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REGULATION (EC) No 139/2004 MERGER PROCEDURE

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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.4840 – FIAT/ TEKSID ALUMINIUM

Notification of 07/05/2007 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004¹

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- 1. On 24/08/2007, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 by which the undertaking Fiat S.p.A. ("Fiat", Italy) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Council Regulation sole control of the undertaking Teksid Aluminum S.r.l. ("Teksid Aluminum", Italy) and Teksid Aluminum Getti Speciali S.r.l. ("Getti Speciali", Italy, together with Teksid Aluminum hereinafter referred to as "Target Businesses") by way of purchase of shares on 24/07/2007.
- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - for FIAT: manufacture and sale of automobiles, commercial vehicles, agricultural machinery, construction equipment, automotive components and metallurgical products;
 - for TARGET BUSINESSES: production of cast aluminum components for the automotive industry and other residual applications.

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- 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,
Philip LOWE
Director General

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² OJ C 56, 05.3.2005 p.32