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Competition Authority Clears Acquisition of Homair

The Competition Authority has today cleared the proposed acquisition by CA4Infra2 SAS of sole control of Homair Vacances SA. The transaction was notified under the Competition Act 2002 on 18 July 2014.

The Authority has formed the view that the proposed transaction will not lead to a substantial lessening of competition in any markets for goods or services in the State. The Authority will publish a public version of the reasons for its determination on its website (www.tca.ie) no later than 6 October 2014 after allowing the parties the opportunity to request that confidential information is removed from the published version.

Notes

CA4Infra2 is controlled by funds managed by affiliates of The Carlyle Group. The Carlyle Group is a global asset fund manager investing across four business segments: (a) corporate private equity (buyout and growth capital); (b) real assets (real estate, infrastructure, energy and renewable resources); (c) global market strategies (distressed and corporate opportunities, corporate mezzanine, energy mezzanine, structured credit, hedge funds and structured credit); and (d) global solutions (private equity fund of funds program and related co-investment and secondary activities).

Homair Vacances SA, headquartered in France, operates camping parks located in France, Spain, Croatia, Italy, Portugal, and Austria. Homair Vacances sells outdoor holidays through its website and call centre to customers in France and other European countries. Homair is currently in the process of acquiring Eurocamp, a UK-based company, which operates camping parks in France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Croatia, Austria, Germany, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Denmark and Switzerland. Eurocamp sells outdoor holidays through its website and call centre to customers in the United Kingdom and other European countries.

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