UNIFORM APPLICATION OF THE COMBINED NOMENCLATURE (NC)

(Classification of goods)

(98/C 253/03)

Explanatory notes adopted in accordance with Article 10(1) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Custom Tariff [1] *as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1048/98* [2]

The Explanatory Notes to the Combined Nomenclature of the European Communities [3] shall be amended as follows:

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Insert the following paragraph:

'The expression "crushed or ground" used in various headings of this Chapter does not cover products cut into pieces.'

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[1] OJ L 256, 7.9.1987, p. 1.
[2] OJ L 151, 21.5.1998, p. 1.
[3] OJ C 342, 5.12.1994, p. 1.

Non-opposition to a notified concentration

(Case No IV/M.1172 — Fortis AG/Generale Bank)

(98/C 253/04)

(Text with EEA relevance)

On 24 June 1998, the Commission decided not to oppose the above notified concentration and to declare it compatible with the common market. This decision is based on Article 6(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 4064/89. The full text of the decision is only available in English and will be made public after it is cleared of any business secrets it may contain. It will be available:

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