Mediclinic International plc

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

24 May 2023

RECOMMENDED CASH ACQUISITION

of

**Mediclinic International plc** 

by

Manta Bidco Limited

(a newly formed company owned by joint offerors: (i) Remgro Limited ("Remgro") (through the Relevant Remgro Subsidiaries); and (ii) SAS Shipping Agencies Services S.à r.l. ("SAS"), a wholly owned subsidiary of MSC Mediterranean Shipping Company SA ("MSC")) to be effected by means of a Scheme of Arrangement under Part 26 of the Companies Act 2006

## **Publication Of Consideration Currency Exchange Rate**

On 4 August 2022, the boards of directors of Mediclinic International plc ("Mediclinic" or the "Company") (excluding the Remgro representative), Manta Bidco Limited ("Bidco"), Remgro and SAS announced that they had reached agreement on the terms of a recommended cash offer by Bidco for the entire issued and to be issued share capital of Mediclinic (the "Acquisition"), other than the Mediclinic Shares already owned by the Relevant Remgro Subsidiaries, to be implemented by way of a court sanctioned scheme of arrangement under Part 26 of the Companies Act (the "Scheme"). The circular in relation to the Scheme (the "Scheme Document") was published and posted to Mediclinic Shareholders on 30 August 2022.

Capitalised terms used but not defined in this announcement (the "**Announcement**") have the meanings given to them in the Scheme Document. All references to times in this Announcement are to London times unless otherwise stated.

Mediclinic announced the satisfaction of Conditions relating to merger control and other regulatory approvals, and an updated expected timetable of principal events, on 16 May 2023. The Scheme

remains subject to certain other conditions, including sanction by the Court at the Scheme Court Hearing (expected to take place later today) and the delivery of a copy of the Court Order to the Registrar of Companies.

## Consideration Currency Exchange Rate

It was disclosed in the Scheme Document that Scheme Shareholders registered on the South African Register (including, for this purpose, Underlying SA or Namibian Shareholders) will receive the Consideration payable to them under the Scheme in South African rand converted at the GBP/ZAR Exchange Rate. The GBP/ZAR Exchange Rate is ZAR 23.7735 for each GBP 1.00. Accordingly, the Consideration payable under the Scheme to such Scheme Shareholders of 501 pence per Scheme Share will be equal to ZAR 119.105235 per Scheme Share (subject to the sanctioning of the Scheme by the Court).

## Update on timetable of principal events

In the 16 May 2023 announcement entitled "Satisfaction of Regulatory Conditions and Scheme Timetable", Mediclinic noted that it is required by the JSE to issue the announcement relating to the sanction of the Scheme by the Court at the Scheme Court Hearing before 3.00 p.m. SAST (2.00 p.m. London time) on 24 May 2023 in order for the Effective Date to be 25 May 2023. If the announcement is not issued by this time, the JSE requires the Effective Date to be on 26 May 2023, being one business day later than specified in the expected timetable of principal events in the 16 May 2023 announcement. This would result in corresponding changes to the date of each principal event on or after the date of the Scheme Court Hearing (other than the date of the Scheme Court Hearing and the date of the Finalisation Announcement and Currency Exchange Announcement) compared to the indicative dates set out in the 16 May 2023 announcement.

Mediclinic has since received confirmation that the Scheme Court Hearing will commence at 2.00 p.m. London time (3.00 p.m. SAST) today. Accordingly, the announcement relating to the sanction of the Scheme by the Court at the Scheme Court Hearing will not be issued before 3.00 p.m. SAST (2.00 p.m. London time) today. This announcement will include an updated timetable of principal events.

Full details of the Acquisition are set out in the Scheme Document.

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This Announcement does not constitute a prospectus or prospectus-equivalent document.

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## **Overseas Shareholders**

This Announcement has been prepared for the purposes of complying with English law, the Takeover Code, the Market Abuse Regulation, the Disclosure Guidance and Transparency Rules, the Listing Rules, the Financial Markets Act and the Corporate Actions timelines as prescribed in terms of the JSE Listings Requirements, and the information disclosed may not be the same as that which would have been disclosed if this Announcement had been prepared in accordance with the laws of jurisdictions outside England or South Africa.

The availability of the Acquisition to Mediclinic Shareholders who are not resident in and citizens of the United Kingdom, South Africa or Namibia may be affected by the laws of the relevant jurisdictions in which they are located or of which they are citizens. Persons who are not resident in the United Kingdom, South Africa or Namibia should inform themselves of, and observe, any applicable legal or regulatory requirements of their jurisdictions. In particular, the ability of persons who are not resident in the United Kingdom, South Africa or Namibia to vote their Scheme Shares with respect to the Scheme at the Court Meeting, or to appoint another person as proxy to vote at the Court Meeting on their behalf, may be affected by the laws of the relevant jurisdictions in which they are located. Any failure to comply with the applicable restrictions may constitute a violation of the securities laws of any such jurisdiction. To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the companies and persons involved in the Acquisition disclaim any responsibility or liability for the violation of such restrictions by any person.

