

**BRIGHTSOLID GROUP LIMITED/FRIENDS REUNITED HOLDINGS LIMITED
MERGER INQUIRY**

Administrative timetable*

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2 November 2009	Merger reference made
November December 2009	Gathering information, issuing questionnaires, hearing third parties
Early December 2009	Publication of statement of issues
January 2010	Main party hearings
January-February 2010	Verifying information, considering provisional findings
1 February 2010	Deadline for all parties' responses/submissions required before provisional findings
Mid-February 2010	Notification of provisional findings; consideration of possible remedies (if required)
Late February – early March 2010	Remedies hearings (if required)
Early-mid March 2010	Publication of final report if no SLC found
5 March 2010	Final deadline for all parties' responses/submissions
Late March-early April 2010	Publication of final report if SLC found
16 April 2010	Statutory deadline