



# **Registration of a Charge**

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# CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF A CHARGE

Company number: 2682701

Charge code: 0268 2701 0005

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that a charge dated 1st November 2022 and created by VISION LOGISTICAL SOLUTIONS LIMITED was delivered pursuant to Chapter A1 Part 25 of the Companies Act 2006 on 3rd November 2022.

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# 1 NOVEMBER 2022

# VISION LOGISTICAL SOLUTIONS LIMITED

(as Chargor)

and

# OLDENBURGISCHE LANDESBANK AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

(as Security Agent)

DEBENTURE

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# **THIS DEED** is made on 1 November 2022

#### **BETWEEN**:

- (1) **VISION LOGISTICAL SOLUTIONS LIMITED**, a private limited company incorporated in England and Wales, having its registered office at Unit D1 Railway Triangle, Walton Road, Portsmouth, Hampshire, England, United Kingdom PO6 1TH and with registered number 02682701 (the "Chargor"); and
- (2) **OLDENBURGISCHE LANDESBANK AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT** as security trustee for itself and the other Secured Parties (the "Security Agent").

#### **IT IS AGREED AS FOLLOWS:**

#### 1. INTERPRETATION

#### 1.1 **Definitions**

In this Debenture:

"Business Day" has the meaning given to that term in the Senior Facilities Agreement;

"Charged Assets" means all the assets and undertakings of the Chargor which from time to time are subject of the Security created or expressed to be created in favour of the Security Agent by or pursuant to this Debenture;

"Event of Default" has the meaning given to that term in the Senior Facilities Agreement;

"Finance Documents" has the meaning given to that term in the Senior Facilities Agreement;

"Intercompany Receivables" means any and all present and future structural intercompany receivables held by the Chargor, other than receivables that are made as part of the Group's cash pooling system.

"Intercreditor Agreement" means the intercreditor agreement dated 5 November 2020 and made between, *inter alios*, SLS Special Logistics Services GmbH (now known as SLS Beteiligungs GmbH) as original subordinated creditor and original debtor, das Reisehaus Zulauf GmbH (now known as SLS Group GmbH) as the company and original debtor and Oldenburgische Landesbank Aktiengesellschaft in its separate capacities as security agent and facility agent, mandated lead arranger and original lender;

"Notice of Assignment" means a notice substantially the form set out in Schedule 1 (*Form of Notice of Assignment*) or in such other form as may be agreed by the Security Agent and the Chargor;

"Obligor" has the meaning given to that term in the Senior Facilities Agreement;

"Other Debts" means all present and future book debts and other debts and monetary claims owing to the Chargor;

"Parties" means each of the parties to this Debenture from time to time;

"Permitted Security" has the meaning given to that term in the Senior Facilities Agreement;

"**Property**" means all present and future freehold and leasehold property from time to time owned by the Chargor or in which the Chargor is otherwise interested and shall include:

- (a) the proceeds of sale of all or any part of such property;
- (b) all rights, benefits, privileges, warranties, covenants, easements, appurtenances and licences relating to such property;
- (c) all money received by or payable to the Chargor in respect of such property; and
- (d) all buildings, fixtures and fittings from time to time on such property;

"Receiver" means a receiver, receiver and manager or, where permitted by law, an administrative receiver and that term will include any appointee made under a joint or several appointment;

"Secured Obligations" has the meaning given to that term in the Intercreditor Agreement but shall not include any obligation which, if included, would result in this Debenture contravening section 678 or 679 of the Companies Act 2006;

"Secured Parties" has the meaning given to that term in the Intercreditor Agreement and each, a "Secured Party";

"Security" means a mortgage, charge, pledge or lien or other security interest securing any obligation of any person or any other agreement or arrangement having a similar effect;

"Senior Facilities Agreement" means the EUR 24,500,000 senior facilities agreement dated 5 November 2020 between, *inter alios*, SLS Special Logistics Services GmbH (now known as SLS Beteiligungs GmbH) as parent and original guarantor, das Reisehaus Zulauf GmbH (now known as SLS Group GmbH) as the company, original borrower and original guarantor, Ontime Courier GmbH as original borrower and original guarantor and Oldenburgische Landesbank Aktiengesellschaft in its separate capacities as mandated lead arranger, facility agent and security agent, as amended and restated by an amendment agreement dated 2 June 2021

"Trust Property" means:

- (a) the Security created or evidenced or expressed to be created or evidenced under or pursuant to any of the Finance Documents (being the "Transaction Security"), and expressed to be granted in favour of the Security Agent as trustee for the Secured Parties and all proceeds of that Transaction Security;
- (b) all obligations expressed to be undertaken by an Obligor to pay amounts in respect of its liabilities to the Security Agent as trustee for the Secured Parties and secured by the Transaction Security together with all representations and warranties expressed to be given by an Obligor in favour of the Security Agent as trustee for the Secured Parties;
- (c) the Security Agent's interest in any trust fund created pursuant to any turnover of receipt provisions in any Finance Documents; and
- (d) any other amounts or property, whether rights, entitlements, chooses in action or otherwise, actual or contingent, which the Security Agent is required by the terms of the Finance Documents to hold as trustee on trust for the Secured Parties.

