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SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

The present notification concerns a proposed concentration whereby Autogrill S.p.A. ("Autogrill", Italy), directly or through a controlled company, intends to acquire sole control, within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004, of World Duty Free Europe Limited ("WDF", U.K), a company providing retail services at airports.

The proposed concentration will not have the effect of significantly impeding effective competition in the travel retail market.