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Description of the concentration

- On 5 October 2015, Britel Fund Nominees Limited, the corporate trustee of the BT Pension Scheme ("BTPS") and Canada Pension Plan Investment Board ("CPPIB") notified the European Commission of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 3(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 (the "Merger Regulation"), whereby BTPS and CPPIB propose to acquire the South Bank Tower Estate, a mixed-used property in London, United Kingdom.
- 2. The activities of BTPS include real estate investment and its broader group is active in bond and equity investment, both in the United Kingdom and overseas.
- 3. CPPIB is an investment management organisation that invests the funds of the Canada Pension Plan. CPPIB principally invests in public equities, private equities, real estate, infrastructure and fixed income investments.