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II

*(Information)*INFORMATION FROM EUROPEAN UNION INSTITUTIONS, BODIES, OFFICES
AND AGENCIES

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Non-opposition to a notified concentration**(Case COMP/M.6451 — Schneider Electric France/Bouygues Immobilier/JV)****(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2012/C 57/01)

On 16 February 2012, 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 (EC) No 139/2004. The full text of the decision is available only in French and will be made public after it is cleared of any business secrets it may contain. It will be available:

- in the merger section of the Competition website of the Commission (<http://ec.europa.eu/competition/mergers/cases/>). This website provides various facilities to help locate individual merger decisions, including company, case number, date and sectoral indexes,
 - in electronic form on the EUR-Lex website (<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/en/index.htm>) under document number 32012M6451. EUR-Lex is the on-line access to the European law.
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IV

(Notices)

NOTICES FROM EUROPEAN UNION INSTITUTIONS, BODIES, OFFICES AND AGENCIES

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Euro exchange rates ⁽¹⁾**24 February 2012**

(2012/C 57/02)

1 euro =

Currency	Exchange rate	Currency	Exchange rate
USD US dollar	1,3412	AUD Australian dollar	1,2516
JPY Japanese yen	107,99	CAD Canadian dollar	1,3393
DKK Danish krone	7,4362	HKD Hong Kong dollar	10,4011
GBP Pound sterling	0,84815	NZD New Zealand dollar	1,6022
SEK Swedish krona	8,8225	SGD Singapore dollar	1,6841
CHF Swiss franc	1,2048	KRW South Korean won	1 510,31
ISK Iceland króna		ZAR South African rand	10,1831
NOK Norwegian krone	7,4785	CNY Chinese yuan renminbi	8,4470
BGN Bulgarian lev	1,9558	HRK Croatian kuna	7,5823
CZK Czech koruna	25,033	IDR Indonesian rupiah	12 270,39
HUF Hungarian forint	288,71	MYR Malaysian ringgit	4,0425
LTL Lithuanian litas	3,4528	PHP Philippine peso	57,431
LVL Latvian lats	0,6986	RUB Russian rouble	39,1850
PLN Polish zloty	4,1665	THB Thai baht	40,732
RON Romanian leu	4,3525	BRL Brazilian real	2,2943
TRY Turkish lira	2,3639	MXN Mexican peso	17,1926
		INR Indian rupee	65,7260

⁽¹⁾ Source: reference exchange rate published by the ECB.

New national side of euro coins intended for circulation

(2012/C 57/03)



National side of the new commemorative 2-euro coin intended for circulation and issued by Spain

Euro coins intended for circulation have legal tender status throughout the euro area. For the purpose of informing the public and all parties who handle the coins, the Commission publishes a description of the designs of all new coins ⁽¹⁾. In accordance with the Council conclusions of 10 February 2009 ⁽²⁾, euro-area Member States and countries that have concluded a monetary agreement with the Community providing for the issuing of euro coins are allowed to issue commemorative euro coins intended for circulation, provided that certain conditions are met, particularly that only the 2-euro denomination is used. These coins have the same technical characteristics as other 2-euro coins, but their national face features a commemorative design that is highly symbolic in national or European terms.

Issuing country: Spain

Subject of commemoration: UNESCO's World Natural and Cultural Heritage Sites — The Burgos Cathedral

Description of the design:

The coin portrays a Burgos Cathedral view. The name of the issuing country 'ESPAÑA' appears at the upper left hand side. On the right hand side the year '2012' and the mintmark.

The coin's outer ring depicts the 12 stars of the European flag.

Number of coins to be issued: 8 million

Date of issue: 1 March 2012

⁽¹⁾ See OJ C 373, 28.12.2001, p. 1 for the national faces of all the coins issued in 2002.

⁽²⁾ See the conclusions of the Economic and Financial Affairs Council of 10 February 2009 and the Commission Recommendation of 19 December 2008 on common guidelines for the national sides and the issuance of euro coins intended for circulation (OJ L 9, 14.1.2009, p. 52).

