



The Competition Authority

An tÚdarás Iomaíochta

PUBLIC NOTICE

Full Investigation of Merger M/12/031 – Top Snacks /KP Snacks

The Competition Authority has determined to carry out a full investigation under Section 22 of the Competition Act 2002 of merger notification M/12/031 – the transaction whereby Intersnack International BV, through its subsidiary Top Snacks Limited, acquires certain assets, comprising the business known as KP Snacks Ltd, from United Biscuits (UK) Limited.

The target assets, to be acquired by Intersnack International BV, relate specifically to the business known as KP Snacks Ltd.

Interested parties are invited to make submissions no later than **5:00pm on Wednesday 20 March 2013**. Parties making submissions should indicate clearly what, if any, of the material submitted contains business secrets. Submissions should be marked “**M/12/031 – Top Snacks/KP Snacks**” and should be addressed to Andrew Rae, Mergers Division, The Competition Authority, Parnell House, 14 Parnell Square, Dublin 1 or sent by e-mail to ar@tca.ie.