

Prior notification of a concentration**(Case COMP/M.2832 — General Motors/Daewoo Motors)**

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(Text with EEA relevance)

1. On 20 June 2002 the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89 ⁽¹⁾, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1310/97 ⁽²⁾, by which the undertaking General Motors Corporation (GM, US) acquires, within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Regulation, control of parts of the undertaking Daewoo Motor Company Ltd (Daewoo, Korea), by way of purchase of assets through a newly created company.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - GM: Design, manufacture, marketing and supply of automotive vehicles, and interests in telecommunications, aerospace and defence, financial and insurance services, locomotives, automotive systems and heavy-duty automatic transmissions,
 - Daewoo: Design, manufacture, marketing and supply of automotive vehicles.
3. On 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.

Observations must reach the Commission not later than 10 days following the date of this publication. Observations can be sent by fax (No (32-2) 296 43 01 or 296 72 44) or by post, under reference COMP/M.2832 — General Motors/Daewoo Motors, to:

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Directorate-General for Competition,
Directorate B — Merger Task Force,
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⁽¹⁾ OJ L 395, 30.12.1989, p. 1; corrigendum: OJ L 257, 21.9.1990, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 180, 9.7.1997, p. 1; corrigendum: OJ L 40, 13.2.1998, p. 17.