

# TAKEOVER APPEAL BOARD

## **APPOINTMENT OF TAKEOVER APPEAL BOARD DEPUTY CHAIRMAN**

The Master of the Rolls has appointed Lord Collins of Mapesbury LLD, FBA, to serve as a Deputy Chairman of the Takeover Appeal Board with immediate effect.

21 January 2013

Note for Editors

Lord Collins of Mapesbury LLD, FBA, was appointed a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary in 2009 and served as a Justice of the Supreme Court between 2009 and 2011.

Between 1971 and 2000 he was a partner in Herbert Smith & Co. In 2000 he was the first solicitor to be appointed to the High Court bench (Chancery Division) direct from private practice, and in 2007 the first former solicitor to be appointed to the Court of Appeal. He retired in May 2011 but sat regularly until the end of July 2011 as an Acting Justice.