IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Before: Sir Christopher Bellamy (President) Professor Andrew Bain Marion Simmons QC

DEANS FOODS LIMITED

Claimant

Case: 1029/5/7/04

-and-

- (1) ROCHE PRODUCTS LIMITED
- (2) F HOFFMAN LA ROCHE AG
- (3) AVENTIS SA

Defendants

ORDER OF THE PRESIDENT

UPON reading the letters dated 12 and 19 March 2004 from the solicitors for the first and second defendants and those of the third defendant respectively

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The due date for filing the defences of the first and second defendants shall be 28 days and three weeks from the date of service on the second defendant.
- 2. The due date for filing the defence of the third defendant shall be 28 days and three weeks from the date of service on the third defendant.

3. There shall be liberty to apply.

Sir Christopher Bellamy

President of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

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