



## MERGER ANNOUNCEMENT - M/15/050

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### Competition and Consumer Protection Commission clears proposed acquisition by Greatbatch of Lake Region Medical

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The Competition and Consumer Protection Commission has today cleared the proposed transaction whereby Greatbatch, Inc. would acquire sole control of Lake Region Medical Holdings, Inc. The proposed transaction was notified under the Competition Act 2002, as amended, on 11 September 2015.

The Commission has formed the view that the proposed transaction will not substantially lessen competition in any market for goods or services in the State. The Commission will publish the reasons for its determination on its website no later than 60 working days after the date of the Determination and after allowing the parties the opportunity to request that confidential information be removed from the published version.

#### **Additional Information**

Greatbatch, Inc. is a medical technology company listed on the New York Stock Exchange. Amongst its products are cardiac, neuro, vascular, orthopaedic and portable medical, energy, military and environmental products and components.

Lake Region Medical Holdings, Inc., formerly Accellent Inc, mainly provides contract manufacturing and research and development services to medical device makers, specialising in the cardio & vascular and advanced surgical markets.