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M.7729 - WILLIS GROUP / TOWERS WATSON & CO

SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

(1) On 13 October, 2015, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 by which Willis Group Holdings plc (“**Willis**”) intends to acquire sole control of Towers Watson & Co. (“**Towers Watson**”) within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- **Willis:** global provider of insurance brokerage, reinsurance brokerage and risk management consulting.
- **Towers Watson:** global provider of consulting, technology and solutions in benefits, talent management and rewards, risk and financial services, and exchange solutions.