Prior notification of a concentration

(Case COMP/ECSC.1341 — RAG/North Goonyella)

(2000/C 289/07)

(Text with EEA relevance)

1. On 2 October 2000 the Commission received a notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 66 of the Treaty establishing the European Coal and Steel Community (ECSC) by which RAG Aktiengesellschaft (RAG), Germany, acquires, within the meaning of Article 66 of the ECSC Treaty control of the North Goonyella Properties Pty Ltd, Australia.

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

— RAG: coalmining, coal trading and importing, production of coke, mining technology, energy, chemicals,

— North Goonyella Properties Pty: coal marketing.

3. On preliminary examination, the Commission finds that the notified concentration could fall within the scope of Article 66 of the ECSC Treaty. However, the final decision on this point is reserved.

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

Observations must reach the Commission not later than 10 days following the date of this publication. Observations can be sent by fax (No (32-2) 296 43 01 or 296 72 44) or by post, under reference COMP/ECSC.1341 — RAG/North Goonyella, to:

European Commission,
Directorate-General for Competition,
Directorate B — Merger Task Force,
Rue Joseph II/Jozef II-straat 70,
B-1000 Brussels.

Non-opposition to a notified concentration

(Case COMP/M.1948 — Techpack International/Valois)

(2000/C 289/08)

(Text with EEA relevance)

On 30 May 2000, 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 French and will be made public after it is cleared of any business secrets it may contain. It will be available:

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