

In the name of His Highness Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar

Neutral Citation: [2025] QIC (F) 60 IN THE QATAR FINANCIAL CENTRE CIVIL AND COMMERCIAL COURT FIRST INSTANCE CIRCUIT Date: 18 November 2025 **CASE NO: CTFIC0016/2025** D **Claimant** \mathbf{E} **Defendant JUDGMENT**

Before:

Justice Ali Malek KC

Justice Dr Georges Affaki

Justice James Allsop AC

This judgment was issued to the parties on 18 November 2025. This copy has been anonymised by the Court for publication.

Order

1. The Court directs that the appointment of a sole arbitrator under clause 6.4 of the Share Sale Agreement dated 30 May 2024 between the parties for the purpose of determining a dispute arising out of or relating to the said agreement, be undertaken and effected by the Registrar.

Judgment

- 1. We refer to our earlier judgments in this matter dated 26 August 2025 and 9 October 2025 ([2025] QIC (F) 38 and [2025] QIC (F) 49), in which we decided that this Court had the jurisdiction and authority to appoint an arbitrator to resolve the existing dispute between the parties arising from the Share Sale Agreement dated 30 May 2024, and that there had been no waiver of that clause by the Defendant.
- 2. In our orders in the judgment of 9 October, we gave the parties 21 days to agree upon the appointment of a sole arbitrator. In correspondence sent to the Court by the Defendant, it is apparent that there has been no such agreement. The Defendant now asks that the Court appoint an arbitrator under article 11 of Law No. 2 of 2017 Issuing the Law of Arbitration in Civil and Commercial Matters (the 'Arbitration Law').
- 3. In the circumstances, it is appropriate that the Court appoint a sole arbitrator under clause 6.4 of the Share Sale Agreement. It is appropriate for the Registrar to undertake the appointment process.
- 4. Therefore, the Court directs that the appointment of a sole arbitrator under clause 6.4 of the Share Sale Agreement be undertaken and effected by the Registrar.

By the Court,



[signed]
Justice James Allsop AC

A signed copy of this Judgment has been filed with the Registry.

Representation

The Claimant was represented by Mr Ahmed Bin Mohammed Al Thani of Qatar International Law Firm (Doha, Qatar).

The Defendant was represented by Mr Salah Al-Jalahma of the Salah Al Jalahma Law Firm (Doha, Qatar).