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PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPETITION POLICY

EUROPEAN COMMISSION

Prior notification of a concentration

(Case M.10021 — Netcompany/Copenhagen Airports/SMARTER AIRPORTS JV)

Candidate case for simplified procedure

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2020/C 437/09)

1. On 11 December 2020, the Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ([1]).

This notification concerns the following undertakings:

— Netcompany A/S ('Netcompany', Denmark),

— Københavns Lufthavne A/S ('Copenhagen Airports', Denmark), jointly controlled by Arbejdsmarkedets Tillægspension and the Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board,

— SMARTER AIRPORTS A/S ('SMARTER AIRPORTS', Denmark).

Netcompany and Copenhagen Airports acquire within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) and 3(4) of the Merger Regulation joint control of SMARTER AIRPORTS.

The concentration is accomplished by way of purchase of shares in a newly created company constituting a joint venture.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

— for Netcompany: provision of IT services,

— for Copenhagen Airports: owning and operating the airports at Kastrup and Roskilde, Denmark,

— for SMARTER AIRPORTS: provision of a new airport management system to third party airports.

3. On preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified transaction could fall within the scope of the Merger Regulation. However, the final decision on this point is reserved.

Pursuant to the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under the Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004 ([2]) it should be noted that this case is a candidate for treatment under the procedure set out in the Notice.

([1]) OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'Merger Regulation').
([2]) OJ C 366, 14.12.2013, p. 5.

4. The Commission invites interested third parties to submit their possible observations on the proposed operation to the Commission.

Observations must reach the Commission not later than 10 days following the date of this publication. The following reference should always be specified:

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