

***Case No COMP/M.4529 -  
CVC / FRAIKIN***

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

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

SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURE

**To the notifying party**

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

**Subject: Case No. COMP/M.4529 – CVC / Fraikin  
Notification of 19 December 2006 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation  
(EC) No. 139/2004<sup>1</sup>  
Publication in the Official Journal of the European Union No. C 4, 09.01.07, p.5**

1. On 19 December 2006, the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 by which the undertaking CVC Capital Partners Group Sarl ("CVC", Luxembourg) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation control of the whole of the undertaking Fraikin Groupe S.A. ("Fraikin", France) by way of purchase of shares in a newly created company.
2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are :
  - for undertaking CVC : private equity fund;
  - for undertaking Fraikin : rental of all types of trucks, tractors en trailers, rental of company cars and fleet management.

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<sup>1</sup> 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. 139/2004<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 (EC) No. 139/2004.

For the Commission  
signed  
Philip LOWE  
Director General

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<sup>2</sup> OJ C 56, 05.3.2005 p.32