

*Disclaimer :*

*The Competition DG makes the information provided by the notifying parties in section 1.2 of Form CO available to the public in order to increase transparency. This information has been prepared by the notifying parties under their sole responsibility, and its content in no way prejudices the view the Commission may take of the planned operation. Nor can the Commission be held responsible for any incorrect or misleading information contained therein.*

**M.9756 • NOURYON / CP KELCO**

## **SECTION 1.2**

### **Description of the concentration**

Nouryon Chemicals International B.V. and its affiliates (“**Nouryon**”) intend to acquire control over CP Kelco Oy and over certain other assets (“**CP Kelco CMC**” or the “**Target**”, and together with Nouryon the “**Parties**”) currently under the control of J.M. Huber Corporation (“**Huber**”) (the “**Transaction**”). CP Kelco Oy and the aforementioned assets represent the carboxymethyl cellulose (“**CMC**”) business of CP Kelco ApS and Huber.

Nouryon is a global manufacturer and supplier of specialty chemicals company, headquartered in Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Nouryon produces a wide range of chemicals such as salt, chlorine and caustic products; chemical intermediates, surfactants and processing chemicals and cellulose derivatives.

The Target represents the CMC business of CP Kelco and Huber. The Target manufactures and sells CMC.

Commission européenne, DG COMP MERGER REGISTRY, 1049 Bruxelles, BELGIQUE  
Europese Commissie, DG COMP MERGER REGISTRY, 1049 Brussel, BELGIË

Tel: +32 229-91111. Fax: +32 229-64301. E-mail: [COMP-MERGER-REGISTRY@ec.europa.eu](mailto:COMP-MERGER-REGISTRY@ec.europa.eu).