

### IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Case No 1036/1/1/04

BETWEEN:

### THE ASSOCIATION OF BRITISH INSURERS

Appellant

-v.-

# **OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING**

Respondent

# **CONSENT ORDER**

**UPON** the appellant lodging with the Tribunal a notice of appeal against a decision of the respondent of 22 April 2004 (CA98/04/2004) ("the decision")

**AND UPON** the appellant making a request for interim relief, pursuant to rule 61 of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules 2003 (2003 S.I. 1372), seeking the suspension of the conditions and obligations attached to an individual exemption granted by the respondent to the appellant in respect of the General Terms of Agreement ("GTA") pursuant to section 4(3)(b) of the Competition Act 1998 and forming part of the Decision

#### IT IS AGREED BY CONSENT THAT:

- 1. Until the determination of the appeal or the Tribunal's further order, the Decision is suspended insofar as it makes the grant of exemption to the GTA the subject of requirements to amend the GTA within three months from the date of the decision.
- 2. There be liberty to apply.

**Sir Christopher Bellamy** President of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Made: 06 July 2004 Drawn: 06 July 2004