

IN THE COMPETITION APPEAL TRIBUNAL

Case No: 1527/7/7/22

BETWEEN:

ALEX NEILL CLASS REPRESENTATIVE LIMITED

Class Representative

- v -

(1) SONY INTERACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT EUROPE LIMITED (2) SONY INTERACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT NETWORK EUROPE LIMITED <u>Defendants</u>

ORDER (DIRECTIONS)

UPON the Tribunal's Order of 23 August 2024

AND UPON the parties having agreed to the following timetable to the case management conference ("**CMC**") to be held on 24 January 2025

AND UPON the Defendants agreeing to provide a substantive response to the Class Representatives's letter of 27 November 2024 by 4pm on 13 December 2024

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

Applications

1. By 4pm on 20 December 2024, if so advised, the parties shall file:

- (a) any application(s) they will ask the Tribunal to determine on the papers in advance of the CMC; and
- (b) any application(s) they will ask the Tribunal to determine at the CMC.
- 2. By 4pm on 9 January 2025, if so advised, the parties shall file any responses to any application(s) made pursuant to paragraph 1(b) above.

CMC Bundles

- 3. By 12pm on 17 January 2025, the parties shall agree the contents of the hearing bundle(s), including any Enhanced Confidentiality Ring Bundle, if required.
- 4. By 4pm on 17 January 2025, the parties shall file and exchange skeleton arguments.
- 5. By 4pm on 20 January 2025, if required, the parties shall agree the contents of the authorities bundle.
- By 4pm on 21 January 2025, the Class Representative shall file an electronic version of the agreed hearing bundle. The Defendants, if required, shall file an electronic version of any Enhanced Confidentiality Ring Bundle.
- 7. By 4pm on 21 January 2025, the Class Representative shall file an electronic version of the agreed authorities bundle.
- 8. Hard copy versions of electronic bundles, if requested by the Registry, are to be provided to the Tribunal as soon as possible following such a request being made.

Liberty to Apply

9. There be liberty to apply.

Costs

10. Costs in the case.

Ben Tidswell Chair of the Competition Appeal Tribunal Made: 16 December 2024 Drawn: 16 December 2024