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Subject: **Case M.10268 – SYNNEX / Tech Data**
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 30 June 2021, the European Commission received notification of a proposed concentration pursuant to Article 4 of the Merger Regulation by which SYNNEX Corporation ("SYNNEX", United States of America) intends to acquire, within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation, sole control of the whole of Tech Data Corporation ("Tech Data", United States of America), by way of exchange of shares.[3]

2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:

   – for SYNNEX: provision of technology products and solutions for IT systems to resellers and retail customers outside the European Union as well as comprehensive logistics, distribution, systems design, and integration services for the technology industry. In the EEA[4], SYNNEX is only active in the development and sale of custom-made servers and storage solutions for datacentre users,

   – for Tech Data: wholesale distribution of technology products and solutions to resellers on a global basis.

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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 (the "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 Publication in the Official Journal of the European Union No C 269, 7.07.2021, p. 7.

4 European Economic Area.

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(b) of the Commission Notice on a simplified procedure for treatment of certain concentrations under Council Regulation (EC) No 139/2004.[5]

4. For the reasons set out in the Notice on a simplified procedure, 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

5 OJ C 366, 14.12.2013, p. 5.