# 1.2 Construction

In this Debenture, unless a contrary intention appears, a reference to:

(a) an "agreement" includes any legally binding arrangement, concession, contract, deed or franchise (in each case whether oral or written);

- (b) an "amendment" includes any amendment, supplement, variation, novation, modification, replacement or restatement and "amend", "amending" and "amended" shall be construed accordingly;
- (c) "assets" includes present and future properties, revenues and rights of every description;
- (d) "including" means including without limitation and "includes" and "included" shall be construed accordingly;
- (e) "losses" includes losses, actions, damages, claims, proceedings, costs, demands, expenses (including fees) and liabilities and "loss" shall be construed accordingly; and
- (f) a "person" includes any person, firm, company, corporation, government, state or agency of a state or any association, trust or partnership (whether or not having separate legal personality) or any two or more of the foregoing.

# 1.3 **Other References**

- (a) In this Debenture, unless a contrary intention appears, a reference to:
  - (i) any Finance Party, Secured Party, the Chargor or any other person is, where relevant, deemed to be a reference to or to include, as appropriate, that person's successors in title, permitted assignees and transferees and in the case of the Security Agent, any person for the time being appointed as Security Agent or Security Agents in accordance with the Finance Documents;
  - (ii) any Finance Document or other agreement or instrument is to be construed as a reference to that agreement or instrument as amended (howsoever fundamentally and whether or not such amendment results in new and/ or more onerous obligations and liabilities), including by way of a change in the purpose of the facilities, or by way of a refinancing, deferral or extension of the facilities or by way of an addition or increase of or other changes to the facilities or other obligations or liabilities under the agreements or accession or retirement of the parties to the agreements;
  - (iii) any clause or schedule is a reference to, respectively, a clause of and schedule to this Debenture and any reference to this Debenture includes its schedules; and
  - (iv) a provision of law is a reference to that provision as amended or re-enacted.
- (b) The index to and the headings in this Debenture are inserted for convenience only and are to be ignored in construing this Debenture.
- (c) Words importing the plural shall include the singular and vice versa.

#### 1.4 **Incorporation by reference**

Unless the context otherwise requires or unless otherwise defined in this Debenture, words and expressions defined in the Senior Facilities Agreement and the Intercreditor Agreement (as appropriate) have the same meanings when used in this Debenture.

## 1.5 Miscellaneous

- (a) A reference in this Debenture to any Charged Assets or other asset includes, unless the contrary intention appears, a reference to present and future Charged Assets and other assets.
- (b) The absence of or incomplete details of any Charged Assets in any Schedule shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any Security under this Debenture.
- (c) The terms of the documents under which the Secured Obligations arise and of any side letters between the Chargor and any Secured Party relating to the Secured Obligations are incorporated in this Debenture to the extent required for any purported disposition of the Charged Assets contained in this Debenture to be a valid disposition in accordance with section 2(1) of the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1989.
- (d) Subject to sub-paragraph (c) below, notwithstanding any other provision of this Debenture, in respect of any floating charge created by this Debenture, the obtaining of a moratorium under Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986, or anything done with a view to obtaining such a moratorium (including any preliminary decision or investigation), shall not be an event causing the floating charge created by this Debenture to crystallise or be an event causing restrictions which would not otherwise apply to be imposed on the disposal of property by the Chargor or be a ground for the appointment of a Receiver.
- (e) Sub-paragraph (b) above does not apply to any floating charges referred to in subsection (4) of section A52 of Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.
- (f) The Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 shall not apply to this Debenture and no rights or benefits expressly or impliedly conferred by this Debenture shall be enforceable under that Act against the Parties by any other person.
- (g) The Parties hereto intend that this document shall take effect as a deed notwithstanding that a Party may only execute this document under hand.

