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**SECTION 1.2**

**Description of the concentration**

1. On 15 April 2015, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 (the Merger Regulation), by which DS Smith Plc (**DS Smith**) intends to acquire the entire issued share capital of Duropack GmbH (**Duropack**).
2. DS Smith is a UK registered company, listed on the London Stock Exchange. It is a provider of corrugated packaging in Europe and of specialist plastic packaging worldwide.
3. Duropack is a producer and distributor of paper and corrugated board packaging with operations in various countries in eastern and south eastern Europe.