MERGER ANNOUNCEMENT M/23/034 – MOORE KINGSTON SMITH / MOORE IRELAND

Section 21 of the Competition Act 2002

Competition and Consumer Protection Commission clears proposed acquisition of Moore Ireland by Moore Kingston Smith LLP.

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The Competition and Consumer Protection Commission has today cleared the proposed transaction whereby, Moore Kingston Smith LLP would acquire sole control of Moore Ireland. The proposed transaction was notified under the Competition Act 2002, as amended, on 18 July 2023.

The Commission has formed the view that the proposed transaction will not substantially lessen competition in any market for goods or services in the State. The Commission will publish the reasons for its determination on its website no later than 60 working days after the date of the determination and after allowing the parties the opportunity to request that confidential information be removed from the published version.

Additional Information

Moore Kingston Smith LLP is a joint venture between the partners of Moore Kingston Smith and Waterland Private Equity Fund VII C.V. Moore Kingston Smith is a UK multidisciplinary professional services firm active in the accountancy and business advisory sector.

Moore Ireland is an Irish provider of accountancy and advisory services with offices in Dublin and Cork.