# 1.6 **Declaration of trust**

- (a) The Security Agent hereby accepts its appointment as agent and trustee by the Secured Parties and declares (the Chargor hereby acknowledges) that the Trust Property is held by the Security Agent as a trustee for and on behalf of the Secured Parties on the basis of the duties, obligations and responsibilities set out in the Senior Facilities Agreement and the Intercreditor Agreement.
- (b) Section 1 of the Trustee Act 2000 shall not apply to the duties of the Security Agent in relation to the trusts created by this Debenture or any other Finance Document. In performing its duties, obligations and responsibilities, the Security Agent shall be considered to be acting only in a mechanical and administrative capacity or as expressly provided in this Debenture and the other Finance Documents.
- (c) In acting as trustee for the Secured Parties under this Debenture, the Security Agent shall be regarded as acting through its trustee division which shall be treated as a separate entity from any other of its divisions or departments. Any information received by some other division or department of the Security Agent may be treated as confidential and shall not be regarded as having been given to the Security Agent's trustee division.

# 2. CHARGING PROVISIONS

#### 2.1 Specific Security

The Chargor, as continuing security for the payment of the Secured Obligations, charges in favour of the Security Agent with full title guarantee the following assets, both present and future, from time to time owned by it or in which it has an interest, by way of first fixed charge, all of its rights, title and interest from time to time in and to the Intercompany Receivables (other than any claims which are otherwise subject to a fixed charge or assignment (at law or in equity) pursuant to this Debenture).

# 2.2 Floating Charge

- (a) As further continuing security for the payment of the Secured Obligations, the Chargor charges with full title guarantee (subject to any Permitted Security) in favour of the Security Agent by way of first floating charge all its present and future assets, undertakings and rights.
- (b) Paragraph 14 of Schedule B1 to the Insolvency Act 1986 shall apply to the floating charge created by this Debenture.

# 2.3 **Conversion of Floating Charge**

- (a) The Security Agent may, by notice to the Chargor, convert the floating charge created under this Debenture into a fixed charge with immediate effect as regards those assets specified in the notice, if:
  - (i) an Event of Default which has occurred; or
  - (ii) the Security Agent (acting reasonably) is of the view that any asset charged under the floating charge created under this Debenture is in danger of being seized or sold under any form of distress, attachment, execution or other legal process or is otherwise in jeopardy; or
  - (iii) the Security Agent reasonably considers that it is necessary in order to protect the priority or enforceability of the Security created under this Debenture.
- (b) The floating charge created under this Debenture will automatically (without notice) and immediately be converted into a fixed charge over all the assets of the Chargor which are subject to the floating charge created under this Debenture, if:
  - (i) the members of the Chargor convene a meeting for the purposes of considering any resolution for its winding-up, dissolution, or a compromise, assignment or arrangement with its creditors generally;
  - (ii) the Chargor creates, or purports to create, Security (except any Permitted Security or otherwise as permitted by the Finance Documents or with the prior consent of the Security Agent) on or over any asset which is subject to the floating charge created under this Debenture;
  - (iii) any third party takes any step with a view to levying distress, attachment, execution or other legal process against any such asset;
  - (iv) any person (entitled to do so) gives notice of its intention to appoint an administrator to the Chargor or files such a notice with the court; or
  - (v) if any other floating charge created by the Chargor crystallises for any reason.

# 3. NOTICE OF SECURITY

- (a) The Chargor shall, with respect to any Intercompany Receivables, as soon as reasonably practicable upon the occurrence of an Event of Default, deliver (or procure the delivery of) a Notice of Assignment duly executed by it in relation to any Intercompany Receivable.
- (b) The Chargor shall use its reasonable endeavours to procure from each recipient of such Notice of Assignment an acknowledgement in the form set out therein within twenty Business Days of service of such Notice of Assignment. If the Chargor has used its reasonable endeavours but has not been able to obtain acknowledgement or acceptance, its obligation to obtain acknowledgement or acceptance shall cease on the expiry of that twenty Business Day period.

# 4. SECURITY AGENT'S POWER TO REMEDY

# 4.1 **Power to Remedy**

If the Chargor fails to comply with any obligation set out in Clause 3 (*Protection of Security*) and that failure is not remedied to the satisfaction of the Security Agent within ten (10) Business Days of the Security Agent giving notice to the Chargor or the Chargor becoming aware of the failure to comply, it will allow (and irrevocably authorises) the Security Agent (acting reasonably) or any person which the Security Agent nominates to take any action on behalf of the Chargor which is necessary to ensure that those obligations are complied with.

# 4.2 Indemnity

The Chargor will indemnify the Security Agent against all losses reasonably and properly incurred by the Security Agent as a result of a breach by the Chargor of its obligations under Clause 3 (*Protection of Security*) and in connection with the exercise by the Security Agent of its rights contained in Clause 4.1 above, except where such losses are incurred or suffered by the Security Agent as a result of its gross negligence or wilful default. All sums the subject of this indemnity will be payable by the Chargor to the Security Agent on demand.

