DATED	< <date>&gt;</date>	
(1) << Name of S	Seller>> <b>LIMITED/PLC</b>	
	-and-	
(2) << Name of E	Buyer>> <b>LIMITED/PLC</b>	
SHARE SALE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENT		
-re	lating to-	
< <name company<="" of="" td=""><td>being sold&gt;&gt; LIMITED/PLC</td></name>	being sold>> LIMITED/PLC	

### THIS AGREEMENT is made on

<<Date>> between:

- << Name of Seller>> LIMITED/PLC, a company registered in England under number (1) <<Insert company number>>, whose registered office is at <<Insert registered office address>> ("the Seller"); and
- (2) <<Name of Buyer>> LIMITED/PLC, a company registered in England under number <<Insert company number>>, whose registered office is at <<Insert registered office address>> ("the Buyer").

### IT IS AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

### 1. **INTERPRETATION**

In this Agreement:

1.1 The following words and expressions shall have the meanings set out below:

"the Accounts"	(a)	the audited accounts of the Company [and of each of the Subsidiaries] comprising (in each case) an audited balance sheet as at the Accounts Date and audited profit and loss account for the financial period ended on the
		account for the infancial period ended on the

Accounts Date; [and]

(b) Ithe audited consolidated accounts of the Group comprising an audited consolidated balance sheet as at the Accounts Date and an audited consolidated profit and loss account for the financial period ended on the Accounts Date:1

together [(in each case)] with the reports of the directors and auditors, any cash flow statements and all notes relating to such Accounts;

Marketing)

"the Accounts Date" <<Insert Accounts Date>>;

"the Act" the Companies Act 2006;

"the Applicable Data the Data Protection Act 1998 and the Telecommunications

Protection and Privacy) (Direct (Data Protection Laws"

Regulations 1998;

"Business Day" any day (other than Saturday) on which clearing banks are

open for normal banking business in London;

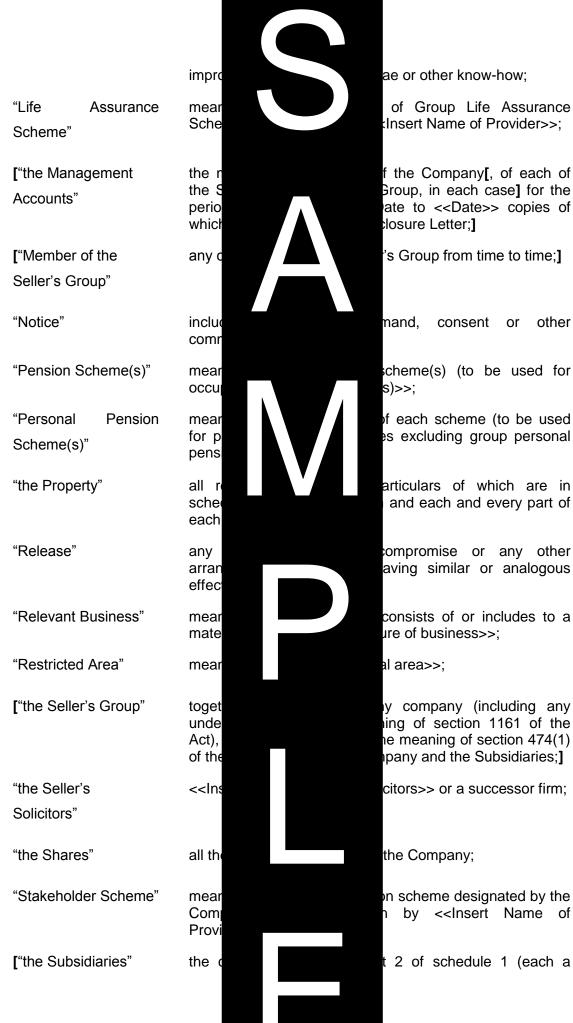
"the Buyer's <<Insert Name of Buyer's Solicitors>> or any successor

firm: Solicitors"

"the Company" <<Name of Company being acquired>> Limited/PLC (of

which particulars are given in part 1 of schedule 1);

"Completion" purchase of the Shares in comp accor his Agreement; "Completion Date" the d ["the Conditions" lule 8 (each a "Condition");**]** the co "Confidential all commercial, financial and techn w, trade secrets, inventions, Information" comp information whatsoever and in wh and whether disclosed orally reproductions in whatsoever or in br parts of it: form "the Disclosure Letter" the Id licitors to the Buyer with the same "the Disclosed the hce Scheme, the Pension Sche ension Scheme(s) and the Schemes" Stake "Encumbrance" any ii erson (including any right to e-emption) or any mortgage, acqui charg ent, hypothecation, security, intere other security agreement or arran ry or not; "GPP" ension plan underwritten by mear <<Ind ["the Group" Subsidiaries;] toget "Intellectual Property" (a) p service marks, registered its to apply for any of those desig company names, internet rights doma dresses, unregistered trade copyrights, database rights, mark know hd inventions: (b) ri nsents, orders, statutes or other in paragraph (a); (c) rig ilar effect or nature as or to b) which now or in the future those may s (d) th infringements of any of the foreg "Intellectual Property all In ed, used or required to be Rights" used "Intellectual Property gements relating (wholly or mear or to the disclosure, use, partly Agreements" assig any invention, discovery,



other

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and expressions which are heaning when used in this both "company" and "body

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uter gender and a reference hincorporated body (whether

shall be in the form of that half of the parties.

r if that person is connected me & Corporation Taxes Act

n against any circumstance m and against all liabilities, and interest which he may umstance.

all not affect the construction

may be necessary for the Company [or any of the y [or company concerned].

