

***Case No COMP/M.3748 –
Mitsubishi Tokyo / UFJ***

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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 parties

Dear Sirs,

**Subject: Case No. COMP/M.3748 – MITSUBISHI TOKYO / UFJ
Notification of 22/03/2005 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004¹
Publication in the Official Journal of the European Union No. C79, 01/04/2005, p.14**

1. On 22/03/2005, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 by which the undertakings Mitsubishi Tokyo Financial Group, Inc (“MTFG”, Japan) and UFJ Holdings, Inc (“UFJ”, Japan), enter into a full merger within the meaning of Article 3(1)(a) of the Council Regulation.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are :
 - for MTFG : Provision of financial services, including banking, assets management and securities.
 - for UFJ : Provision of financial services, including banking, assets management and securities.

¹ OJ L 24, 29.1.2004 p. 1

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 5, subparagraph c, of the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004².
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

signed
Neelie KROES
Member of the Commission

² OJ C 56, 05.3.2005 p.32