

## MERGER ANNOUNCEMENT M/24/009 – MACQUARIE/BEACON MEDICAL GROUP

Section 21 of the Competition Act 2002

Competition and Consumer Protection Commission clears the proposed acquisition by MEIF 7 Dian Holdings Limited, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Macquarie European Infrastructure Fund 7 SCSP, of sole control of Beacon Medical Group Sandyford Limited, Okinawa Limited, and Beacon Blackthorn Limited (together with their subsidiaries).

## 29 February 2024

The Competition and Consumer Protection Commission has today cleared the proposed transaction whereby MEIF 7 Dian Holdings Limited, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Macquarie European Infrastructure Fund 7 SCSP, will acquire sole control of Beacon Medical Group Sandyford Limited, Okinawa Limited and Beacon Blackthorn Limited (together with their subsidiaries). The proposed transaction was notified under the Competition Act 2002, as amended, on 13 February 2024.

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**

Macquarie Group Limited is a global provider of asset management, retail and business banking, wealth management, leasing and asset financing, market access, commodity trading, renewables development, specialist advisory, capital raising and principal investment services.

Beacon Medical Group Sandyford Limited is the holding company of a group of companies that own and operate the Beacon Hospital in Sandyford, County Dublin.

Okinawa Limited and Beacon Blackthorn Limited are private limited companies incorporated in Ireland that own certain auxiliary real estate adjacent to the Beacon Hospital Sandyford, County Dublin.