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COMP/M.4821 - CVC / TAMINCO

SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

The Commission has received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) 139/2004 pursuant to which CVC Capital Partners Group Sarl (through CVC Fund IV) will acquire sole control over Taminco N.V. ("**Taminco**") of Belgium via Pearls Chemicals Holdings NV.

The business activities of the parties are as follows:

- CVC / CVC Fund IV: investment and management advice to investment funds; and
- Taminco: manufacturer of methylamines, methylamine derivatives and higher amines.

Given the lack of any horizontal or vertical relationships between the parties, the parties to the proposed concentration have requested to benefit from the short Form CO.