

**Prior notification of a concentration**  
**(Case M.11179 - BRIDGEPOINT / WINDAR)**  
**Candidate case for simplified procedure**

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2023/C 317/10)

1. On 30 August 2023, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>.

This notification concerns the following undertakings:

- Global Dromen, S.L. (Spain), an entity ultimately and indirectly controlled by Bridgepoint Group plc ('Bridgepoint', United Kingdom)
- Windar Renovables, S.A.2 and its subsidiaries ('Windar', Spain)

Bridgepoint will acquire within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation sole control of the whole of Windar.

The concentration is accomplished by way of purchase of shares.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are the following:

- BRIDGEPOINT is active in private asset growth investing across private equity and private debt, focusing on middle market businesses across four verticals: (i) Advanced Industrials, (ii) Business & Financial Services, (iii) Consumer and (iv) Healthcare, with Technology as a horizontal.
- WINDAR is headquartered in Spain and manufactures wind towers and offshore foundations for wind turbines.

3. On preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified transaction could fall within the scope of the Merger Regulation. However, the final decision on this point is reserved.

Pursuant to the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 <sup>(2)</sup> it should be noted that this case is a candidate for treatment under the procedure set out in the Notice.

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. The following reference should always be specified:

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Observations can be sent to the Commission by email or by post. Please use the contact details below:

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'Merger Regulation').

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ C 366, 14.12.2013, p. 5.

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