1.2 Unless the context otherwise e otherwise defined in the Act Agreement, but "company" sh

"Tax"

1.3 A reference to a particular statu reference to it as it is in force amendment or re-enactment subordinate legislation which it the time being in force made u extended obligation, liability or r of, any party.

1.4 The schedules form part of this A

1.5 A reference to any gender shall to a "person" includes a referen or not having separate legal per

1.6 The singular includes the plural

1.7 A document referred to as bein document signed or initialled for

1.8 A person shall be deemed to be with such other within the meani 1988.

1.9 References to "indemnify" and include indemnifying and keep losses, claims, demands, dam suffer or incur in connection with

1.10 The headings are inserted for c or interpretation of this Agreeme

1.11 The Buyer enters into this A enforcement of any provision Subsidiaries, as trustee for and

# 2. [CONDITIONAL] AGREEMENT

- 2.1 Subject to [the Conditions and] sell and the Buyer shall buy, v guarantee, free from any Encumay in the future attach) to the dividends and distributions de Agreement.
- 2.2 The Buyer shall not be obliged the purchase of all the Shares is
- The Seller hereby waives any p Shares.

### 3. **CONSIDERATION**

3.1 The purchase price payable to Schedule 7.

### 4. COMPLETION

- 4.1 Completion shall take place on such other location agreed betw
- 4.2 On Completion the Seller shall f
- 4.3 On Completion, and on the con under clause 4.2, the Buyer sha
  - 4.3.1 make the payments with clause 3; and
  - 4.3.2 acknowledge receipt
- 4.4 If any of the preceding provisi Completion Date, then (without pursuant to the terms of this A rescind this Agreement by notice

### 5. WARRANTIES AND TAX COV

- 5.1 The Seller warrants to the Buye all respects and not misleading
- 5.2 The Seller undertakes with the
- 5.3 Any Warranty qualified by the e belief" or "so far as the Seller is

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Agreement, the Seller shall on, the Shares with full title vith all rights that attach (or ular, the right to receive all n or after the date of this

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f the Seller's knowledge and pression shall be deemed to



include knowledge, information would have had if it had made information and belief of any pe enquiry or of whom it is stated the

- 5.4 The rights and remedies of the Covenant shall not be affected by
- 5.5 Each Warranty is a separate reference to or inference from a
- 5.6 [Each of the Warranties and the Subsidiaries and shall take eff substituted for "the Company" the Company" the Company the Substituted for "the Company" the Company the Substituted for "the Company" the Substitute for "the Company"
- 5.7 The Seller shall indemnify the legal costs on a full indemnity to or after the instigation of any proceedings for breach of any which judgment is given to the E
- 5.8 Any payment by the Seller for Covenant shall constitute pour consideration for the Shares.
- 5.9 The Buyer shall as soon as rea claim made against it by a thir Warranty (other than a claim re not affect the rights of the Buyer
- 5.10 The Seller shall notify the Bucircumstance which constitutes

### 6. LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS

- 6.1 No claim in respect of any brea in paragraph 1 of schedule 4) or in any case of fraud, dishones been given by or on behalf of the
  - 6.1.1 in respect of any br Warranties, before th years following Comp
  - 6.1.2 pursuant to the Tax C Warranties, before th of the accounting ref anniversary of Compl
- 6.2 Except in any case of fraud, dis
  - 6.2.1 the Seller's liability in Warranties (except for in paragraph 1 of so together shall not ex

eller has or which the Seller and includes the knowledge, be reasonable to make such n made.

the Warranties and the Tax act or omission of the Buyer.

be limited or restricted by

apply equally to each of the ach Subsidiary were in turn schedule 4.]

(including without limitation ch it may incur, either before connection with any legal uant to the Tax Covenant in the of any such judgment.

Varranties or under the Tax ent of and reduction in the

y the Seller in writing of any rise to a claim for breach of lure to give such notice shall

omes aware of any fact or a breach of the Warranties.

ties (other than the Warranty renant shall be made (except e) unless notice thereof has

rranties other than the Tax <<Number, usually 3 years>>

any breach of any of the Tax six months following the end mpany in which the seventh

closure:

the Buyer under any of the y breaches of the Warranties Covenant) when aggregated received by the Seller under clause 3;

6.2.2 the Seller shall have the Warranties unless

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and for the purposes of this c matter shall be treated as one s

6.3 The Seller shall not if any clair this Agreement, make any clair any director or any employee of or on whom it may have relie authorising any statement in the

6.4 The Seller shall not be liable in extent that the losses occasion Covenant (and vice versa).

6.5 The Seller shall not plead the under the Tax Warranties or T Date.

### 7. **CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATIO**

7.1 The Seller shall[, and shall profollowing Completion, keep a Confidential Information which is business and shall not use Information.

