazon Proposed Defendants having filed submissions in reply to the PCR’s Responses, and submissions in response to the Disclosure Costs Application, on 5 May 2025

**AND UPON** the Tribunal having determined the Costs Applications and the Disclosure Costs Application on the papers by Ruling dated 13 June 2025 ([2025] CAT 34) (the “**Costs Ruling**”)

**AND UPON** the Parties having agreed to the terms of this Order to give effect to the Certification Judgment and the Costs Ruling

**IT IS ORDERED BY CONSENT THAT:**

1. The proceedings are dismissed in their entirety.
2. In relation to the Costs Applications, the PCR shall pay the Proposed Defendants’ costs of the proceedings, to be subject to detailed assessment on the standard basis in the Senior Courts Office if not agreed.
3. In relation to the Disclosure Costs Application, the Amazon Proposed Defendants shall pay the PCR its costs of responding to the Amazon Proposed Defendants’ disclosure application, to be subject to detailed assessment on the standard basis in the Senior Courts Office if not agreed.
4. By 4 July 2025 the PCR shall make the following net payments on account of these costs:
  - a. £1,695,797.16 to the Apple Defendants; and
  - b. £1,355,347.77 to the Amazon Defendants.

**The Honourable Mrs Justice Bacon**  
President of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 13 June 2025  
Drawn: 3 July 2025