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**COMP/M.4326 – BC PARTNERS/BRENNTAG**

**SECTION 1.2**

**Description of the concentration**

The notified transaction involves the acquisition by private equity funds (*the BC Funds*) managed by and whose general partner or attorney is CIE Management II Limited (*CIEM*), a company ultimately controlled by BC Partners Holdings Limited, of control of Brenntag Investor Holding GmbH (*Brenntag*). The Parties have requested treatment of the concentration under the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations.

The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

CIEM (ultimately controlled by BC Partners Holdings Limited): general partner and manager or attorney of the BC Funds (which are themselves private equity investment funds).

Brenntag: world-wide processing, storage, trading and distribution of chemical substances.