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMISSION FOR THE COORDINATION OF SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEMS

DECISION No U4

of 13 December 2011

concerning the reimbursement procedures under Article 65(6) and (7) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 and Article 70 of Regulation (EC) No 987/2009

(Text of relevance to the EEA and to the EC/Switzerland Agreement)

(2012/C 57/04)

THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMISSION FOR THE COORDINATION OF
SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEMS,

Having regard to Article 72(a) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on the coordination of social security systems, under which the Administrative Commission is responsible for dealing with all administrative questions or questions of interpretation arising from the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 and Regulation (EC) No 987/2009,

Having regard to Article 65(6) and (7) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004,

Having regard to Article 70 of Regulation (EC) No 987/2009,

Acting in accordance with the conditions laid down in the second subparagraph of Article 71(2) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004,

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 introduces a reimbursement mechanism in Article 65 with the aim of providing for a fairer financial balance between Member States in the case of unemployed persons who reside in a Member State other than the competent State. The reimbursements shall compensate for the additional financial burden on the Member State of residence, which provides unemployment benefits under Article 65(5)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 without having collected any contributions from the persons concerned during their last activity carried out in another Member State.
- (2) The unemployment benefits provided under Article 65(5)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 by the Member State of residence within the prescribed period shall be reimbursed by the State to whose legislation the unemployed person was last subject regardless of eligibility conditions for unemployment benefits laid down by the legislation of the latter State.
- (3) While the fourth sentence of Article 65(6) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 allows for the period of export of

benefits under paragraph 5(b) of the said Article to be deducted from the refundable period, other periods of receipt of unemployment benefits from the State of last activity of the person concerned (in particular, under Article 65(1) or under the last sentence of Article 65(2) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004) shall not be deducted.

- (4) Commonly agreed best practices will contribute to a speedy and efficient settlement of refunds between the institutions.
- (5) There is a need for transparency and guidance for the institutions to ensure a unified and coherent application of EU provisions concerning reimbursement procedures under Article 65(6) and (7) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 and Article 70 of Regulation (EC) No 987/2009,

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

I. GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF THE REIMBURSEMENT PROCEDURE

1. Where unemployment benefits have been provided to the person concerned under Article 65(5)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 (hereinafter 'Basic Regulation') by his/her State of residence, the reimbursements provisions of paragraphs 6 and 7 of the said Article provide for the sharing of the financial burden between the State of residence (hereinafter 'Creditor State') and the State to whose legislation the unemployed person was last subject (hereinafter 'Debtor State').
2. A claim for reimbursement may not be rejected on the grounds that the person concerned would not have qualified for unemployment benefits under the national legislation of the Debtor State.
3. The Creditor State can claim reimbursement only if the person concerned has before becoming unemployed completed any periods of employment or self-employment in the Debtor State and where such periods are recognised for the purposes of unemployment benefits in the latter State.

II. DETERMINATION OF THE REFUNDABLE PERIOD

1. The period of three or five months for which a reimbursement can be claimed, referred to in Article 65(6) and (7) of the Basic Regulation (hereinafter 'refundable period'), shall start on the first day for which unemployment benefits are actually due. The refundable period shall end once the time limit stipulated in Article 65(6) and (7) of the Basic Regulation (three or five months) lapses, regardless of any reduction, suspension or withdrawal of entitlement or payment of benefit within the said period under the legislation of the Creditor State.

2. A new claim for reimbursement can only be made once the person concerned satisfies the conditions under the legislation of the Creditor State in accordance with Article 65(5)(a) of the Basic Regulation for a new entitlement to benefit where this entitlement is not a continuation of a former decision for awarding unemployment benefits.

3. Notwithstanding the fourth sentence of Article 65(6) of the Basic Regulation, no other periods of receipt of unemployment benefits paid pursuant to the legislation of the Debtor State shall be deducted from the refundable period.

III. EXTENSION OF THE REFUNDABLE PERIOD UNDER ARTICLE 65(7) OF THE BASIC REGULATION

1. The refundable period shall under Article 65(7) of the Basic Regulation be extended to five months, provided that the person concerned has completed at least 12 months of employment or self-employment recognised for the purposes of unemployment benefits during the 24 months preceding the day for which unemployment benefits are actually due.

2. The extension of the refundable period under Article 65(7) of the Basic Regulation may not be rejected on the grounds that the person concerned would not qualify for unemployment benefits under the national legislation of the Debtor State.

IV. ESTABLISHING THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF THE REIMBURSEMENT UNDER ARTICLE 70 OF REGULATION (EC) No 987/2009 (HEREINAFTER 'IMPLEMENTING REGULATION')

1. The maximum amount of reimbursement applicable between the Member States listed in Annex 5 to the Imple-

menting Regulation and referred to in the last sentence of Article 70 of the said Regulation shall be notified to the Administrative Commission within six months of the end of the calendar year in question. The notification shall be made by each Member State listed in Annex 5 and contain the maximum amount valid for the calendar year in question as well as a description of the method used for the calculation of the amount.

V. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

1. Where a claim for reimbursement has been notified to the Debtor State, any subsequent change of the amount of unemployment benefit subject to reimbursement made retroactively in accordance with the legislation of the Creditor State shall have no effect on the claim notified by the Creditor State.

2. The 'full amount' of the benefits provided by the institution of the place of residence (second sentence of Article 65(6) Basic Regulation) comprises total cost of unemployment benefits incurred by the Creditor State before any deductions (gross amount).

VI. FINAL PROVISIONS

1. The reimbursement provisions under Article 65(6) and (7) of the Basic Regulation shall only concern the benefits granted on the basis of Article 65(5)(a) of the Basic Regulation.

2. When applying the reimbursement procedures, the guiding principle shall be good cooperation between institutions, pragmatism and flexibility.

3. This Decision shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

4. This Decision shall apply from the first day of the second month after its publication for all claims for reimbursement which have not yet been settled before that date.

The Chair of the Administrative Commission
Elżbieta ROŽEK

AVERAGE COSTS OF BENEFITS IN KIND

(2012/C 57/05)

AVERAGE COSTS OF BENEFITS IN KIND — 2007

The annual average costs do not take into account the reduction of 20 % provided for in Articles 94(2) and 95(2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 574/72 ⁽¹⁾.

The net monthly average costs have been reduced by 20 %.

I. Application of Article 94 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72

The amounts to be refunded with regard to the benefits in kind provided in 2007 to members of the family as referred to in Article 19(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 ⁽²⁾ will be determined on the basis of the following average costs:

	Annual	Net monthly
Bulgaria (<i>per capita</i>)	BGN 192,44	BGN 12,83
— Workers' family members under 65		
— Pensioners under 65		
— Pensioners' family members under 65		
Malta	MTL 247,71	MTL 16,51 EUR 38,47
Poland (<i>per capita</i>)	PLN 866,23	PLN 57,75
— Workers' family members under 65		
— Pensioners under 65		
— Pensioners' family members under 65		

II. Application of Article 95 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72

The amounts to be refunded with regard to benefits in kind provided in 2007 under Articles 28 and 28a of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs (**only per capita** from 2002):

	Annual	Net monthly
Bulgaria (<i>per capita</i>)	BGN 363,74	BGN 24,25
— Workers' family members aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners' family members aged 65 and over		
Malta	MTL 675,08	MTL 45,00 EUR 104,83
Poland (<i>per capita</i>)	PLN 2 679,46	PLN 178,63
— Workers' family members aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners' family members aged 65 and over		

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 74, 27.3.1972, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 149, 5.7.1971, p. 2.

AVERAGE COSTS OF BENEFITS IN KIND — 2009

The annual average costs do not take into account the reduction of 20 % provided for in Articles 94(2) and 95(2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 574/72 ⁽³⁾.

The net monthly average costs have been reduced by 20 %.

I. Application of Article 94 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72

The amounts to be refunded with regard to the benefits in kind provided in 2009 to members of the family as referred to in Article 19(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs:

	Annual	Net monthly
Greece	EUR 1 451,65	EUR 96,78
Cyprus	EUR 868,28	EUR 57,89
Luxembourg	EUR 2 818,05	EUR 187,87
Slovakia (<i>per capita</i>)	EUR 502,69	EUR 33,51
— Workers' family members under 65		
— Pensioners under 65		
— Pensioners' family members under 65		
United Kingdom	GBP 1 964,15	GBP 130,94

II. Application of Article 95 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72

The amounts to be refunded with regard to benefits in kind provided in 2009 under Articles 28 and 28a of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs (**only per capita** from 2002):

	Annual	Net monthly
Cyprus	EUR 1 118,37	EUR 74,56
Greece	EUR 2 983,55	EUR 198,90
Luxembourg	EUR 9 055,18	EUR 603,68
Slovakia (<i>per capita</i>)	EUR 1 512,73	EUR 100,85
— Workers' family members aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners' family members aged 65 and over		
United Kingdom	GBP 3 852,77	GBP 256,85

AVERAGE COSTS OF BENEFITS IN KIND — 2010

(To be applied with regard to EFTA countries for 2010)

(To be applied with regard to EU Member States between 1 January 2010 and 30 April 2010)

The annual average costs do not take into account the reduction of 20 % provided for in Articles 94(2) and 95(2) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 574/72 ⁽⁴⁾.

⁽³⁾ See footnote 1.

⁽⁴⁾ See footnote 1.

The net monthly average costs have been reduced by 20 %.

