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SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

The Commission has received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 (the “EUMR”). On 13 January 2017 KKR & Co. L.P. (“KKR”) notified its intention to acquire indirect sole control of Hitachi Koki Co. Ltd. (“Hitachi Koki”) within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the EUMR.

The areas of activities of the undertakings concerned by the notified concentration are as follows:

- a. KKR is a global investment firm which offers a broad range of alternative asset management services to public and private market investors and provides capital markets solutions for the firm, its portfolio companies and clients;
- b. Hitachi Koki is a Japan-based global company that manufactures and sells power tools and life-sciences instruments.