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THIS ANNOUNCEMENT CONTAINS INSIDE INFORMATION.

3 August 2026

easyJet plc

Extension of Castlelake PUSU Deadline

On 10 July 2026, the Board of easyJet plc ("easyJet" or the "Company") and Apollo Management X, L.P. (together with Apollo Global Management, Inc. and its subsidiaries, "Apollo"), on behalf of certain of its managed investment funds, announced that they had reached an agreement in principle on the key financial terms of a possible cash offer to acquire the entire issued and to be issued share capital of easyJet for £7.15 per share.

Accordingly, the easyJet Board also announced that it was no longer minded to recommend the possible offer from Castlelake, L.P. ("Castlelake") to acquire the entire issued and to be issued share capital of easyJet for £6.90 per share.

Since then, easyJet has been providing diligence access to both Apollo and Castlelake.

In accordance with Rule 2.6(a) of the Code, each of Castlelake and Apollo are required, by not later than 5.00 pm on 3 August 2026 (the "Castlelake PUSU Deadline") and 7 August 2026 (the "Apollo PUSU Deadline"), respectively, either to announce a firm intention to make an offer for easyJet in accordance with Rule 2.7 of the Code or to announce that they do not intend to make an offer for easyJet, in which case the announcement will be treated as a statement to which Rule 2.8 of the Code applies.

To align the Castlelake PUSU Deadline and the Apollo PUSU Deadline, the Board has requested, and the Panel on Takeovers and Mergers has consented to, an extension of the Castlelake PUSU Deadline to 7 August 2026. Consequently, each of Castlelake and Apollo are required, by not later than 5.00 pm on Friday, 7 August 2026 to announce a firm intention to make an offer for easyJet in accordance with Rule 2.7 of the Code or to announce that they do not intend to make an offer for easyJet, in which case the announcement will be treated as a statement to which Rule 2.8 of the Code applies.

There can be no certainty that any firm offer will be made.

Shareholders are advised to take no action at this time.

This announcement was made without Apollo or Castlelake's consent.

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