7.2 The obligations of confidentiality in or becomes part of the public obligations of confidentiality in third party independently entitle or regulatory authority to disclose

### 8. **NON-COMPETITION**

8.1 The Seller covenants with the E of the Seller's Group from time in conjunction with, or on behalf

8.1.1 at any time during

any claim by the Buyer under

in figures>> (<<'X' amount in

ther such claims against the >> (<<'X' amount in words>> , £<<'Y' amount in figures>> s) in which case the whole / which the limit in this clause by the Buyer;

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he Buyer under the terms of or any of the Subsidiaries] or of the Subsidiaries] on which y term of this Agreement or

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of the Seller's Group shall], secret and confidential all r its business or is used in its rson any such Confidential

extend to any matter which is by reason of a breach of the h the Seller receives from a the Seller is required by law

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- 8.1.5 at any time during the beginning with Come than 5% in nominal values are listed of meaning of the Final concerned or interest Business; or
- 8.2 The Seller undertakes that it seller's Group shall, at any ting or business any trade or service mail address used by the Coreasonable opinion of the Buye design or logo or e-mail addres
- 8.3 Each of the undertakings in clai
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cure that no Member of the in connection with any trade ain name, design or logo or ebubsidiaries] which is, in the with such words, mark, name,

enforceable by the Buyer (on of] the Company [and the of its right to enforce any one .2; and

Buyer the full benefit of the

business and goodw consideration of the a terms of this Agreeme

Accordingly, if any restriction is part of it were deleted or the personal apply with such modification enforceable.

8.4 Nothing in the undertakings set any action in respect of any busing as a result of any breach of any the Subsidiaries] and the Buyer to be involved prior to any ever clause 8.4 give rise to a claim, u

# 9. **[GUARANTEES**

The Buyer undertakes with the S (short of actual payment of any person other than the Buyer or a of the Seller [and any Member from liability under any and all Member of the Seller's Group] respect of monies borrowed and of the Subsidiaries] and to inder Group] against any such liab question are:

<<Specify details of guarantee>

### 10. **INDEMNITIES**

The Seller shall indemnify the Subsidiaries] against and shall or incurred by the Company as a

- 10.1 any breach, whether before or contained or implied in any leas the Subsidiaries] before Comple
- any defect or alleged defect in any of the Subsidiaries prior to
- 10.3 any industrial or other work-re former employee of the Comparelation to any period ending on
- 10.4 [any VAT chargeable against ar
- 10.5 [<<Specify other issues arising save, (in the circumstances sp

nd the Subsidiaries] and in o acquire the Shares on the

ole, but would be valid if any tion reduced, the restriction ssary to make it valid and

Shall be deemed to prohibit less in which (otherwise than by the Seller) the Company[, lry of the Buyer have ceased or which would but for this

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ompany] [and each of the equal to all liabilities suffered n with:-

covenant or any other term y the Company [or by any of

sold by the Company [or by

Iffered by any employee or sidiaries] in respect of or in

Group[; or]]

and 10.3) to the extent that

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recovery is made by the Compa of insurance.

concerned] under any policy

### 11. **PUBLICITY**

- 11.1 The parties shall forthwith upon announcement and] announcen customers and suppliers of the C
- 11.2 Each of the parties shall both be keep the contents of this Agree without the prior written consent or make any other announcement except to the extent required by entitled to make references to the future annual reports and financi

## 12. PENSION SCHEME

Schedule 5 shall apply in relation

### 13. THIRD PARTY RIGHTS

- 13.1 For the avoidance of doubt [a number of clause giving right to Subsidiaries>>], nothing in this a enforce any provisions of this Ag
- 13.2 Notwithstanding that any provision party this Agreement and its rescinded or terminated by the approval of any third party.

# 14. **ASSIGNMENT**

- 14.1 Except as provided otherwise in Encumbrance or security interes document referred to in it.
- 14.2 Each party that has rights under
- 14.3 The Buyer may assign its rights this Agreement) to a wholly owr wholly owned subsidiary, or a f company of which it is wholly ow to the Seller on the same terms it
- 14.4 If there is an assignment:

rocure to be made [a press of the Company and to the erms.

n, but subject to clause 11.1, d confidential and shall not or all of them to any person actions hereby agreed upon Buyer and the Seller shall be reed upon in their respective

brovided in clause <<Insert lause 10 if it applies to the nany third party the right to

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ty may assign, or grant any under this Agreement or any

on its own behalf.

any document referred to in ng company of which it is a sidiary of the same holding that any assignee is bound agreement.

14.4.1 the Seller may dischassignor until it receiv

14.4.2 the assignee may enf Buyer shall remain lial der this Agreement to the ent; and

f it were a party to it, but the der this Agreement.

# 15. WHOLE AGREEMENT

This Agreement together with pursuant to its provisions consrelation to its subject matter ar and discussions between the p fraud or fraudulent misrepresent into or to be entered into nent between the parties in agreements, understandings it that they arise out of the

### 16. VARIATION AND WAIVER

- 16.1 Any variation of this Agreement parties.
- 16.2 Any waiver of any right under the applies only to the party to who for which it is given and shall not subsequently relying on the proverse.
- 16.3 A party that waives a right in relagainst that party, does not affect
- 16.4 No failure to exercise or delay in Agreement or by law constitutes future exercise in whole or in par
- 16.5 No single or partial exercise of preclude or restrict the further ex
- 16.6 Unless specifically provided of cumulative and do not exclude ri

igned by or on behalf of the

ective if it is in writing and it ed and to the circumstances has given the waiver from

es or fails to take any action ny other party.

remedy provided under this remedy or shall prevent any

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under this Agreement are

### 17. PROVISIONS SURVIVING COM

Insofar as the provisions of the Completion, they shall remain in

### 18. **FURTHER ASSURANCE**

The Seller shall (at its reasona documents, and do all such thir require for the purpose of giving

t have been performed at ithstanding Completion.

execute and deliver all such com time to time reasonably as of this Agreement.

