

***Case No COMP/M.2937 -  
QUESTOR BERMUDA /  
TEKSID***

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

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

SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

To the notifying party

Dear Madam(s) and/or Sir(s),

**Subject: Case No. COMP/M.2937 – QUESTOR BERMUDA/TEKSID  
Notification of 9 August 2002 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation  
(EEC) No. 4064/89<sup>1</sup>  
Publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities No. C 198,  
21/08/2002, page 2.**

1. On 9 August 2002, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EEC) No. 4064/89 by which the undertaking Questor Partners Bermuda, L.P. (“Questor”, Bermuda) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation control of the aluminium business of the undertaking Teksid S.p.A. based in Italy, (“Teksid Aluminium Business”) by way of purchase of shares.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are :
  - for undertaking Questor : equity investment fund.
  - for undertaking Teksid Aluminium Business : manufacture of cast aluminium automobile components.
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

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<sup>1</sup> 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.

4, subparagraph (b) of the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89<sup>2</sup>.

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

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<sup>2</sup> OJ C 217, 29.07.2000, p. 32.