

**COMPLETED ACQUISITION BY RYANAIR HOLDINGS PLC OF A MINORITY  
INTEREST IN AER LINGUS GROUP PLC**

**Termination of extension of inquiry period**

On 18 July 2012, the Competition Commission (CC) published a notice of an extension of the inquiry period, made pursuant to section 39(4) of the Enterprise Act 2002 (the Act).

The group of members of the CC appointed to consider this reference decided on 28 February 2013 that:

- (a) information and documents required by a notice under section 109 of the Act dated 10 July 2012 have been provided to the satisfaction of the CC; and
- (b) in accordance with section 39(8)(a) of the Act, the extension has ended.

The revised final date for publication of the CC's report is 11 July 2013.

1 March 2013