### 19. **COUNTERPARTS**

COSTS

This Agreement may be executed original and which together have same document.

Each party shall, except where to this Agreement and its sub exercise any right hereby con indemnify the Buyer against all this Agreement and its subject m

### 21. **SEVERANCE**

20.

The provisions of this Agreemen at any time any of such provision validity, legality or enforceability impaired thereby.

### 22. **NOTICES**

- 22.1 Any Notice relating to this Agree by pre-paid first class post or served given herein or such other
- 22.2 Any such Notice shall, if sent by despatch and, if delivered by ha been served at the time of such

If, however, in the case of delive expire on, or if, in the case of d transmission occurs on, a day v Business Day, then service shall Day.

22.3 In proving service it shall be suff was properly stamped, address transmission by electronic mean report showing that transmission email delivery receipt.

### 23. PROPER LAW AND JURISDIC

This Agreement and any disput subject matter (including any therefrom or associated therew Wales and subject to the exclusi terparts, each of which is an each party had signed the

own costs of and incidental if the Buyer shall lawfully Agreement, the Seller shall irred by it in connection with

nct from one another, and, if illegal or unenforceable, the in any way be affected or

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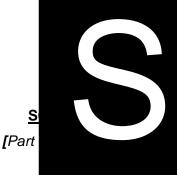
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of or in connection with its rs and obligations arising y the laws of England and lish courts.



**SIGNED** by or on behalf of the parties the

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Name: << >>

Registered in England no: << >>

Date of incorporation: << >>

Share capital: £<<Total share capital>> in

<<Nominal value of shares>> <<Other ty value of each other t

Directors: << >> << >> << >>

Secretary: << >>

Auditors: << >>

Registered office: << >>

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Part

### 1. INTERPRETATION

1.1 In this schedule, unless the co expressions shall have the follow

"Accounts Relief"

"CAA"

"Event"

"ICTA"

"ITEPA"

"loss"

"Post Completion Relief"

"Relevant Person"

the following words and

which was treated as an the Company in the

which was taken into computing (and so eliminating) any or Tax which appears in hts or which would have n the Accounts but for the availability of such Relief;

Act 2001;

ion, event, fact oever (whether actual or d as occurring for any

ation Taxes Act 1988;

ings and Pensions) Act

, denial, clawback or le or in part of any Relief s (such as "lost") shall be

which arises as a result has occurred or occurs Date or in respect of any on or after the Accounts

person (except the Buyer

re Completion was a of the same group of for any Tax purpose rson"); or

, before Completion the or, at any time, the Seller up Person is connected; "Relief"

"Tax"

"Tax Authority"

"Tax Claim"

"Tax Legislation"

on who stands or has a direct or indirect or with the Company at before Completion such by such person at any y any Tax could result in ment on the Company ction 767A or section TA;

allowance, exemption, duction or credit available nst, or in relation to, Tax computation for any Tax income, profits or gains;

repayment of Tax;

duty, impost, levy, or withholding, past or f the United Kingdom or and

est, charge, surcharge, ine or other imposition or arising in connection tax, duty, impost, levy, or withholding mentioned oh (a) of this definition or ount, record, form, return ation required to be kept, maintained or submitted son for the purpose of any, duty, impost, levy, or withholding;

her located in the United ewhere, competent to collect Tax, including HM s

Id, assessment, letter or sued, or action taken, by ly Tax Authority and the y Tax form, return or which, in either case, it er that the Company is or a Tax Liability or other of which the Seller is or this schedule 3;

ory instrument, regulation rovision providing for,

"Tax Liability"

"Tax Warranties"

"TCGA"

"VAT"

"VATA"

"VAT Group"

- 1.2 [In this schedule, "Company" s addition to the Company and the and be given in respect of each
- 1.3 Any reference to an Event or before Completion shall include
  - 1.3.1 any two or more Even deemed (for the purpo on or before Completion
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have taken place or be tion) to have taken place

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- 1.4 Any reference to a Tax Liabilit accrued or received on or be respect of income, profits or gain earned, accrued or received for Completion and any reference to include a Tax Liability where su in question) is deemed to ha occurred.
- 1.5 Any stamp duty which would b produced as evidence in Court the United Kingdom), provide establish the title of the Con enforcement or production of w fine or penalty relating to any s the Company to make an act document was executed and "Ta
- 1.6 In determining for the purposes to sell, mortgage or charge, any any time, the fact that any Tax shall be disregarded and such charge or power to sell, mortgag on which HM Revenue & Custo the Buyer.

