# PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPETITION POLICY

# EUROPEAN COMMISSION

## Prior notification of a concentration

## (Case M.10363 — NPM Capital/Infinitas)

## Candidate case for simplified procedure

**(Text with EEA relevance)**

(2021/C 363/03)

1. On 31 August 2021, 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:

— NPM Capital N.V. ('NPM Capital', the Netherlands), and

— Infinitas Learning Holding B.V. ('Infinitas', the Netherlands).

NPM Capital acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation sole control of the whole of Infinitas.

The concentration is accomplished by way of purchase of shares.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

— for NPM Capital: investing in portfolio companies active in a variety of sectors, including automotive, food, healthcare and industrial services; and

— for Infinitas: sale of educational solutions and materials that provide content in line with the mandatory school curriculum (primary, secondary, vocational, and higher education) or accreditation (professional/ healthcare). The buyers are (schools and teachers of) institutions that are accredited to meet standards of educational quality. Infinitas is active in the Netherlands (with its brand 'Noordhoff'), Belgium (with its brand 'Plantyn') and Sweden (with its brand 'Liber').

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.

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

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