I. Application of Article 94 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72

The amounts to be refunded with regard to the benefits in kind provided in 2010 ⁽⁵⁾ to members of the family as referred to in Article 19(2) of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs:

	Annual	Net monthly
Czech Republic (<i>per capita</i>)	CZK 15 514,01	CZK 1 034,27
— Workers' family members under 65		
— Pensioners under 65		
— Pensioners' family members under 65		
Germany (<i>per capita</i> — per family member of a worker)	EUR 1 306,60	EUR 87,11
Spain	EUR 1 169,80	EUR 77,99
Italy	EUR 2 442,54	EUR 162,84
Austria	EUR 1 841,49	EUR 122,77
Slovenia (<i>per capita</i> — per family member of a worker)	EUR 721,27	EUR 48,08
Liechtenstein	CHF 4 346,59	CHF 289,77
Switzerland	CHF 2 785,62	CHF 185,71

II. Application of Article 95 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72

The amounts to be refunded with regard to benefits in kind provided in 2010 ⁽⁶⁾ under Articles 28 and 28a of Regulation (EEC) No 1408/71 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs (**only *per capita*** from 2002):

	Annual	Net monthly
Czech Republic (<i>per capita</i>)	CZK 47 610,70	CZK 3 174,05
— Workers' family members aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners aged 65 and over		
— Pensioners' family members aged 65 and over		
Germany	EUR 5 153,21	EUR 343,55
Spain	EUR 3 869,77	EUR 257,98
Italy	EUR 2 898,29	EUR 193,22
Austria	EUR 4 862,23	EUR 324,15
Slovenia	EUR 1 842,04	EUR 122,80
Liechtenstein	CHF 8 966,77	CHF 597,78
Switzerland	CHF 7 387,12	CHF 492,47

⁽⁵⁾ In relation to EU Member States, this amount applies with regard to the benefits in kind provided in the period between 1 January 2010 and 30 April 2010.

⁽⁶⁾ See footnote 5.

AVERAGE COSTS OF BENEFITS IN KIND — 2010

(To be applied with regard to EU Member States as of 1 May 2010)

I. Application of Article 64 of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 ⁽⁷⁾

With regard to EU Member States, the amounts to be refunded with regard to the benefits in kind provided in the period between 1 May 2010 and 31 December 2010 to members of the family who do not reside in the same Member State as the insured person as referred to in Article 17 of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs:

	Annual	Net monthly X = 0,20
Spain	EUR 1 169,80	EUR 77,99
Italy	EUR 2 442,54	EUR 162,84

II. Application of Article 64 of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 ⁽⁸⁾

With regard to EU Member States, the amounts to be refunded with regard to the benefits in kind provided in the period between 1 May 2010 and 31 December 2010 under Articles 24(1), 25 and 26 of Regulation (EC) No 883/2004 will be determined on the basis of the following average costs (**only per capita** from 2002):

	Annual	Net monthly X = 0,20	Net monthly X = 0,15 ⁽¹⁾
Spain	EUR 3 869,77	EUR 257,98	EUR 274,11
Italy	EUR 2 898,29	EUR 193,22	EUR 205,30

⁽¹⁾ Pursuant to Article 64(3) of Regulation (EC) No 987/2009, the reduction applied to the monthly fixed amount shall be equal to 15 % (X = 0,15) for pensioners and members of their family when the competent Member State is not listed in Annex IV to Regulation (EC) No 883/2004.

⁽⁷⁾ Pursuant to Article 64(7) of Regulation (EC) No 987/2009, Member States may continue to apply Articles 94 and 95 of Regulation (EEC) No 574/72 for the calculation of the fixed amount until 1 May 2015, provided that the reduction set out in Article 64(3) of Regulation (EC) No 987/2009 is applied.

⁽⁸⁾ See footnote 7.

V

(Announcements)

PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COMMON
COMMERCIAL POLICY

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Notice of the expiry of certain anti-dumping measures

(2012/C 57/06)

Further to the publication of a notice of impending expiry ⁽¹⁾ following which no duly substantiated request for a review was lodged, the Commission gives notice that the anti-dumping measure mentioned below will shortly expire.

This notice is published in accordance with Article 11(2) of Council Regulation (EC) No 1225/2009 of 30 November 2009 ⁽²⁾ on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of the European Community.

Product	Country(ies) of origin or exportation	Measures	Reference	Date of expiry ⁽¹⁾
Polyethylene terephthalate (PET)	Republic of Korea	Anti-dumping duty	Council Regulation (EC) No 192/2007 (OJ L 59, 27.2.2007, p. 1) corrected by OJ L 215, 18.8.2007, p. 27	28.2.2012

⁽¹⁾ The measure expires at midnight of the day mentioned in this column.

