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Parker-Hannifin Corporation
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Subject: **Case M.12303 – PARKER-HANNIFIN / FGC**
Commission decision pursuant to Article 6(1)(b) of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ([1]) and Article 57 of the Agreement on the European Economic Area ([2])

Dear Sir or Madam,

(1) On 12 June 2026, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of the Merger Regulation, by which Parker-Hannifin Corporation ('PHC', United States) intends to acquire, within the meaning of Articles 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation, sole control of Filtration Group Corporation ('FGC', United States), controlled by Filtration Group Equity LLC (United States). The concentration is to be accomplished by way of purchase of shares. ([3])

(2) The business activities of the undertakings concerned are the following:

– PHC is a global engineering company active in the design, manufacture and supply of motion and control technologies and systems, which provides precision engineered solutions for a variety of mobile, industrial and aerospace applications; in the European Economic Area, active in the Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany and Austria, Ireland, Italy, Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg, Norway, Poland (covering Eastern and Southeastern Europe), Portugal, Spain and Sweden,

– FGC is a filtration and separation technologies company, whose core business is the design, manufacture and supply of filtration and separation products across multiple industries and applications; in the European

([1]) 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.
([2]) OJ L 1, 3.1.1994, p. 3 (the 'EEA Agreement').
([3]) OJ C, C/2026/3352, 22.6.2026.

Economic Area, active in the Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Romania and Sweden.

(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(d) of the Commission Notice on a simplified treatment for certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004. ([4])

(4) For the reasons set out in the Notice on a simplified treatment, 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)
Anthony WHELAN
Director-General
Directorate-General for Competition

([4]) OJ C 160, 5.5.2023, p. 1 (the 'Notice on a simplified treatment').