# 5. CONTINUING SECURITY

# 5.1 Continuing Security

The Security constituted by this Debenture shall be a continuing security notwithstanding any intermediate payment or settlement of all or any part of the Secured Obligations or any other act, matter or thing.

# 5.2 Other Security

The Security constituted by this Debenture is to be in addition to and shall neither be merged in nor in any way exclude or prejudice or be affected by any other Security or other right which the Security Agent and/or any other Secured Party may now or after the date of this Debenture hold for any of the Secured Obligations, and this Security may be enforced against the Chargor without first having recourse to any other rights of the Security Agent or any other Secured Party.

# 6. ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY

# 6.1 Enforcement Powers

For the purpose of all rights and powers implied or granted by statute, the Secured Obligations are deemed to have fallen due on the date of this Debenture. The power of sale and other powers

conferred by section 101 of the Law of Property Act 1925 and all other enforcement powers conferred by this Debenture shall be immediately exercisable at any time after an Event of Default which has occurred.

# 6.2 **Statutory Powers**

The powers conferred on mortgagees, receivers or administrative receivers by the Law of Property Act 1925 and the Insolvency Act 1986 (as the case may be) shall apply to the Security created under this Debenture, unless they are expressly or impliedly excluded. If there is ambiguity or conflict between the powers contained in those Acts and those contained in this Debenture, those contained in this Debenture shall prevail.

#### 6.3 Exercise of Powers

All or any of the powers conferred upon mortgagees by the Law of Property Act 1925 as varied or extended by this Debenture, and all or any of the rights and powers conferred by this Debenture on a Receiver (whether expressly or impliedly), may be exercised by the Security Agent without further notice to the Chargor at any time after an Event of Default which has occurred, irrespective of whether the Security Agent has taken possession or appointed a Receiver of the Charged Assets.

#### 6.4 **Disapplication of Statutory Restrictions**

The restriction on the consolidation of mortgages and on power of sale imposed by sections 93 and 103 respectively of the Law of Property Act 1925 shall not apply to the Security constituted by this Debenture.

# 6.5 Appropriation under the Financial Collateral Regulations

- (a) To the extent that any of the Charged Assets constitutes "financial collateral" and this Debenture and the obligations of the Chargor hereunder constitute "security financial collateral arrangement" (in each case as defined in, and for the purposes of, the Financial Collateral Arrangements (No. 2) Regulations 2003 (as amended) (the "Regulations")), the Security Agent shall have the right to appropriate all or any part of such financial collateral in or towards discharge of the Secured Obligations and may exercise that right to appropriate by giving notice to the Chargor at any time after an Event of Default which has occurred.
- (b) The Parties agree that the value of any such appropriated financial collateral shall be: (i) in the case of securities, the price at which such securities can be disposed of by the Security Agent; and (ii) in the case of any other asset, the market value of such financial collateral as determined by the Security Agent, in each case, in a commercially reasonable manner (including by way of an independent valuation). The Parties agree that the methods of valuation provided for in this paragraph shall constitute commercially reasonable methods of valuation for the purposes of the Regulations.

#### 6.6 **Powers of Leasing**

The Security Agent may lease, make agreements for leases at a premium or otherwise, accept surrenders of leases and grant options or vary or reduce any sum payable under any leases or tenancy agreements as it thinks fit, without the need to comply with any of the provisions of sections 99 and 100 of the Law of Property Act 1925.

# 7. **RECEIVERS**

## 7.1 Appointment of Receiver

- (a) Subject to paragraph (c) below, at any time after an Event of Default which has occurred, or if so requested by the Chargor, the Security Agent may by writing under hand signed by any officer or manager of the Security Agent, appoint any person (or persons) to be a Receiver of all or any part of the Charged Assets.
- (b) Section 109(1) of the Law of Property Act 1925 shall not apply to this Debenture.
- (c) The Security Agent is not entitled to appoint a Receiver to the extent prohibited by section 72A of the Insolvency Act 1986. The Security Agent is also not entitled to appoint a Receiver solely as a result of the obtaining of a moratorium (or anything done with a view to obtaining a moratorium) under Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986, other than in respect of a floating charge referred to in sub-section (4) of section A52 of Part A1 of the Insolvency Act 1986.

