Non-opposition to a notified concentration

(Case No IV/M.826 — ESPN/STAR)

(96/C 368/04)

(Text with EEA relevance)

On 11 November 1996, the Commission decided not to oppose the above notified concentration and to declare it compatible with the common market. This decision is based on Article 6 (1) (b) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89. The full text of the decision is available only in English and will be made public after it is cleared of any business secrets it may contain. It will be available:

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Notice concerning anti-dumping measures in force in respect of certain magnetic disks (3,5" microdisks) originating in the United States: modification of the name of a company with individual anti-dumping duty rate

(96/C 368/05)

The Commission has been informed by the American exporter 3M, Minneapolis, that the company has split its operation and transferred the production and sales of 3,5" microdisks to the newly founded company Imation Corp., Oakdale (MN).

With a view to avoiding that such circumstances affect the level of the individual anti-dumping duty imposed by Council Regulation (EC) No 663/96 (¹) on imports of 3,5" microdisks from 3M, the latter company has requested that the duty should now be applied to the new company Imation Corp., Oakdale (MN).

The Commission has examined the information supplied which satisfactorily demonstrates that all the sales and production facilities of 3M have been transferred to the newly founded company Imation Corp.

Since all the activities linked to the production and sales of 3,5" microdisks by 3M which had an effect on the calculation of the anti-dumping measure in force, had been transferred to Imation Corp., the split of the company in no way affects these calculations. Consequently, the duty established for 3M should be applied to the newly founded company.

Therefore, references to 3M in Article 1 (3) of Regulation (EC) No 663/96 should in future be read as concerning Imation Corp.

The Taric additional code 8853 previously attributed to 3M is applicable to Imation Corp., Oakdale (MN) from 1 July 1996.

^{(&}lt;sup>1</sup>) OJ No L 92, 13. 4. 1996, p. 1.