

**MERGER NOTICE NO 21: 2025****THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF 76% OF THE ISSUED ORDINARY SHARE CAPITAL OF MEDLANE HOLDINGS (PTY) LTD BY ALCFI INVESTMENT III (PTY) LTD**

Pursuant to section 49(1) of the Competition Act 2018 ("the Act"), the Competition and Consumer Authority ("the Authority") has received a merger notification for the proposed acquisition of 76% of the issued Ordinary Share Capital and Claims of Medlane Holdings (Pty) Ltd ("Medlane Holdings" or the "Target Enterprise") by ALCFI Investment III (Pty) Ltd ("ALCFI Investment III" or the "Acquiring Enterprise").

The Acquiring Enterprise, ALCFI Investment III, is a private limited company incorporated in accordance with the Laws of the Republic of Botswana. ALCFI Investment III is a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) set up to invest in a local business on behalf of the Africa Lighthouse Capital Fund I Partnership ("ALCFI Partnership"). The Acquiring Enterprise is wholly controlled by Africa Lighthouse Capital Fund I (Pty) Ltd ("ALCFI") in its capacity as the General Partner of the ALCFI Partnership. Save for being a partner in ALCFI Partnership, ALCFI does not control any firms in Botswana. ALCFI is controlled by Bame Louis Lala Pule.

The Directors of ALCFI Investment III are Bame Louis Lala Pule and Wazha Lesley Thobani.

The Target Enterprise, Medlane Holdings, is a private company incorporated in accordance with the Laws of the Republic of Botswana. The Target Enterprise is controlled by Mr. Tyler John Lane, an adult male of full legal capacity. Medlane Holdings is a primary healthcare company offering comprehensive primary health and preventative health solutions. Medlane Holdings controls and operates through two subsidiaries namely: Day Hospital Botswana (Pty) Ltd, and Medlane Occupational Health (Pty) Ltd which provide medical services to the public in Botswana. The Target Enterprise also controls Medlane Healthcare which is a dormant company. The subsidiaries are all incorporated in accordance with the Laws of the Republic of Botswana.

The Directors of Medlane Holdings are Dennis Alexander, Tyler John Lane, and Warren John Lane.

According to section 50(3) of the Act, "any person, including a third party not a party to the proposed merger, may voluntarily submit to the investigator or the Authority any document, affidavit, statement or other relevant information in respect of a proposed merger." The Competition and Consumer Authority therefore seeks any stakeholder views for or against the proposed merger, which may be sent within 10 days from date of this publication to the following address:

Director, Mergers and Monopolies  
Competition and Consumer Authority  
Private Bag 00101  
Plot 28, Matsitama Road, Main Mall  
Gaborone  
Tel: +267 3934278 Fax: +267 3121013  
Email: [mergers@cca.co.bw](mailto:mergers@cca.co.bw)