# 7.2 **Powers of Receiver**

Each Receiver appointed under this Debenture shall have (subject to any limitations or restrictions which the Security Agent may incorporate in the deed or instrument appointing it) all the powers conferred from time to time on receivers by the Law of Property Act 1925 and the Insolvency Act 1986 (each of which is deemed incorporated in this Debenture), so that the powers set out in schedule 1 to the Insolvency Act 1986 shall extend to every Receiver, whether or not an administrative receiver. In addition, notwithstanding any liquidation of the Chargor, each Receiver shall have power to:

- (a) manage, develop, reconstruct, amalgamate or diversify any part of the business of the Chargor;
- (b) enter into or cancel any contracts on any terms or conditions;
- (c) incur any liability on any terms, whether secured or unsecured, and whether to rank for payment in priority to this security or not;
- (d) let or lease or concur in letting or leasing, and vary the terms of, determine, surrender leases or tenancies of, or grant options and licences over, or otherwise deal with, all or any of the Charged Assets, without being responsible for loss or damage;
- (e) establish subsidiaries to acquire interests in any of the Charged Assets and/or arrange for those subsidiaries to trade or cease to trade and acquire any of the Charged Assets on any terms and conditions;
- (f) make and effect all repairs, renewals and improvements to any of the Charged Assets and maintain, renew, take out or increase insurances;
- (g) redeem any prior Security on or relating to the Charged Assets and settle and pass the accounts of the person entitled to that prior Security, so that any accounts so settled and passed shall (subject to any manifest error) be conclusive and binding on the Chargor and the money so paid shall be deemed to be an expense properly incurred by the Receiver;
- (h) appoint and discharge officers and others for any of the purposes of this Debenture and/or to guard or protect the Charged Assets upon terms as to remuneration or otherwise as he may think fit;

- (i) settle any claims, accounts, disputes, questions and demands with or by any person who is or claims to be a creditor of the Chargor or relating to any of the Charged Assets;
- (j) implement or continue the development of (and obtain all consents required in connection therewith) and/or complete any buildings or structures on any real property comprised in the Charged Assets;
- (k) purchase or acquire any land or any interest in or right over land;
- (1) exercise on behalf of the Chargor all the powers conferred on a landlord or a tenant by any legislation from time to time in force in any relevant jurisdiction relating to rents or agriculture in respect of any part of the Property; and
- (m) do all other acts and things (including signing and executing all documents and deeds) as the Receiver considers to be incidental or conducive to any of the matters or powers in this Clause 7.2, or otherwise incidental or conducive to the preservation, improvement or realisation of the Charged Assets, and use the name of the Chargor for all such purposes,

and in each case may use the name of the Chargor and exercise the relevant power in any manner which he may think fit.

# 7.3 Receiver as Agent

Each Receiver shall be the agent of the Chargor, which shall be solely responsible for his acts or defaults, and for his remuneration and expenses, and be liable on any agreements or engagements made or entered into by him. The Security Agent will not be responsible for any misconduct, negligence or default of a Receiver.

#### 7.4 Removal of Receiver

The Security Agent may by notice remove from time to time any Receiver appointed by it (subject to the provisions of section 45 of the Insolvency Act 1986 in the case of an administrative receivership) and, whenever it may deem appropriate, appoint a new Receiver in the place of any Receiver whose appointment has terminated, for whatever reason.

#### 7.5 Remuneration of Receiver

The Security Agent may from time to time fix the remuneration of any Receiver appointed by it.

#### 7.6 Several Receivers

If at any time there is more than one Receiver, each Receiver may separately exercise all of the powers conferred by this Debenture (unless the document appointing such Receiver states otherwise).

# 8. APPLICATION OF PROCEEDS

#### 8.1 Order of Application

All monies received or recovered by the Security Agent or any Receiver pursuant to this Debenture shall (subject to the claims of any person having prior rights thereto) be applied in the order and manner specified by the Intercreditor Agreement notwithstanding any purported appropriation by the Chargor.

#### 8.2 Section 109 Law of Property Act 1925

Sections 109(6) and (8) of the Law of Property Act 1925 shall not apply to a Receiver appointed under this Debenture.

#### 8.3 Application against Secured Obligations

Subject to Clause 8.1 above, any monies or other value received or realised by the Security Agent from the Chargor or a Receiver under this Debenture may be applied by the Security Agent to any item of account or liability or transaction forming part of the Secured Obligations to which they may be applicable in any order or manner which the Security Agent may determine.

