

MERGER NOTICE

THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF 100% ISSUED SHARE CAPITAL IN COMZTEK HOLDINGS (PROPRIETARY) LIMITED BY DATATEC LIMITED

Pursuant to Section 56(1) of the Competition Act (Cap 46:09), the Competition Authority has received a merger notification between Datatec Limited (primary acquiring enterprise) and Comztek Holdings (Pty) Ltd (primary target enterprise).

The proposed transaction is in terms of Datatec acquiring 100% issued share capital in Comztek Holdings. Datatec is incorporated under the Laws of South Africa and is a global provider of information communication technology (ICT) products, solutions and services. Comztek Holdings is a company incorporated under the Laws of South Africa and is a distributor of high-demand, consumer and business technology products and solutions, as well as high information technology entertainment hardware and software. Both Datatec [through its South African based subsidiaries, Westcon Africa UK Ltd and Analysis Mason Limited] and Comztek Holdings [through its South African based subsidiaries, Comztek (Pty) Ltd and Comztek East Africa Limited] offer their products and services directly into Botswana.

According to Section 57(3), of the Competition Act, "any person, including a third party not a party to the proposed merger, may voluntarily submit to the inspector or the Authority any document, affidavit, statement or other relevant information in respect of a proposed merger". Any views on the proposed mergers may be sent, within 14 days from the date of this publication, to the following address:-

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