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## **Brambles**

31 October 2019

The Manager - Listings Australian Securities Exchange Limited Exchange Centre 20 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000

Via electronic lodgement

Dear Sir/Madam

BRAMBLES APPOINTS JOHN MULLEN AS A NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND CHAIRMAN ELECT

Please see the attached announcement relating to the above.

Yours faithfully Brambles Limited

Robert Gerrard Company Secretary



## Brambles appoints John Mullen as a Non-Executive Director and Chairman Elect

Brambles Limited is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr John Mullen as a Non-Executive Director and Chairman Elect. Mr Mullen will join the Board with effect from 1 November 2019 and will succeed Mr Stephen Johns as Chairman of Brambles upon Mr Johns' retirement in 2020.

Mr Johns said: "Following a rigorous and extensive search process, we are delighted that Mr Mullen has accepted our offer to join the Board and be my successor. His extensive experience, both internationally with DHL and locally with Asciano and TNT, and his Chairmanship of Telstra ensures he is ideally placed to help lead the company. Mr Mullen's prior experience as a Non-Executive Director of Brambles also uniquely positions him for this role."

Commenting on his appointment, Mr Mullen said: "I am pleased to be joining the Brambles Board as Chairman Elect. Brambles is an iconic Australian company with a rich history and an enviable record as a highly successful global company. Through its CHEP business, the company is a clear leader in supply chain logistics. Brambles has a great future and I am looking forward to being a part of the next phase of its development".

Mr Johns, who has been Chairman of Brambles since 2014, had previously announced his intention to retire in 2020. Following an appropriate handover period, Mr Mullen will assume the role of Chairman prior to the 2020 AGM.

Mr Mullen is currently Chairman of Telstra, a Director of Brookfield Infrastructure Partners LP and holds the role of Chairman of the unlisted entity, Toll Group. Mr Mullen will be stepping down from a number of other board positions to take up the Brambles Chairman role and will be a director of only two listed entities being Telstra and Brambles from 2020.

## **Biography of John Mullen**

Professional Career			
2011 – 2016	Asciano	Chief Executive Officer	
1994 – 2009	DHL Express	Chief Executive Officer (2006 – 2009) Senior management roles including CEO Asia Pacific and CEO USA (1994 – 2006)	
1984 – 1994	TNT	Chief Executive Officer TNT Express Worldwide (1991 – 1994) Various senior management roles TNT Ltd (1984 – 1990)	

Board Memberships				
2008 to current	Telstra	Non-Executive Director and Chairman since 2016		
2017 to current	Brookfield Infrastructure Partners LP	Director		
2016 to current	Toll Group (Private Co - Unlisted)	Chairman		
Previous	Brambles (2009 - 2011)	Director		
Directorships	Deutsche Post World Net	Main Board Director		
	Asciano Ltd.	Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer		
	Macquarie Airports Corporation	Director		
	Embarq LLC (USA)	Director		
	Securicor Omega Holdings (UK)	Member of Supervisory Board		
	Transportes Guipuzcoana (Spain)	Deputy Chairman		
	Ducros Services Rapides (France)	Director		



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