Case M.9048 - DELTA ELECTRONICS / DELTA ELECTRONICS THAILAND

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REGULATION (EC) No 139/2004 MERGER PROCEDURE

Article 6(1)(b) NON-OPPOSITION

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To the notifying party:

Subject: Case M.9048 – Delta Electronics/Delta Electronics Thailand

Commission decision pursuant to Article 6(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004¹ and Article 57 of the Agreement on the European Economic Area²

Dear Sir or Madam,

- 1. On 1 October 2018, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of the Merger Regulation by which the undertaking Delta Electronics, Inc. ("DEI", Taiwan) acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation control over the whole of the undertaking Delta Electronics (Thailand) Public Company Ltd. ("DET", Thailand) by way of public bid announced on 31 July 2018.³
- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
 - for DEI: DEI is primarily active in power and thermal management solutions but also present in the manufacturing and sale of industrial automation products, digital display products, telecommunication products, components for consumer electronics products, building automation solutions, renewable energy technology solutions, etc.;
 - for DET: DET is an electronics manufacturing company focused on the production of power supplies, fan and thermal management, power systems, automotive electronics and related products. The products are used in applications for automotive, medical, telecommunications, IT, and more.

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.

OJ L 1, 3.1.1994, p. 3 (the 'EEA Agreement').

Publication in the Official Journal of the European Union No C 362, 08.10.2018, p. 14.

- 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 139/2004.⁴
- 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 and Article 57 of the EEA Agreement.

For the Commission

(Signed)
Johannes LAITENBERGER
Director-General

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⁴ OJ C 366, 14.12.2013, p. 5.