Part 2

### 1. **GENERAL**

- 1.1 All notices, returns (including a respect of PAYE and Nationa reports, accounts, computations any other necessary information for the purposes of Tax have be applicable time limits, were ac accurate and complete in all ma
- 1.2 The Company is not involved in within the past 12 months, been or access order by any Tax Aut facts or circumstances existing viscovery or access order will be
- 1.3 The Company has (to the exterpossession complete and accurate Company has sufficient records loss, balancing charge or balancing on any disposal or on the Date or acquired since that date

### 2. **PAYMENT OF TAX**

All Tax (whether of the UK or el or is liable to account for, has b been paid).

profits or gains earned, notude a Tax Liability in or treated or regarded as k Legislation on or before pening of any Event shall es of the Tax Legislation or regarded as having

ment in order for it to be cument is presently within is either necessary to is a document in the crested, and any interest, eemed to be a liability of the date on which the trued accordingly.

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uments or information in and transaction returns), nts and registrations and any to any Tax Authority sis, were submitted within en supplied and remain

ax Authority and has not, t, investigation, discovery ller is aware there are no visit, audit, investigation, nths.

erved and retained in its its Tax affairs and the calculate the profit, gain, x purposes) which would sowned at the Accounts

Company has been liable s such Tax ought to have

### 3. **CONCESSION**

The Disclosure Letter gives al formal or informal unpublished general or specific to the Compon the Company or which pur obligation to make or submit Authority.

### 4. **DEDUCTIONS AND WITHHOL**

All Tax and National Insurance PAYE system and/or any other deducted, been deducted from Company. All amounts due to Completion have been so paid, benefits provided for directors, or any persons required to be tree.

### 5. **PAYE**

The Disclosure Letter gives full the Company under Section settlement agreements entered Company.

### 6. **CLOSE COMPANIES**

- 6.1 The Company has never been 414 and 415 of ICTA 1988.
- 6.2 No distribution within section 41 during the last six years ending been made between the Account
- 6.3 Any loans or advances made, sections 419 and 420 or 422 of Letter. The Company has not re off, the whole or any part of any

### 7. CAPITAL GAINS

- 7.1 The book value shown in, or a value of each of the assets chargeable gain or allowable los on a disposal of such asset at t each case, disregarding any stathan amounts deductible under the control of the case.
- 7.2 No transaction has been entere section 18 (transactions between be applied.

npany has relied on any ion or practice (whether mount of Tax chargeable ride exemption from any e or return to any Tax

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by the Company within isclosed in the Disclosure agreed to release or write

of, the Accounts as the he disposal of which a exceed the amount which ht would be deductible, in allowance or relief other

o which the provisions of CGA have been or could

### 8. CAPITAL ALLOWANCES

- 8.1 If any asset of the Company we shown in, or adopted for the consideration actually given for since the Accounts Date), no legislation relating to capital jurisdictions outside the UK wou
- 8.2 No event has occurred since the course of business) whereby are or any disposal value may fall to the CAA (or any other legislation relating to relief for the UK.
- 8.3 The Disclosure Letter contains f
  - 8.3.1 all expenditure incul allowances can be c
  - 8.3.2 all capital allowance 14 of Part 2 of the C

### 9. **SECONDARY LIABILITY**

So far as the Seller is aware, no Company is made or held lia chargeable against or attributab Company.

### 10. **STAMP DUTIES**

- 10.1 Any document that may be no Company to any asset which is document which the Company been duly stamped for stamp du
- 10.2 The Company has not entered interest in real property situate Completion.
- 10.3 The Company has complied in Finance Act 1986 (Stamp Duty such legislation.
- 10.4 The Company is not and has purposes of section 43 Finance

# 11. **ANTI-AVOIDANCE**

All transactions or arrangements arm's length terms. There are Schedule 28AA to, the ICTA or any Tax Authority to make an a or arrangement is treated as the stream of the

etion for its book value as nts, or for the value of uch asset were acquired the CAA (or any other clawback of relief in any.

wise than in the ordinary fall to be made against, t, by the Company under l allowances) or similar to in jurisdictions outside

Date in respect of which 3 of the CAA; and

is entitled under Chapter

onsequence of which the Tax which is primarily r company other than the

proving the title of the at Completion, and each produce in evidence, has

the sale of an estate or n in the 90 days prior to

ovisions of Part IV of the regulations made under

'land transaction" for the

have been made on fully nich section 770A of, or sion could apply causing n which such transaction poses, and no notice or

enquiry has been made by a transactions or arrangements.

### 12. VALUE ADDED TAX

- 12.1 The Company is registered as Kingdom under schedule 1 VA be) a member of a group of com
- 12.2 The Company is not registered equivalent in any state other tha
- 12.3 The Company has complied in VATA and all application reg complete, correct and up-to documents.
- 12.4 The Company is not in arrears return (fully and properly completis not liable or likely to become default surcharge or any forfeit penal provision.
- 12.5 No circumstances exist whereb VAT pursuant to the provision representatives) VATA.
- 12.6 The Company has not made a pursuant to paragraph 2 of sche
- 12.7 The Company has not been pa Added Tax (Special Provisions concern) has (or has purported
- 12.8 No asset of the Company is a c to adjustment in accordance w Tax Regulations 1995.

### 13. **GROUPS**

- 13.1 No Tax is or may become pa TCGA (tax on one member or g of any chargeable gain accruing
- 13.2 The Company has not at any t date of this document acquired other company which at the tir group of companies as the Concompanies: definitions)) and no Company is, or has at any mate in section 170 TCGA (groups asset.
- 13.3 The Company has not in the last of companies for the purposes be member of a group).