#### 8.4 Suspense Account

Until the Secured Obligations are paid in full, the Security Agent or the Receiver (as applicable) may place and keep (for such time as it shall determine) any money received, recovered or realised pursuant to this Debenture or on account of the Chargor's liability in respect of the Secured Obligations in an interest bearing separate suspense account (to the credit of either the Chargor or the Security Agent or the Receiver as the Security Agent or the Receiver shall think fit) and the Security Agent or the Receiver may retain the same for the period which it considers expedient (acting reasonably) without having any obligation to apply all or any part of that money in or towards discharge of the Secured Obligations.

# 9. PROTECTION OF SECURITY AGENT AND RECEIVER

#### 9.1 No Liability

Neither the Security Agent nor any Receiver shall be liable in respect of any of the Charged Assets or for any loss or damage which arises out of the exercise or the attempted or purported exercise of, or the failure to exercise any of, their respective powers, unless caused by its or his gross negligence, wilful default under the Finance Documents.

#### 9.2 **Possession of Charged Assets**

Without prejudice to Clause 9.1 above, if the Security Agent or the Receiver enters into possession of the Charged Assets, it will not be liable to account as mortgagee in possession and may at any time at its discretion go out of such possession.

# 9.3 **Primary security of Charged Assets**

The Charged Assets shall be deemed to be a principal security for the Secured Obligations. The charges contained in this Debenture shall not be impaired by any forbearance, neglect, indulgence, abandonment, extension of time, release, surrender or loss of securities, dealing, variation or arrangement by the Security Agent or any other Secured Party, or by any other act, event or matter whatsoever whereby the charges contained in this Debenture (as secondary or collateral charges only) would, but for this provision, have been discharged.

## 9.4 Waiver of defences

The obligations of the Chargor under this Debenture will not be affected by an act, omission, matter or thing which, but for this Debenture, would reduce, release or prejudice any of its obligations under this Debenture (without limitation and whether or not known to it or any Secured Party) including:

(a) any time, waiver or consent granted to, or composition with, any Obligor or other person;

- (b) the release of any other Obligor or any other person under the terms of any composition or arrangement with any creditor of any member of the Group;
- (c) the taking, variation, compromise, exchange, renewal or release of, or refusal or neglect to perfect, take up or enforce, any rights against, or security over assets of, any Obligor or other person or any non-presentation or non-observance of any formality or other requirement in respect of any instrument or any failure to realise the full value of any security;
- (d) any incapacity or lack of power, authority or legal personality of or dissolution or change in the members or status of an Obligor or any other person;
- (e) any amendment, novation, supplement, extension restatement (however fundamental and whether or not more onerous) or replacement of a Finance Document or any other document or security including, without limitation, any change in the purpose of, any extension of or increase in any facility or the addition of any new facility under any Finance Document or other document or security;
- (f) any unenforceability, illegality or invalidity of any obligation of any person under any Finance Document or any other document or security; or
- (g) any insolvency or similar proceedings.

# 9.5 Security Agent

The provisions set out in Clause 19 (*The Security Agent*) of the Intercreditor Agreement shall govern the rights, duties and obligations of the Security Agent under this Debenture.

#### 9.6 **Delegation**

The Security Agent may delegate by power of attorney or in any other manner all or any of the powers, authorities and discretions which are for the time being exercisable by it under this Debenture to any person or persons (a "Delegate") upon such terms and conditions (including the power to sub-delegate) as it may think fit. The Security Agent will not be liable or responsible to the Chargor or any other person for any losses arising from any act, default, omission or misconduct on the part of any Delegate, provided that such losses were not as a result of gross negligence by the Delegate or in wilful default of the provisions of this Debenture.

# 9.7 Cumulative Powers

The powers which this Debenture confers on the Security Agent, the other Secured Parties and any Receiver appointed under this Debenture are cumulative, without prejudice to their respective powers under the general law, and may be exercised as often as the relevant person thinks appropriate. The Security Agent, the other Secured Parties or the Receiver may, in connection with the exercise of their powers, join or concur with any person in any transaction, scheme or arrangement whatsoever. The respective powers of the Security Agent, the other Secured Parties and the Receiver will in no circumstances be suspended, waived or otherwise prejudiced by anything other than an express consent or amendment.

# **10. POWER OF ATTORNEY**

The Chargor, by way of security, irrevocably and severally appoints the Security Agent, each Receiver and any person nominated for the purpose by the Security Agent or any Receiver (in writing and signed by an officer of the Security Agent or Receiver) as its attorney (with full power of substitution and delegation) in its name and on its behalf and as its act and deed to:

- (a) following the occurrence of an Event of Default which has occurred; or
- (b) if the Chargor has failed to comply with a further assurance or perfection obligation within ten (10) Business Days of being notified of that failure and being requested to comply,

execute, seal and deliver (using the company seal where appropriate) and otherwise perfect and do any deed, assurance, agreement, instrument, act or thing which it ought to execute and do under the terms of this Debenture, or which may be required or deemed proper in the exercise of any rights or powers conferred on the Security Agent or any Receiver under this Debenture or otherwise for any of the purposes of this Debenture, and the Chargor covenants with the Security Agent and each Receiver to ratify and confirm all such lawful acts or things lawfully made, done or executed by that attorney, provided that such acts were not carried out by the attorney with gross negligence or in wilful default of the provisions of this Debenture.

