

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**NOTICE 885 OF 2016****COMPETITION TRIBUNAL****NOTIFICATION OF DECISION TO APPROVE MERGER**

The Competition Tribunal gives notice in terms of rule 35(5)(b)(ii) of the “Rules for the conduct of proceedings in the Competition Tribunal” as published in Government Gazette No. 22025 of 01 February 2001, that on 23 November 2016 it approved the merger between Parento (Pty) Ltd and Edcon Limited subject to conditions.

(CDM case no.: LM117Sep16)

**The Chairperson
Competition Tribunal**