



**IN THE COMPETITION
APPEAL TRIBUNAL**

Case: 1042/2/4/04

ALBION WATER LIMITED

Appellant

-v-

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF WATER SERVICES

Respondent

supported by

THAMES WATER UTILITIES LIMITED

Intervener

ORDER

UPON reading the written submissions of the parties

AND UPON hearing the legal representatives of the parties at a case management conference held on 11 February 2005

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The intervener file and serve a statement of intervention by 5pm on 11 March 2005.
2. The appellant file and serve a Reply by 5pm on 8 April 2005.
3. The registrar fix a date for the main hearing to commence in the weeks commencing 20 June 2005 or 27 June 2005.
4. The parties file and serve skeleton arguments for the hearing in accordance with the following timetable:

- a. The appellant, by 5pm on the date 3 weeks before the date fixed pursuant to paragraph 3 above;
 - b. The respondent, by 5pm on the date 2 weeks before the date fixed pursuant to paragraph 3 above; and
 - c. The intervener, by 5pm on the date 1 week before the date fixed pursuant to paragraph 3 above.
5. Costs be reserved.
 6. There be liberty to apply.

Sir Christopher Bellamy
President of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 11 February 2005
Drawn: 15 February 2005