

Prior notification of a concentration**(Case No IV/M.585 — VAI/Davy)**

(95/C 146/04)

(Text with EEA relevance)

1. On 7 June 1995, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89 ⁽¹⁾ by which the undertakings Voest Alpine Industrieranlagenbau GmbH (VAI), controlled by VA Technologie AG (VATech), and Davy International Limited (Davy), controlled by Trafalgar House plc acquire within the meaning of Article 3 (1) (b) of Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89 joint control of Conroll Technology GmbH (Conroll), a newly created company constituting a joint venture.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- VAI: provider of turnkey plants, engineering and contracting services for the iron and steel industry,
- VATech: holding company, active as a systems supplier for large-scale industrial plants (metallurgical technology, energy),
- Davy: provider of engineering and contracting services for the iron and steel industry and for environmental projects,
- Trafalgar House: engineering and construction, commercial and residential property, passenger shipping and hotels.
- Conroll: provider of engineering services for hot connect systems for steel production plants.

3. Upon preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified concentration could fall within the scope of Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89. However, the final decision on this point is reserved.

4. The Commission invites interested third parties to submit their possible observations on the proposed operation to the Commission.

Observations must reach the Commission not later than 10 days following the date of this publication. Observations can be sent to the Commission by fax (fax No (32 2) 296 43 01) or by post, under reference number IV/M.585 — VAI/Davy, to the following address:

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Directorate-General for Competition (DG IV),
Merger Task Force,
Avenue de Cortenberg/Kortenberglaan 150,
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⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 395, 30. 12. 1989. Corrigendum: OJ No L 257, 21. 9. 1990, p. 13.