⁽¹⁾ OJ C 122, 20.4.2011, p. 10.

⁽²⁾ OJ L 343, 22.12.2009, p. 51.

PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPETITION POLICY

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Prior notification of a concentration
(Case COMP/M.6410 — UTC/Goodrich)
(Text with EEA relevance)
(2012/C 57/07)

1. On 20 February 2012, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004⁽¹⁾ by which United Technologies Corporation ('UTC', United States) acquires, within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation, control of the whole of Goodrich Corporation ('Goodrich', United States) by way of purchase of shares.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - for UTC: production and sale of a broad range of high-technology products and support services for the building systems and aerospace industries worldwide. The UTC group comprises the following major business units: Carrier heating and air conditioning, Hamilton Sundstrand aerospace systems and industrial products, Otis elevators, Pratt & Whitney aircraft engines, Sikorsky helicopters, UTC Fire & Security systems and UTC Power fuel cells,
 - for Goodrich: production and sale of systems and services to the aerospace, defense and security industries. Goodrich has activities in three main business areas: actuation and landing systems; nacelles and interior systems; and electronic systems.
3. On preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified transaction could fall within the scope the EC Merger Regulation. 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 (+32 22964301), by e-mail to COMP-MERGER-REGISTRY@ec.europa.eu or by post, under reference number COMP/M.6410 — UTC/Goodrich, to the following address:

European Commission
Directorate-General for Competition
Merger Registry
J-70
1049 Bruxelles/Brussel
BELGIQUE/BELGIË

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'EC Merger Regulation').

Prior notification of a concentration**(Case COMP/M.6519 — Cremer/L Possehl/Possehl Erzkontor JV)****Candidate case for simplified procedure****(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2012/C 57/08)

1. On 17 February 2012, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ⁽¹⁾ by which the undertakings Peter Cremer Holding GmbH & Co. KG ('Cremer', Germany) and L. Possehl & Co. mbH ('L. Possehl', Germany) acquire within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation joint control of Possehl Erzkontor GmbH ('Possehl Erzkontor', Germany), currently solely controlled by L. Possehl, by way of sale and purchase of shares.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- for Cremer: trade in agricultural products, basic commodities, steel and other raw materials; production and sale of agricultural products; production, trade and sale of oleochemical products and shipping of bulk and container cargo,
- for L. Possehl: special purpose construction; precious metals processing; elastomer processing; electronics; mailroom services; cleaning systems; textile finishing systems and SME investments,
- for Possehl Erzkontor: international trade in minerals, ores, metals, plastic raw materials and chemicals.

3. On preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified transaction could fall within the scope of the EC 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 the EC Merger Regulation ⁽²⁾ 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. Observations can be sent to the Commission by fax (+32 22964301), by email to COMP-MERGER-REGISTRY@ec.europa.eu or by post, under reference number COMP/M.6519 — Cremer/L Possehl/Possehl Erzkontor JV, to the following address:

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⁽¹⁾ OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'EC Merger Regulation').

⁽²⁾ OJ C 56, 5.3.2005, p. 32 ('Notice on a simplified procedure').

Prior notification of a concentration
(Case COMP/M.6463 — Marquard & Bahls/Bominflot)
(Text with EEA relevance)
(2012/C 57/09)

1. On 13 February 2012, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ⁽¹⁾ by which Mabanft Bunker Holding GmbH & Co. KG, Mabanft Tanklager Hamburg Invest GmbH & Co. KG, Mabanft Tanklager Kiel Invest GmbH & Co. KG, and Mabanft Tanklager Bremerhaven Invest GmbH & Co. KG (Germany), all belonging to Mabanft GmbH Co. KG, which belongs to Marquard & Bahls AG ('M&B', Germany), acquire within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation control of parts of Bominflot Bunkergesellschaft für Mineralöle mbH & Co. KG ('Bominflot', Germany) by way of purchase of shares and assets.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- for M&B: oil trading, tank-terminal storage, aviation fuelling services and renewable energies, as well as retail of petroleum and lubricants,
- for Bominflot: physical bunkering and bunker trading, tank-terminal storage in Northern Germany as well as, to a very limited extent, the wholesale of marine fuel oils.

3. On preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified transaction could fall within the scope the EC Merger Regulation. 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 (+32 22964301), by e-mail to COMP-MERGER-REGISTRY@ec.europa.eu or by post, under reference number COMP/M.6463 — Marquard & Bahls/Bominflot, to the following address:

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⁽¹⁾ OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'EC Merger Regulation').

NOTICE

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