

***Case No COMP/M.2700 -
PGA MOTORS /
JARDINE MOTORS***

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**REGULATION (EEC) No 4064/89
MERGER PROCEDURE**

Article 6(1)(b) NON-OPPOSITION
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MERGER PROCEDURE
ARTICLE 6(1)(b) DECISION

SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

To the notifying party

Dear Sir,

**Subject: Case No. COMP/M.2700-PGA Motors/Jardine Motor
Notification of 20/12/2001 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC)
No. 4064/89¹
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09/01/2002, page 5**

1. On 20/12/2001, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89 by which the French undertaking PGA Motors S.A. (PGA), controlled by PGA S.A., acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation control of the whole of the French undertaking Jardine Motors Group France S.A. (Jardine), controlled by Jardine International Motor Holdings B.V. by way of purchase of shares.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

¹ OJ L 395, 30.12.1989 p. 1; corrected version OJ L 257 of 21.9.1990, p. 13, as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1310/97, OJ L 180, 9.7.1997, p. 1, corrigendum in OJ L 40, 13.2.1998, p. 17.

- for PGA : retail distribution of motor vehicles in France;
 - for Jardine : retail distribution of motor vehicles in France.
3. After examination of the notification, the Commission has concluded that the notified operation falls within the scope of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 4064/89 and of paragraph 4 (c) of the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89².
 4. For the reasons set out in the Notice on a simplified procedure, the Commission has decided not to oppose the notified operation and to declare it compatible with the common market and with the EEA Agreement. This decision is adopted in application of Article 6(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 4064/89.

For the Commission
Mario MONTI
Member of the Commission

² OJ C 217, 29.07.2000, p. 32.