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IV

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NOTICES FROM EUROPEAN UNION INSTITUTIONS, BODIES, OFFICES AND
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EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Euro exchange rates ⁽¹⁾

14 January 2016

(2016/C 12/01)

1 euro =

Currency	Exchange rate	Currency	Exchange rate
USD US dollar	1,0893	CAD Canadian dollar	1,5647
JPY Japanese yen	128,26	HKD Hong Kong dollar	8,4775
DKK Danish krone	7,4624	NZD New Zealand dollar	1,6903
GBP Pound sterling	0,75703	SGD Singapore dollar	1,5670
SEK Swedish krona	9,2850	KRW South Korean won	1 320,77
CHF Swiss franc	1,0950	ZAR South African rand	18,0475
ISK Iceland króna		CNY Chinese yuan renminbi	7,1809
NOK Norwegian krone	9,6071	HRK Croatian kuna	7,6660
BGN Bulgarian lev	1,9558	IDR Indonesian rupiah	15 155,06
CZK Czech koruna	27,021	MYR Malaysian ringgit	4,7855
HUF Hungarian forint	315,97	PHP Philippine peso	52,076
PLN Polish zloty	4,3730	RUB Russian rouble	83,2007
RON Romanian leu	4,5348	THB Thai baht	39,552
TRY Turkish lira	3,3025	BRL Brazilian real	4,3730
AUD Australian dollar	1,5695	MXN Mexican peso	19,5529
		INR Indian rupee	73,4516

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

COMMISSION DECISION
of 14 January 2016
appointing four members of the European Statistical Advisory Committee
(2016/C 12/02)

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION,

Having regard to the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union,

Having regard to Decision No 234/2008/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 March 2008 establishing the European Statistical Advisory Committee and repealing Council Decision 91/116/EEC ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 4(1)(a) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) The European Statistical Advisory Committee (‘ESAC’) comprises 24 members.
- (2) According to Article 4(1)(a) of Decision No 234/2008/EC, 12 members should be appointed by the Commission.
- (3) Member States provided the Commission with a list of candidates with well-established qualifications in the field of statistics.
- (4) By Commission Decision No 2014/C 138/02 ⁽²⁾, the Commission appointed eight members of the ESAC and established a reserve list to be used in case of resignation or unexpected unavailability of an appointed member.
- (5) The Commission should appoint the remaining four members, after having duly consulted the European Parliament and the Council.
- (6) In the appointment of these four members, the Commission has endeavoured to ensure that they represent in equal measure, users, respondents and other stakeholders in European statistics.
- (7) The Commission should update the reserve list to be used in case of resignations or unexpected unavailability of the appointed members,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

The following persons shall be appointed as members of the European Statistical Advisory Committee for a term of five years starting from 1 January 2016:

Ms Ariane KÖNIG

Mr David HAND

Ms Biruta SLOKA

Mr Claudiu HERTELIU.

Article 2

The following persons shall be included in the reserve list:

Mr Ian Philip CASSAR

Mr Marcel RÉMON

Mr Eskil WADENSJÖ

Mr Jan FISCHER.

⁽¹⁾ OJ L 73, 15.3.2008, p. 13.

⁽²⁾ Commission Decision 2014/C 138/02 of 5 May 2014 on appointing eight members of the European Statistical Advisory Committee (OJ C 138, 8.5.2014, p. 2).

Article 3

This Decision shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

Done at Brussels, 14 January 2016.

For the Commission

Marianne THYSSEN

Member of the Commission

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*(Announcements)*PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPETITION
POLICY

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Prior notification of a concentration**(Case M.7866 — Activision Blizzard/King)****(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2016/C 12/03)

1. On 8 January 2016, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ⁽¹⁾ by Activision Blizzard Inc. ('Activision Blizzard', United States of America) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) sole control over King Digital Entertainment plc. ('King', Ireland) by way of purchase of shares.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - for Activision Blizzard: development and publishing of interactive entertainment, including PC and console games;
 - for King: development and publishing of mobile games.
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.
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 M.7866 — Activision Blizzard/King, to the following address:

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

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

Prior notification of a concentration**(Case M.7724 — ASL/Arianespace)****(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2016/C 12/04)

1. On 8 January 2016, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ⁽¹⁾ by which Airbus Safran Launchers ('ASL', France), the newly joint venture jointly controlled by Airbus Group S.E. ('Airbus', the Netherlands) and Safran SA ('Safran', France), acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation sole control over Arianespace Participation SA and Arianespace SA (together, 'Arianespace', France), by way of purchase of the entire shareholding currently held by CNES in Arianespace.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- for ASL: development and production of launch vehicles in the civil and military launchers sectors, as well as satellite sub-systems and equipment,
- for Arianespace: provision of launch services to private and institutional satellite operators through the fleet of launchers developed by ESA.

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.

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

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

Prior notification of a concentration**(Case M.7822 — Dentsply/Sirona)****(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2016/C 12/05)

1. On 7 January 2016, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ⁽¹⁾ by which Dentsply International Inc. ('Dentsply', United States) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation control of the whole of Sirona Dental Systems, Inc. ('Sirona', United States) by way of purchase of shares.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- Dentsply is a designer, developer, manufacturer and marketer of a broad range of consumable dental products for the professional dental market. Dentsply also manufactures and markets other consumable medical device products,
- Sirona is a global manufacturer of technologically advanced dental equipment and is focused on developing, manufacturing, and marketing innovative solutions for dentists.

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.

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 M.7822 — Dentsply/Sirona to the following address:

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

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On page 3, first column of table:

for: '[add reference of decision]',

read: 'C(2015) 9812';

on page 3, second column of table:

for: '[add date of decision]',

read: '8.1.2016'.

