



IN THE COMPETITION
APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Case No: 1567/3/3/22

BETWEEN:

SKY UK LIMITED

Appellant

- v -

OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

Respondent

ORDER

UPON reading the Notice of Appeal filed by the Appellant on 18 October 2022 under section 192 of the Communications Act 2003 (“the Appeal”)

AND UPON the Tribunal’s letter to the Appellant and Respondent dated 17 November 2022 listing the first case management conference (“CMC”) in these proceedings for 8 December 2022

AND UPON considering the Respondent’s application made by letter dated 25 November 2022 for an extension of time of one week to file its Defence

AND UPON the Appellant having agreed to the Respondent’s proposed extension

AND UPON considering the letter dated 25 November 2022 from the solicitors for the Appellant informing the Tribunal that the parties have liaised, propose agreed draft directions and propose that the CMC be vacated

AND HAVING REGARD TO the Tribunal’s powers pursuant to Rule 19 of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Rules 2015 (the “Tribunal Rules”)

IT IS ORDERED BY CONSENT THAT:

Forum

1. Pursuant to Rule 18 of the Tribunal Rules the Appeal shall be treated as proceedings in England and Wales.

Hearings

2. The CMC shall be vacated.
3. The hearing of the Appeal shall be listed for 25-26 May 2023, with a time estimate of two days.

Timetable

4. The time for the Respondent to file and serve its Defence is extended to 4pm on 7 December 2022.
5. By 4pm on 27 January 2023, the Appellant shall file and serve any Reply to the Defence.
6. By 4pm on 3 May 2023, the Appellant shall file six hard copies (printed single sided) and an electronic copy of the trial bundle.
7. By 4pm on 10 May 2023, the Appellant shall file and serve its Skeleton Argument.
8. By 4pm on 17 May 2023, the Respondent shall file and serve its Skeleton Argument.
9. By 4pm on 19 May 2023, the Appellant shall file six hard copies (printed single sided) and an electronic copy of a joint bundle of authorities.

General

10. Costs reserved.
11. Liberty to apply.

The Hon Mr Justice Morris
Chair of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 1 December 2022
Drawn: 1 December 2022