

***Case No COMP/M.2765 -
MITSUBISHI / MMC
AUTO DEUTSCHLAND***

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**REGULATION (EEC) No 4064/89
MERGER PROCEDURE**

Article 6(1)(b) NON-OPPOSITION
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MERGER PROCEDURE
ARTICLE 6(1)(b) DECISION

SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

To the Notifying Parties

Dear Madam(s) and/or Sir(s),

**Subject: Case No. COMP/M.2765 – MITSUBISHI / MMC AUTO DEUTSCHLAND
Notification of 26/02/2002 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC)
No. 4064/89¹
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1. On 26/02/2002, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89² by which Mitsubishi Motors Corporation (“MMC”, Japan) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation control of the whole of MMC Auto Deutschland GmbH (“MADG”, Germany) by way of purchase of assets.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are :
 - for undertaking MMC’s: motor vehicle manufacture.
 - for undertaking MADG’s: wholesaling of motor vehicles.

¹ OJ L 395, 30.12.1989 p. 1; corrected version OJ L 257 of 21.9.1990, p. 13, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1310/97, OJ L 180, 9.7.1997, p. 1, corrigendum in OJ L 40, 13.2.1998, p. 17.

² OJ L 395, 30.12.1989 p. 1; corrigendum OJ L 257 of 21.9.1990, p. 13; Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1310/97 (OJ L 180, 9. 7. 1997, p. 1, corrigendum OJ L 40, 13.2.1998, p. 17).

3. After examination of the notification, the Commission has concluded that the notified operation falls within the scope of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 4064/89 and of paragraph 4, subparagraph c of the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89³.
4. For the reasons set out in the Notice on a simplified procedure, the Commission has decided not to oppose the notified operation and to declare it compatible with the common market and with the EEA Agreement. This decision is adopted in application of Article 6(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 4064/89.

For the Commission

Mario MONTI
Member of the Commission

³ OJ C 217, 29.07.2000, p. 32.