Unless otherwise determined by Bidco or required by the Takeover Code, and permitted by applicable law and regulation, the Acquisition will not be made available, directly or indirectly, in, into or from a Restricted Jurisdiction where to do so would violate the laws in that jurisdiction and no person may vote in favour of the Scheme by any such use, means, or instrumentality or from within a Restricted Jurisdiction or any other jurisdiction if to do so would constitute a violation of the laws of that jurisdiction. Copies of this Announcement and any formal documentation relating to the Acquisition are not being, and must not be, directly or indirectly, mailed or otherwise forwarded, distributed or sent in or into or from any Restricted Jurisdiction and persons receiving such documents (including custodians, nominees and trustees) must not mail or otherwise forward, distribute or send it in or into or from any Restricted Jurisdiction. Doing so may render invalid any related purported vote in respect of the Acquisition. If the Acquisition is implemented (with the consent of the Panel and subject to and in accordance with the terms of the Co-operation Agreement) by way of a Takeover Offer (unless otherwise permitted by applicable law and regulation), the Takeover Offer may not be made directly or indirectly, in or into, or by the use of mails or any means or instrumentality (including, but not limited to, facsimile, e-mail or other electronic transmission, telex or telephone) of interstate or foreign commerce of, or of any facility of a national, state or other securities exchange of any Restricted Jurisdiction and the Takeover Offer may not be capable of acceptance by any such use, means, instrumentality or facilities.

The Acquisition shall be subject to, among other things, the applicable requirements of the Takeover Code, the Panel, the London Stock Exchange, the FCA, the JSE and the NSX.

The information contained in this Announcement constitutes factual information as contemplated in section 1(3)(a) of the FAIS Act and should not be construed as express or implied advice, a recommendation, guide or proposal that any particular transaction in respect of the Acquisition is appropriate to the particular investment objectives, financial situations or needs of a shareholder or offeree, and nothing in this Announcement should be construed as constituting the canvassing for, or marketing or advertising of, financial services in South Africa. Neither Mediclinic nor Bidco are financial services providers licensed as such under the FAIS Act.

Nothing in this Announcement should be viewed, or construed, as "advice", as that term is used in the Financial Markets Act.

## Additional information for US investors

The Acquisition relates to shares in a UK company and is proposed to be effected by means of a scheme of arrangement under English law. US Mediclinic Shareholders should note that the Scheme relates to the shares of a UK company and will be governed by English law. Neither the proxy solicitation rules nor the tender offer rules under the US Exchange Act will apply to the Acquisition or the Scheme. Moreover, the Acquisition and the Scheme are subject to the

disclosure requirements and practices applicable in England to schemes of arrangement, which differ from the disclosure requirements of the proxy solicitation rules and tender offer rules under the US Exchange Act.

The financial information included in this Announcement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards applicable in the United Kingdom and may not be comparable to financial information of US companies or companies whose financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the US.

However, if, in the future, Bidco were to elect (with the consent of the Panel and subject to and in accordance with the terms of the Co-operation Agreement) to implement the Acquisition by means of a Takeover Offer and determines to extend such Takeover Offer into the US, such Takeover Offer would be made in compliance with all applicable US laws and regulations, including Section 14(e) of the US Exchange Act and Regulation 14E thereunder. Such a Takeover Offer would be made in the US by Bidco and no one else.

Neither the SEC nor any securities commission of any state of the US nor any other US regulatory authority has approved the Acquisition, passed upon the fairness of the Acquisition or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of this Announcement. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offence in the US.

In accordance with the Takeover Code and normal UK practice, and pursuant to Rule 14e-5(b) of the US Exchange Act (if applicable), (a) Bidco or its nominees, or its brokers (acting as agents), may from time to time make certain purchases of, or arrangements to purchase, shares or other securities of Mediclinic outside of the US, other than pursuant to the Acquisition, until the date on which the Acquisition and/or Scheme becomes Effective, lapses or is otherwise withdrawn; and (b) Morgan Stanley, UBS and Standard Bank and their affiliates will continue to act as exempt principal traders in Mediclinic securities under the Takeover Code. If purchases or arrangements to purchase were to be made as contemplated by clause (a) of this paragraph, they would occur either in the open market at prevailing prices or in private transactions at negotiated prices, and comply with applicable law, including the US Exchange Act. Any information about such purchases or arrangements to purchase would be disclosed as required in the UK, would be reported to a Regulatory Information Service and would be made available on the London Stock Exchange website at www.londonstockexchange.com. Purchases contemplated by clause (b) of this paragraph that are required to be made public in the United Kingdom pursuant to the Takeover Code would be reported to a Regulatory Information Service and would be made available on the London Stock Exchange website at www.londonstockexchange.com.

The receipt of the cash Consideration by a US Mediclinic Shareholder for the transfer of its Mediclinic Shares pursuant to the Acquisition will likely be a taxable transaction for US federal income tax purposes and may also be a taxable transaction under applicable state and local tax laws in the US, as well as foreign and other tax laws. Each US Mediclinic Shareholder is urged to consult their independent professional tax adviser immediately regarding the tax consequences of the Acquisition applicable to them, including under applicable US state and local, as well as overseas and other, tax laws.

It may be difficult for US Mediclinic Shareholders to enforce their rights and any claim arising out of US federal securities laws, since Mediclinic and Bidco are each located in a non-US jurisdiction, and some or all of its officers and directors may be residents of non-US jurisdictions. US Mediclinic Shareholders may not be able to sue a non-US company or its officers or directors in a non-US court for violations of US securities laws. Further, it may be difficult to compel a non-US company and its affiliates to subject themselves to a US court's judgement.

## Forward Looking Statements

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