

IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL

BETWEEN:

(1) LENZING AG
(2) LENZING FIBERS GMBH
(3) LENZING FIBERS GRIMSBY LIMITED
(4) LENZING BIOCEL PASKOV A.S.

Claimants

Case No: 1702/5/7/25 (T)

- v -

- (1) WESTLAKE VINNOLIT GMBH & CO. KG
- (2) WESTLAKE VINNOLIT HOLDINGS GMBH
- (3) WESTLAKE GERMANY GMBH & CO. KG
 - (4) WESTLAKE VINNOLIT LIMITED
- (5) WESTLAKE INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS COOPERATIEF U.A.
 - (6) WESTLAKE CORPORATION
 - (7) INOVYN CHLORVINYLS LIMITED
 - (8) INOVYN EUROPE LIMITED
 - (9) INEOS INOVYN LIMITED
 - (10) INOVYN DEUTSCHLAND GMBH
 - (11) INOVYN TRADE SERVICES S.A.
 - (12) INEOS AG
 - (13) INEOS LIMITED

<u>Defendants and Former Defendants</u> Part 20 Claimants and Defendants

CONSENT ORDER

UPON the First to Third and Fifth to Sixth Defendants (the "Westlake Defendants") and the former Seventh to Thirteenth Defendants (the "II Defendants") having on 18 October 2024 each filed and served notices pursuant to CPR 20.6 (each a "Contribution Notice") making claims for contribution and indemnity against each other (the "Contribution Proceedings")

AND UPON the Claimants issuing their Claim Form in the High Court, Chancery Division on 11 July 2023 (the "**Proceedings**") and the Proceedings and Contribution Proceedings being transferred to the Competition Appeal Tribunal (the "**Tribunal**") pursuant to the Order of Master Clark dated 30 January 2025

AND UPON the Contribution Proceedings having being stayed pursuant to the Order of Deputy Master Jefferis dated 8 November 2024 until the earlier of either (i) the date falling 14 days after either of the Westlake Defendants or the II Defendants serving notice on the other of written notice of termination of the stay, or (ii) 3 November 2025

AND UPON the Order of Hodge Malek KC dated 30 June 2025 recording that the Claimants' claim against the II Defendants is dismissed further to the Claimants and the II Defendants having agreed terms of settlement such that the II Defendants are now former defendants in the Proceedings

AND UPON the terms of this Order having been agreed between the Westlake Defendants and the II Defendants

IT IS ORDERED BY CONSENT THAT:

- 1. The Contribution Proceedings be stayed until the earlier of either:
 - (a) the date falling 14 days after either of the Westlake Defendants or the II Defendants serving notice on the other of written notice of termination of the stay; or
 - (b) 10 December 2027.
- 2. Defences in the Contribution Proceedings shall be filed and served by 4pm on the date falling eight weeks after the date the stay is lifted in accordance with paragraph 1 above.
- 3. Costs in the Contribution Proceedings.
- 4. The parties have liberty to apply.

Mr Hodge Malek KC

Chair of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 5 November 2025

Drawn: 5 November 2025