Tourposes in the United

T purposes in the United treated as (nor applied to s.

tered) for local VAT or its

th all the requirements of nd has fully maintained and other necessary

is not failed to submit any red in respect of VAT and or non-routine payment or to the operation of any

r might become liable for gents etc) or 48 (VAT

nd by any election made

nich Article 5 of the Value of business as a going

on which could be subject t XV of the Value Added

pursuant to section 190 nother member) in respect

six years ending with the s trading stock) from any s a member of the same tion 170 TCGA (groups of f companies of which the tipal company (as defined s)) has so acquired any

be a member of a group CGA (company ceasing to

13.4 There are no assets currently charge may arise on the sale of Section 179 TCGA (company company c

### 14. LOAN RELATIONSHIPS

- 14.1 Each amount in relation to w reflected in the Accounts or ex loan relationship of the Compan
- 14.2 No Tax Liability or non-trading of Company as a result of any del or in part at Completion.
- 14.3 In relation to each of its loan each accounting period of the C accruals basis of accounting au

### 15. **INHERITANCE TAX**

There is no unsatisfied liability assets of the Company or the s such shares are subject to an H

### 16. **FOREIGN CONNECTIONS**

- 16.1 The Company has never bee purposes of any tax legislation.
- 16.2 The Company does not have (a of this document has not had (within the meaning of the OEC United Kingdom.
- 16.3 The Company does not have interest in a controlled foreign 752 ICTA.

Part 3

### 1. SELLER'S COVENANT

Subject to part 4 of this schedule the Buyer an amount equal to:

- 1.1 any Tax Liability of the Compan
  - 1.1.1 resulting from or by Completion or in resp earned, accrued or re or
  - 1.1.2 resulting from or by accrued or received or before Completion; or

ny in respect of which a to this Agreement under f a group).

a debtor or creditor and agreement constitutes a

ny loan relationship of the pnship being settled in full

any operates and has, in March 1996, operated an of the Finance Act 1996.

hed or attributable to the ld neither such assets nor charge.

United Kingdom for the

years ending on the date permanent establishment n Agreement) outside the

st seven years had) any ining of sections 747 and

with the Buyer to pay to

t occurring on or before s, income, profits or gains on or before Completion;

profits or gains earned,t of a period ended on or

1.1.3 arising or assessed Person at any time to any Tax Liability resulting fron deemed to be made for the pu other than the Company; any liability of the Company to of, any indemnity, covenant or d or before Completion; any liability in respect of inherita 1.4.1 is at or becomes after within seven years a value) on or before assets of the Compa charge any of the sha 1.4.2 arises as a result of occur on or before d death of any pers decreased the value d any Tax Liability in respect of the directors of the Company ari Completion and arising from th or in respect of services render not been properly accounted fo of emoluments and which the d for such Tax may be the liability any reasonable costs, fees or e connection with: 1.6.1 any Tax Liability or o under any of paragrar 1.6.2 taking or defending a schedule at the reque Part 4 Limit **RESTRICTION ON SELLER'S** The provisions of clauses 6.2 ( to this schedule as if the same

Seller under this schedule shall

The covenants contained in pa

such Tax Liability wa

Date and such payme

specific provision or

reserve) in respect of

Liability to the extent that:

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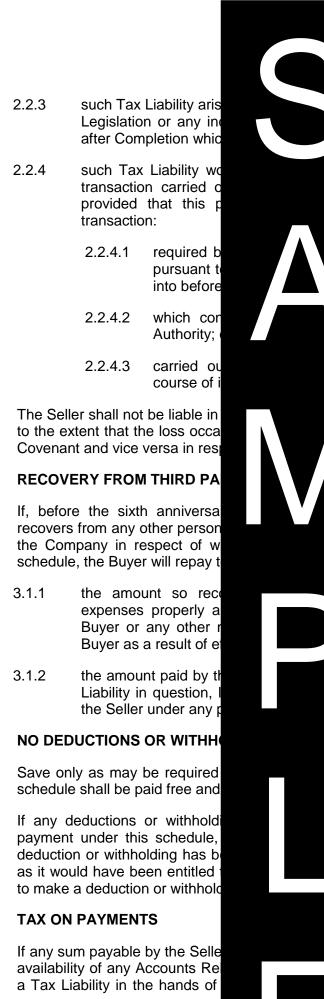
2.1

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# the failure of a Relevant n or importation made or ember of any VAT Group ect of, or in consequence given by the Company on of the death of any person (or a deemed transfer of any of the shares or the bwer to sell, mortgage or company; or rring or being deemed to ot in conjunction with the g) which increased or any; ts in kind of employees or bds ended on or before prships with the Company Company where Tax has not been made in respect whether or not the liability ctors; and Company or the Buyer in which the Seller is liable al proceedings) under this .1 (time limits) shall apply full and the liability of the ccordingly. all not extend to any Tax h or before the Accounts cted in the Accounts;

deferred tax provision or

de in the Accounts:



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esult of any change in Tax in each case) announced

for any voluntary act or the Buyer or Company, ot apply to any act or

effected by the Company itment created or entered

information to any Tax

company in the ordinary

ny of the Warranties if and recovered under the Tax matter.

document, the Company erable to a Tax Liability of de a payment under this

es, costs, damages and by the Company, or the oup of companies as the amount); and

dule in respect of the Tax nount previously repaid to nt or otherwise.

e by the Seller under this withholdings.

w to be made from any ch sum as will, after the ver with the same amount of any such requirement

schedule is (or but for the Relief would be) subject to all pay to the Buyer such sum as is necessary to ensure than the amount it would have it

### 6. **DATE FOR PAYMENT**

- 6.1 Where the Seller becomes liable this schedule, the due date for be:
  - 6.1.1 the date falling 5 Bus (as the case may be) the payment required
  - 6.1.2 in any case involving actual payment (where falling 5 Business Date case may be) the Busyment required to before the last date of made to the person any postponement of obtained).

