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**M.9797 - AUNDE GROUP / TOYOTA BOSHOKU / TB KAWASHIMA  
AUTOMOTIVE TEXTILE (INDIA) JV**

**SECTION 1.2**

**Description of the concentration**

On 28 April 2020, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of the Merger Regulation by which the undertaking AUNDE Group SE (Germany) indirectly acquires by way of purchase of shares joint control in TB Kawashima Automotive Textile (India) Private Ltd. (India), a company formerly controlled solely (indirectly) by Toyota Boshoku Corporation.

The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- for AUNDE: Development and production of among others yarns, technical textiles, seat covers and foam parts under the brands AUNDE, ISRINGHAUSEN and FEHRER for OEMs and suppliers to the automotive industry in Europe and worldwide;
- for Toyota Boshoku: Development and production of various types of automotive components, including automotive textiles;
- for TB Kawashima Automotive Textile (India) Private Ltd.: Development and production of interior textiles and automotive fabrics for the automotive textile industry in India.