#### 11. PROTECTION FOR THIRD PARTIES

#### 11.1 No Obligation to Enquire

No purchaser from, or other person dealing with, the Security Agent or any Receiver (or their agents) shall be obliged or concerned to enquire whether:

- (a) the right of the Security Agent or any Receiver to exercise any of the powers conferred by this Debenture has arisen or become exercisable or as to the propriety or validity of the exercise or purported exercise of any such power; or
- (b) any of the Secured Obligations remain outstanding and/or are due and payable or be concerned with notice to the contrary and the title and position of such a purchaser or other person shall not be impeachable by reference to any of those matters.

# 11.2 Receipt Conclusive

The receipt of the Security Agent or any Receiver shall be an absolute and a conclusive discharge to a purchaser, and shall relieve him of any obligation to see to the application of any monies paid to or by the direction of the Security Agent or any Receiver.

# **12.** REINSTATEMENT AND RELEASE

#### 12.1 Amounts Avoided

If any amount paid by the Chargor in respect of the Secured Obligations is capable of being avoided or set aside on the liquidation or administration of the Chargor or otherwise, then for the purposes of this Debenture that amount shall not be considered to have been paid.

#### 12.2 Discharge Conditional

Any settlement or discharge between the Chargor and any Secured Party shall be conditional upon no security or payment to that Secured Party by the Chargor or any other person being avoided, set aside, ordered to be refunded or reduced by virtue of any provision or enactment relating to insolvency and accordingly (but without limiting the other rights of that Secured Party under this Debenture) that Secured Party shall be entitled to recover from the Chargor the value which that Secured Party has placed on that security or the amount of any such payment as if that settlement or discharge had not occurred.

#### 12.3 Covenant to Release

Once all the Secured Obligations have been irrevocably paid in full and none of the Security Agent nor any Secured Party has any actual or contingent liability to advance further monies to, or incur liability on behalf of, the Chargor, the Security Agent and each Secured Party shall, at the request and cost of the Chargor, execute any documents (or procure that its nominees execute any documents) or take any action which may be necessary to release the Charged Assets from the Security constituted by this Debenture. On the release of any of the Charged Assets the Security Agent shall not be bound to return the identical securities which were deposited, lodged, held or transferred and the Chargor will accept securities of the same class and denomination or such other securities as shall then represent the Charged Assets being released.

# **13.** CURRENCY CLAUSES

#### 13.1 Conversion

All monies received or held by the Security Agent or any Receiver under this Debenture may be converted into any other currency which the Security Agent considers necessary to cover the obligations and liabilities comprised in the Secured Obligations in that other currency at the Security Agent's spot rate of exchange then prevailing for purchasing that other currency with the existing currency.

#### 13.2 No Discharge

No payment to the Security Agent (whether under any judgment or court order or otherwise) shall discharge the obligation or liability of the Chargor in respect of which it was made unless and until the Security Agent has received payment in full in the currency in which the obligation or liability is payable or, if the currency of payment is not specified, was incurred. To the extent that the amount of any such payment shall on actual conversion into that currency fall short of that obligation or liability expressed in that currency, the Security Agent shall have a further separate cause of action against the Chargor and shall be entitled to enforce the Security constituted by this Debenture to recover the amount of the shortfall.

# 14. RULING OFF

If the Security Agent or any other Secured Party receives notice of any subsequent Security or other interest affecting any of the Charged Assets (except as permitted by the Senior Facilities Agreement) it may open a new account for the Chargor in its books. If it does not do so then (unless it gives express notice to the contrary to the Chargor), as from the time it receives that notice, all payments made by the Chargor to it (in the absence of any express appropriation to the contrary) shall be treated as having been credited to a new account of the Chargor and not as having been applied in reduction of the Secured Obligations.

# **15. REDEMPTION OF PRIOR CHARGES**

The Security Agent may, at any time after an Event of Default which has occurred, redeem any prior Security on or relating to any of the Charged Assets or procure the transfer of that Security to itself, and may settle and pass the accounts of any person entitled to that prior Security. Any account so settled and passed shall (subject to any manifest error) be conclusive and binding on the Chargor. The Chargor will on demand pay to the Security Agent all principal monies and interest and all losses incidental to any such redemption or transfer reasonably incurred by the Security Agent.