### 7. INTEREST ON LATE PAYMEN

If any payment required to be n by the due date for payment th that due date until the date w <<percentage>> per cent above bank>> Bank PLC compounded

# 8. PRICE REDUCTION

Any payment by the Seller und the consideration paid for the S this paragraph 8 shall be con Seller under this Agreement.

### 9. TAX CLAIMS

- 9.1 If the Buyer or the Company sh to give rise to a liability of the sprocure that the Company sh reasonably practicable. Such liability of the Seller hereunder.
- 9.2 If the Seller shall indemnify satisfaction of the Buyer aga (including interest on overdue shall (and shall procure that reasonable instructions of the subject to paragraphs 9.2.1 to appeal, compromise or defend
  - 9.2.1 the Company shall no Tax raised on it if, has

d by the Buyer is not less t not been subject to Tax.

rsuant to the provisions of nent in cleared funds shall

on which the Company or he Seller of the amount of

y or the Buyer to make an Tax), the later of the date in the Company or (as the eller of the amount of the falling 5 Business Days question is required to be (after taking into account nent of any Tax which is

this schedule is not made nt shall carry interest from ually made at the rate of me to time of <<Name of

treated as a reduction in ), provided that nothing in cluding the liability of the

/ Tax Claim which is likely e the Buyer shall (or shall to the Seller as soon as ondition precedent to the

Buyer to the reasonable damages and expenses curred thereby, the Buyer in accordance with any notice to the Buyer (but to avoid, dispute, resist, always that:

gainst any assessment for tice of the receipt of that assessment, it has r from the Seller, in a 9.2.1, to make that ap

9.2.2 the Buyer and the C instruction of the Sel Tax before any cou Authority in question written opinion of Tax an appeal against the of probabilities, be we

9.2.3 the Buyer and the Co with any instruction or a Tax Claim which is conduct of such disp prejudicial to the buincrease the future li Tax.

after received instructions visions of this paragraph

bliged to comply with any sting any assessment for body (excluding the Tax ishes the Buyer with the ears' call to the effect that question will, on the basis

event be obliged to comply ttlement or compromise of or agree any matter in the considers to be materially y or the Buyer or likely or the Buyer in respect of

# The THE COMPANY AND THE SE The Seller has full power to Agreement, which constitutes The Seller is the beneficial ow them to the Buyer or as it direct rights now or hereafter attachin No indebtedness is outstandi liabilities (actual or contingent between the Company [and an the Company [or any director d who is an associate of or conne

m the provisions of this the Seller in accordance

as the right to dispose of rance and together with all

ntracts, arrangements or in part to be performed Group] or any director of er's Group] or any person

### 2. THE COMPANY'S SCHEDULE ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS

with its terms.

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- 2.1 The particulars of the Compa accurate and its issued share d
- 2.2 [The Company is the benefi Encumbrance of the whole Subsidiaries.]
- 2.3 No person has the right (wheth not contingent) to call for the capital of the Company under limitation conversion rights and

### **CONSTITUTIONAL AND**

1 are true, complete and

indirectly) free from any capital of each of the

the future and whether or sfer of any share or loan eement (including without

### 3. [INSURANCES

- 3.1 The Company maintains, and insurance cover against occi liability, accident, damage, inju of profit and other risks norma been covered for their full re-in-
- 3.2 The Disclosure Letter sets out to or on behalf of the Company, a
- 3.3 There are no material outstan any of those policies and so far likely to give rise to any claim u

las maintained, adequate onal negligence, product ding product liability), loss ts and the Property have

of insurance maintained by and effect.

respect of the validity of, nere are no circumstances 3.4 All the insurance policies are nothing has been done or no voidable and Completion will no such policy.]

# 4. **[PENSIONS**

- 4.1 The Disclosed Schemes are that has or could have any liability the defined in Chapter 2 of Part 6 ct.
- 4.2 The Seller has supplied to the to date details of each of t obligations and liabilities under

<<Insert any additional pensior</p>

- 4.3 In determining the damages paragraph 18, it shall be assum
  - 4.3.1 the Company is lia benefits under the Di the basis that any po Schemes is disregare
  - 4.3.2 the Company is liable (including without lime proposing to provide provided or proposed amendment any so paragraph which are

are not void or voidable, ake any of them void or y insurer to terminate, any

Inder which the Company wards relevant benefits as Igs & Pensions) Act 2003.

ining full, accurate and up and of the Company's

e factual position>>

n of any Warranty in this

payments to provide the fined in that paragraph) on tinue any of the Disclosed

nue to provide any benefit it now provides or is now reach respectively is now and to maintain without kind referred to in that

