IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Case No: 1811/5/7/26 (T)

BETWEEN:

THE CLAIMANTS LISTED IN THE ANNEX

Claimants

and

(1) VISA EUROPE LIMITED
(2) VISA EUROPE SERVICES LLC
(3) VISA UK LIMITED
(4) VISA INC.
(5) MASTERCARD INCORPORATED
(6) MASTERCARD INTERNATIONAL INCORPORATED
(7) MASTERCARD EUROPE SA
(8) MASTERCARD/EUROPAY UK LIMITED

Defendants

CONSENT ORDER
(EXTENSION OF TIME FOR DEFENCES)

UPON the Order of the High Court sealed on 19 October 2026 transferring these proceedings (the "**Proceedings**") from the High Court (Claim No. CP-2025-000004) to the Competition Appeal Tribunal (the "**Tribunal**")

AND UPON the Claimants having served the Re-Re-Amended Claim Form and Particulars of Claim in the Proceedings upon the Defendants on 9 October 2026 (deemed service being 13 October 2026)

AND UPON the Claimants proposing amendments to the Re-Re-Amended Claim Form and Particulars of Claim to reflect the Claimants' corporate restructuring (the "**Proposed Amendments**") by way of letter dated 27 October 2026

AND UPON the Defendants' letter responding to the Proposed Amendments dated 30 October 2026 proposing an extension of time for the filing and service of the Defendants' Defences, and the Claimants' letter dated 2 November 2026 agreeing to that extension

AND UPON the parties having agreed the terms of this Order, and the Tribunal making this Order by consent pursuant to Rule 106 of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules 2015

BY CONSENT, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Pursuant to Rule 53(2)(j) of the Tribunal Rules, the time for the Defendants to file and serve their Defences in the Proceedings is extended to the later of:

    a. 4pm on the date 10 days after the date on which the amended Claim Form and Particulars of Claim are served on the Defendants, following any approval by the Tribunal of the Proposed Amendments; or

    b. 4pm on 27 November 2026

2. No order as to costs.

3. There be liberty to apply.

Ben Tidswell
Chair of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 6 November 2026
Drawn: 6 November 2026

Annex

Claimants' Names and Addresses as per the Re-Re-Amended Claim Form

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