

***Case No COMP/M.3472 -
RELIANCE / TREVIRA***

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**REGULATION (EC) No 139/2004
MERGER PROCEDURE**

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

SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

PUBLIC VERSION

To the notifying party:

Dear Madam and/or Sir,

**Subject: Case No. COMP/M.3472 – Reliance/ Trevira
Notification of 25/06/2004 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004¹
Publication in the Official Journal of the European Union No. C 188, 23.07.2004,
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1. On 25/06/2004, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 by which Reliance Industries Ltd (“Reliance”, India) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation the whole of Trevira GmbH (“Trevira”, Germany) by way of purchase of shares.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - Reliance : oil, energy, chemicals, finance, telecoms, textiles
 - Trevira : polyester fibres, yarns, chips.
3. After examination of the notification, the Commission has concluded that the notified operation falls within the scope of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 and of paragraph 4, subparagraph b, of the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89².

¹ OJ L 24, 29.1.2004 p. 1

² OJ C 217, 29.07.2000, p. 32; Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89 has been replaced by Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004.

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 (EC) No. 139/2004.

For the Commission
Mario MONTI
Member of the Commission