Case No COMP/M.6134 - BOUYGUES/ HEIJMANS UK

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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

To the notifying party:

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

Subject: Case No COMP/M.6134 – Bouygues/ Heijmans UK

Notification of 31.01.2011 pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004¹

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- 1. On 31.01.2011 the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of the Merger Regulation by which the undertaking Bouygues SA ("Bouygues", France) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation sole control of the undertaking Heijmans UK Limited ("Heijmans", UK) by way of purchase of shares.
- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - for Bouygues: construction, telecommunications and media;
 - for Heijmans: property development, residential and non-residential construction, technical services, and activities in the infrastructure sector.

OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 ("the Merger Regulation"). With effect from 1 December 2009, the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union ("TFEU") has introduced certain changes, such as the replacement of "Community" by "Union" and "common market" by "internal market". The terminology of the TFEU will be used throughout this decision.

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- 3. After examination of the notification, the European Commission has concluded that the notified operation falls within the scope of the Merger Regulation and of paragraph 5 (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 European Commission has decided not to oppose the notified operation and to declare it compatible with the internal market and with the EEA Agreement. This decision is adopted in application of Article 6(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation.

For the Commission (signed) Alexander ITALIANER Director General

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² OJ C 56, 5.3.2005, p. 32.