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Subject: **Case M.11865 – NISSAN / MITSUBISHI / JV**
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 15 January 2025, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of the Merger Regulation, by which Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. ('Nissan', Japan), and Mitsubishi Corporation ('Mitsubishi', Japan) will acquire within the meaning of Articles 3(1)(b) and 3(4) of the Merger Regulation joint control of a newly created joint venture ('NewCo', Japan), by way of purchase of shares. ([3])

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

– Nissan is a multinational stock corporation mainly active in the manufacturing and sale of automotive vehicles,

– Mitsubishi is a trading company globally active in various industries, including mobility, energy, metals, machinery, chemicals, food, and general merchandise.

(3) NewCo will be active in the provision of mobility services and energy-related services utilizing electric vehicles in Japan.

([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/2025/597, 23.1.2025.

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

(5) 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)
Olivier GUERSENT
Director-General

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