

# MERGER ANNOUNCEMENT M/25/073 – KUEHNE & NAGEL/EASTWAY GLOBAL FORWARDING

## Section 21 of the Competition Act 2002

### Competition and Consumer Protection Commission clears proposed acquisition by Kuehne und Nagel International AG of sole control of Eastway Global Forwarding Limited

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The Competition and Consumer Protection Commission has today cleared the proposed transaction whereby Kuehne und Nagel International AG, through Kuehne & Nagel (Ireland) Limited, would acquire sole control of Eastway Global Forwarding Limited. The proposed transaction was notified under the Competition Act 2002, as amended, on 10 November 2025.

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

Kuehne und Nagel International AG is a Swiss-headquartered international shipping and logistics company, with activities across the world. In the State, Kuehne und Nagel International AG, through Kuehne & Nagel (Ireland) Limited, provides a range of transport and logistics services to Irish and international customers across a range of industry sectors.

Eastway Global Forwarding Limited is a privately-owned freight forwarding and logistics provider headquartered in Limerick. Eastway Global Forwarding Limited primarily provides aerospace freight forwarding and warehousing services to the aerospace sector. Its freight forwarding services are primarily cross-border and involve the movement of jet engines and aircraft parts around the world plus related customs clearance solutions. In addition to its customers in the aerospace sector, Eastway Global Forwarding Limited also provides some general freight forwarding and warehousing services, including for the transport and storage of pharmaceuticals and foodstuffs.