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M.8131 - TELE2 SVERIGE / TDC SVERIGE

SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

Through the notified concentration Tele2 Sverige AB (“Tele2”) intends to acquire sole control within the meaning of article 3(1)(b) of the EU Merger Regulation over TDC Sverige AB (“TDC Sweden”) by means of a purchase of all shares in TDC Sweden.

Tele2 is a Swedish telecommunications provider and part of the Tele2 Group which is headed by Tele2 AB (publ) and listed on the Nasdaq OMX stock exchange. TDC Sweden is a Swedish telecommunications provider which prior to the concentration is part of TDC A/S, a Danish telecommunications group.

Both Tele2 and TDC Sweden offer telecommunications services including mobile voice and data, fixed telephony, fixed internet and data communication services and PBXs. Both parties also re-sell communications devices such as mobile phones and tablets to end customers. In addition, TDC Sweden offers inter alia data centre services, IT services and consultancy services. Tele2 serves both residential and business/public sector customers. TDC Sweden on the other hand only serves business/public sector customers (i.e. not residential customers).

Tele2 is an MNO, operating its own mobile network. Tele2 also has a fixed infrastructure in the form of e.g. fiber backbone. TDC Sweden does not have its own mobile network but operates as an MVNO. TDC Sweden however has a fixed infrastructure in the form of fiber backbone and IP-backbone.