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**M.7228- CENTRICA / BORD GÁIS ENERGY**

**SECTION 1.2**

**Description of the concentration**

On 5 May 2014, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 (“**EU Merger Regulation**”), by which Centrica Nederland B.V., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Centrica plc, will acquire sole control of Bord Gáis Energy Limited within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the EU Merger Regulation, by way of an acquisition of shares. Bord Gáis Energy Limited consists of the supply and thermal generation business in Ireland of BGÉ, an Irish commercial majority State-owned undertaking.