



**IN THE COMPETITION
APPEAL TRIBUNAL**

Cases No: 1083/3/3/07
1085/3/3/07

B E T W E E N

HUTCHISON 3G UK LIMITED

-and-

BRITISH TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLC

Appellants / Interveners

-v-

OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

Respondent

-and-

TELEFÓNICA O2 UK LIMITED

T-MOBILE (UK) LIMITED

VODAFONE LIMITED

ORANGE PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES LIMITED

Interveners

ORDER

UPON the Tribunal having referred the specified price control matters raised in these appeals to the Competition Commission on 18 March 2008 (“the Reference”) and having directed the Competition Commission to determine the issues contained in the Reference by 31 October 2008

AND UPON the Competition Commission, by letter of 22 August 2008, explaining that the progress of its investigation has been delayed by the need to resolve issues between the parties as to the admissibility of certain submissions sought to be made

AND UPON the Competition Commission therefore requesting that the period for the determination of the Reference be extended to 9 January 2009

AND UPON none of the parties raising any objection to the Competition Commission's request for an extension

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The date by which the Competition Commission is directed to determine the issues contained in the Reference be extended to 9 January 2009.
2. There be permission to apply.

Vivien Rose
Chairman of the Competition Appeal Tribunal

Made: 15 September 2008
Drawn: 15 September 2008