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REGULATION (EC) No 139/2004 MERGER PROCEDURE

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MERGER PROCEDURE ARTICLE 6(1)(b) DECISION

SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

PUBLIC VERSION

To the notifying party

Dear Madam and dear Sir,

Subject:Case No. COMP/M.3974 - JOHNSON CONTROLS / YORK
Notification of 03/10/2005 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC)
No. 139/20041
Publication in the Official Journal of the European Union No. C 2005/251/27

- 1. On 3/10/2005, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 by which the undertaking Johnson Controls Inc. ("JCI", United States) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation control of the whole of the undertaking York International Corporation ("York", United States), by way of purchase of shares.
- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - for JCI : Global supplier of automotive systems, building control systems and facility management.
 - for York : design, manufacture, sale and service for heating, ventilation, and air conditioning ("HVAC") and refrigeration systems for residential and commercial customers.

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