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SECTION 1.2

Description of the concentration

On 16 September 2022, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 (EUMR) involving the acquisition of sole control within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) EUMR by Infinigate HLD UK Limited (United Kingdom), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Infinigate Holding AG (Infinigate) (Switzerland), over RPE Investments Limited (RPE) (United Kingdom) by way of purchase of shares. RPE is the holding company of the Nuvias Group (Nuvias), which consists of Nuvias Group Ltd. (United Kingdom) and Nuvias UC Overseas Limited (United Kingdom), while it is itself solely controlled by Rigby Group (RG) plc (United Kingdom). Infinigate is ultimately solely controlled by Bridgepoint Group plc (United Kingdom).

The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

- for Infinigate: wholesale distribution of IT products with a focus on cybersecurity products (including firewalls, VPN gateways, intrusion detection and prevention systems, encryption, virus protection, email and content security solutions, and cloudenabled security solutions) in Western Europe; and
- for Nuvias: wholesale distribution of IT products, with a focus on cybersecurity products and networking solutions in Western Europe.