#### 16. CHANGES TO PARTIES

#### 16.1 Assignment by the Security Agent

The Security Agent may at any time assign or otherwise transfer all or any part of its rights under this Debenture in accordance with the Intercreditor Agreement.

# 16.2 **Changes to Parties**

The Chargor authorises and agrees to changes to parties under Clause 27 (*Changes to the Lenders*) of the Senior Facilities Agreement and authorises the Security Agent to execute on its behalf any document required to effect the necessary transfer of rights or obligations contemplated by those provisions.

#### 17. MISCELLANEOUS

#### 17.1 Counterparts

This Debenture may be executed in any number of counterparts, and this has the same effect as if the signatures on the counterparts were on a single copy of this Debenture.

#### 17.2 Invalidity of any Provision

If any provision of this Debenture is or becomes invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect under any law, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not be affected or impaired in any way.

# 17.3 Failure to Execute

Failure by one or more parties ("Non-Signatories") to execute this Debenture on the date hereof will not invalidate the provisions of this Debenture as between the other Parties who do execute this Debenture. Such Non-Signatories may execute this Debenture on a subsequent date and will thereupon become bound by its provisions.

#### **18.** GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION

- (a) This Debenture and any non-contractual claims arising out of or in connection with it shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law.
- (b) The Parties agree that the courts of England shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Debenture, whether contractual or non-contractual (including a dispute regarding the existence, validity or termination of this Debenture) (a "Dispute"). The Parties agree that the courts of England are the most appropriate and convenient courts to settle Disputes and accordingly no party will argue to the contrary.

IN WITNESS whereof this Debenture has been duly executed as a deed and is delivered on the date first above written.

# Schedule 1

# Form of Notice of Assignment

To: [insert name and address of counterparty]

Dated: [•]

Dear Sirs

# Re: [here identify the relevant Intercompany Receivable (the "Agreement")

We notify you that Vision Logistical Solutions Limited (the "Chargor") has charged in favour of]/[assigned to] Oldenburgische Landesbank Aktiengesellschaft (the "Security Agent") for the benefit of itself and certain other banks and financial institutions (the "Secured Parties") all its right, title and interest in the Agreement as security for certain obligations owed by the Chargor to the Secured Parties by way of a debenture dated [ $\bullet$ ] 2022.

We further notify you that:

- 1. the Chargor ceases to have any right to deal with you in relation to the Agreement and therefore you should deal only with the Security Agent;
- 2. you are authorised to disclose information in relation to the Agreement to the Security Agent on request;
- 3. you must pay all monies to which the Chargor is entitled under the Agreement direct to the Security Agent (and not to the Chargor) unless the Security Agent otherwise agrees in writing; and
- 4. the provisions of this notice may only be revoked with the written consent of the Security Agent.

Please sign and return the enclosed copy of this notice to the Security Agent (with a copy to the Chargor) by way of confirmation that:

- (a) you agree to the terms set out in this notice and to act in accordance with its provisions;
- (b) you have not received notice that the Chargor has assigned its rights under the agreement to a third party or created any other interest (whether by way of security or otherwise) in the agreement in favour of a third party; and
- (c) you have not claimed or exercised, nor do you have any outstanding right to claim or exercise against the Chargor any right of set-off, counter-claim or other right relating to the Agreement.

The provisions of this notice are governed by English law.

Yours faithfully

for and on behalf of Vision Logistical Solutions Limited [On acknowledgement copy]

To: Oldenburgische Landesbank Aktiengesellschaft, Wachtstr. 16, 28195 Bremen, Germany
Copy to: Vision Logistical Solutions Limited, United D1 Railway Triangle, Walton Road,
Portsmouth, Hampshire, ENgland, PO6 1TH

We acknowledge receipt of the above notice and confirm the matters set out in paragraphs (a) to (c) above.

for and on behalf of [insert name of Counterparty]

Dated:

#### SIGNATORIES TO DEBENTURE

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#### THE CHARGOR

# **EXECUTED** as a **DEED** by **VISION LOGISTICAL SOLUTIONS LIMITED** in the presence of (if applicable):

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# THE SECURITY AGENT

# EXECUTED by

OLDENBURGISCHE LANDESBANK AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT acting by:

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Name: Dr. Thorsten Hoppe Title: Prokurist

Name: Henrike Habermeyer Title: Handlungsbevollmachtigte