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<<Insert any operative provisions regardir

# <u>S(</u> Seller's Oblic

# On Completion the Seller shall:

deliver to the Buyer:

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- 1.1.1 transfers of the Shares
  Buyer together with th
  any power of attorney
  executed:
- 1.1.2 [certificates in respect Subsidiaries and duly nominee in favour of su
- 1.1.3 all the statutory and otl

  [and each of the incorporation or registr of name and commons
- 1.1.4 letters of resignation resigning as directors Subsidiaries] pursuant
- 1.1.5 [a certificate in the Agr of the Company [and the company content of the company content of the company content of the company content of the content
- 1.1.6 [the title deeds to the P
- 1.1.7 [the resignation of the appointment in their please [and the appointment [the Pension Scheme];
- 1.1.8 all credit and charge ca of the Subsidiaries] ar Company [and each of under the control of the
- 1.1.9 the Disclosure Letter, d

# 1.2 procure:

- 1.2.1 the transaction of the minutes of the Compa Terms;
- 1.2.2 such persons as the additional directors of t
- 1.2.3 upon such appointme

ers thereof in favour of the tes and certified copies of transfers may have been

the capital of each of the such shares held by any shall direct;]

p to date) of the Company
[their] certificate[s] of
incorporation on change

executed by the persons ompany [and each of the schedule 6:

er's Solicitors as to the title operty;]

nsion Scheme] and the the Buyer shall nominate pal employer in respect of

of the Company [and each documents relating to the are in the possession of or the Company; and

o in the completion board ubsidiaries] in the Agreed

be validly appointed as bsidiaries];

the directors [other than

<<Insert Name(s)>>] [a Subsidiaries] both from

- 1.2.4 the written resignation Company [and ea acknowledgment that the Subsidiaries] for ar in respect of the period section 519 of the Act;
- 1.2.5 [the release in the Ag from all banking arra guarantees, sureties a Company and the Substitle Seller's Group and more of the Company a
- 1.2.6 the release [in the Action Company [and each otherwise) and of all g Subsidiaries] in respe Group or] of any third p
- 1.2.7 the repayment (by such set-off of any and all Subsidiaries] by the directors of the Compa an associate of or conr
- 1.2.8 the release [in the A Company [and the S Seller's Group] and an any of them, incorpora agreement or arranger future;
- 1.2.9 [that the Company and <<Insert Name of [consultancy] agreeme
- 1.2.10 that [each of] the Cor meeting on short notic association in the Agre

Company [and each of the and as employees;

s] of the auditors of the ries] incorporating an st the Company [or any of whether billed or unbilled, he statement referred to in

pany and the Subsidiaries er's Group, including all any one or more of the obligations of Members of rities given by any one or spect thereof);

cumbrances given by the hether to its bankers or company [and each of the Members of the Seller's

rects) without deduction or pany [and to each of the the Seller's Group,] the es] and any person who is

nd all claims against the er[, each Member of the ciate of or connected with t by each that there is no ch claim might arise in the

pany/firm/individual>> [and >] enter into [service] s; and]

aries] convenes a general s], adopts new articles of

- 1.1 The purchase price payable factorial figures for the factorial factorial
- 1.2 The sum payable to the Seller [banker's draft in favour of the shall be sufficient discharge following account:

Bank: << >>

Branch: << >>

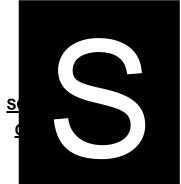
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Account Name: << >>

Account Number: << >>]

ares shall be the sum of is), which shall be paid in

1 shall be paid by way of a ors (whose receipt thereof elegraphic transfer to the



# 1. Principal Conditions

The provisions of clauses 2, 3 following conditions not later t their fulfilment at, << Date >> between the Seller and the But

- 1.1 the passing of an ordinary res the transaction set out in the A
- 1.2 the passing of an ordinary res the transaction set out in the A

# 2. The parties' endeavours

Each of the parties shall us provisions of this Agreement terms.

## 3. Non-fulfilment

If any one or more of the Cond Agreement shall thereupon be without prejudice to any and a of any of the provisions of this return to one another all do connection with the transaction

### 4. Waiver

The Buyer shall be entitled Conditions other than that set shall be deemed to have done waive the Condition set out in deemed to have done so also.

### 5. Notice of fulfilment of Condit

- 5.1 When the Condition set out ir forthwith give written notice to conclusive and binding on the
- 5.2 When the Condition set out ir forthwith give notice to that conclusive and binding on the

pon the fulfilment of all the e in full force and effect of may be agreed in writing

ng of the Buyer approving

ng of the Seller approving

rs to procure that all the in accordance with their

or before << Date >>, this ect except as regards and parties for any prior breach t the parties shall promptly ings already delivered in

any one or more of the nd, if it does so, the Seller I be entitled at its option to loes so, the Buyer shall be

n fulfilled, the Buyer shall , and such notice shall be t thereof.

en fulfilled, the Seller shall and such notice shall be t thereof. Signed by <<Name>>for and
on behalf of <<Name of Company being s
LIMITED/PLC

Signed by <<Name>>for and on behalf of <<Name of Buyer>> LIMITED/PLC

