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COMP/M.5187 - WARBURG PINCUS / TARGET

SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

On 15 May 2008, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 by which Warburg Pincus & Co. ("**Warburg Pincus**", USA) through its affiliates, acquires, within the meaning of Article 3(1) (b) of the Council Regulation, sole control over JPMP SK Holdings Limited ("**Safetykleen**", the United Kingdom) by way of purchase of shares.

The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- for Warburg Pincus: private equity investor; and
- for Safetykleen: providing and servicing of parts and component cleaning machines, and providing ancillary services.

Warburg Pincus and Safetykleen (the "**Parties**") believe that the proposed concentration meets the conditions set in paragraph 5 of the Commission Notice on simplified procedure for the treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004. The Parties to the proposed concentration have therefore requested to benefit from the Short Form CO.