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**COMP/M. 5666**

## **SECTION 1.2**

### **Description of the concentration**

1. On 4 December 2009, the Commission received a notification concerning a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004, by which Xerox Corporation (“**Xerox**”), a company incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, U.S.A., proposes to acquire sole control of Affiliated Computer Services, Inc. (“**ACS**”), a company incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware, U.S.A., within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation.
2. The business activities of the undertakings are:

#### Xerox

3. Xerox’s activities can be divided into two broad categories: (i) its core document production equipment business and (ii) its services business, known as Xerox Global Services (“**XGS**”). Xerox’s equipment business develops, manufactures, markets, services and finances a range of document production equipment, including a range of multifunction printer, copier and fax devices as well as digital monochrome and color printing systems, and offers related software solutions and services. Many of XGS’s activities are derivative of Xerox’s core document equipment business and involve outsourced management services for the office printing environment. XGS also offers a range of business process outsourcing (“**BPO**”) solutions to reduce the costs and improve the efficiency of document-driven processes such as forms-processing and records management.

#### ACS

4. ACS provides a range of BPO and information technology outsourcing (“**ITO**”) services and solutions to commercial and government clients worldwide. ACS’s business process and information technology groups provide support services to a variety of industries including communication providers, financial services, healthcare, manufacturing and transportation. ACS provides clients with BPO services for their finance and accounting, customer service, human resources and document and data management needs. ACS’s information technology (“**IT**”) professionals specialize in designing, developing and delivering effective IT solutions to help streamline IT functions.