

IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL Case: 1072/1/1/06

BETWEEN:

DOUBLE QUICK SUPPLYLINE LIMITED

and

PLASTIC BUILDING MATERIALS LIMITED

Appellants

-v-

OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING

Respondent

ORDER OF THE TRIBUNAL

UPON considering the applications dated 25 September 2006 by Precision Concepts Limited to be substituted for Plastic Building Materials Limited as an appellant or, alternatively, to intervene in these proceedings;

AND UPON considering the respondent's written observations on those applications;

AND UPON considering the appellants' observations on the correct application of Rule 11(1) and 11(2) of the Tribunal Rules;

AND UPON considering the respondent's request for an extension of time in which to file its defence as set out in its letter of 5 October 2006;

AND UPON considering the appellants' observations on that request

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Pursuant to Rule 11(1) and 11(2) of The Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules 2003, SI 2003 No 1372 ("the Tribunal Rules"), the appellants be granted permission to amend the notice of appeal in the terms of the draft filed with the

Tribunal on 26 September 2006 so as to substitute Precision Concepts Limited for Plastic Building Materials Limited as an appellant in these proceedings.

- 2. The date for service of the defence pursuant to Rule 14 of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules shall be extended by a period of 1 week.
- 3. Paragraphs 3 to 7 of the Order of 15 September 2006 be varied to the extent the dates referred to therein be extended by a period of 1 week.
- 4. The costs be reserved.
- 5. There be permission to apply.

Lord Carlile of Berriew QC Chairman of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Made: 6 October 2006 Drawn: 6 October 2006