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<sup>(1)</sup> Text with EEA relevance.

## IV

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# NOTICES FROM EUROPEAN UNION INSTITUTIONS, BODIES, OFFICES AND AGENCIES

# **EUROPEAN COMMISSION**

# Euro exchange rates (¹) 28 December 2020

(2020/C 451/01)

1 euro =

	Currency	Exchange rate		Currency	Exchange rate
USD	US dollar	1,2219	CAD	Canadian dollar	1,5677
JPY	Japanese yen	126,54	HKD	Hong Kong dollar	9,4731
DKK	Danish krone	7,4361	NZD	New Zealand dollar	1,7160
GBP	Pound sterling	0,90408	SGD	Singapore dollar	1,6237
SEK	Swedish krona	10,1070	KRW	South Korean won	1 340,87
CHF	Swiss franc	1,0854	ZAR	South African rand	17,8008
ISK	Iceland króna	156,10	CNY	Chinese yuan renminbi	7,9906
NOK		10,5713	HRK	Croatian kuna	7,5435
	Norwegian krone		IDR	Indonesian rupiah	17 337,66
BGN	Bulgarian lev	1,9558	MYR	Malaysian ringgit	4,9490
CZK	Czech koruna	26,247	PHP	Philippine peso	58,700
HUF	Hungarian forint	363,46	RUB	Russian rouble	90,0681
PLN	Polish zloty	4,4907	THB	Thai baht	36,865
RON	Romanian leu	4,8745	BRL	Brazilian real	6,3443
TRY	Turkish lira	9,1254	MXN	Mexican peso	24,3136
AUD	Australian dollar	1,6083	INR	Indian rupee	89,8145

 $<sup>(^{\</sup>scriptscriptstyle 1})$  Source: reference exchange rate published by the ECB.

## NOTICES FROM MEMBER STATES

## **Public holidays 2021**

(2020/C 451/02)

Belgique.België	1.1, 5.4, 13.5, 24.5, 21.7, 27.9, 1.11, 2.11, 15.11, 15.11, 27.12, 28.12, 29.12, 30.12, 31.12
България	1.1, 3.3, 30.4, 1.5, 2. 5, 3. 5, 4. 5, 6.5, 24.5, 6.9, 22.9, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12, 27.12, 28.12
Česká republika	1.1, 2.4, 5.4, 1.5, 8.5, 5.7, 6.7, 28.9, 28.10, 17.11, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12
Danmark	1.1, 1.4, 2.4, 4.4, 5.4, 30.4, 13.5, 23.5, 24.5, 25.12, 26.12
Deutschland	1.1, 8.3, 2.4, 5.4, 1.5, 13.5, 24.5, 3.10, 25.12, 26.12
Eesti	1.1, 24.2, 2.4, 4.4, 1.5, 23.5, 23.6, 24.6, 20.8, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12
Éire.Ireland	1.1, 17.3, 5.4, 3.5, 7.6, 2.8, 25.10, 25.12, 26.12
Ελλάδα	1.1, 6.1, 15.3, 25.3, 30.4, 1.5, 3.5, 21.6, 15.8, 28.10, 25.12, 26.12
España	1.1, 6.1, 2.4, 1.5, 12.10, 1.11, 6.12, 8.12, 25.12
France	1.1, 5.4, 1.5, 8.5, 13.5, 24.5, 14.7, 15.8, 1.11, 11.11, 25.12
Hrvatska	1.1, 6.1, 4.4, 5.4, 1.5, 30.5, 3.6, 22.6, 5.8, 15.8, 1.11, 18.11, 25.12, 26.12
Italia	1.1, 6.1, 5.4, 25.4, 1.5, 2.6, 15.8, 1.11, 8.12, 25.12, 26.12
Κύπρος.Kıbrıs	1.1, 6.1, 15.3, 25.3, 1.4, 30.4, 1.5, 3.5, 21.6, 1.10, 15.8, 28.10, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12
Latvija	1.1, 2.4, 4.4, 5.4, 1.5, 3.5, 4.5, 23.5, 23.6, 24.6, 25.6, 18.11, 19.11, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12, 31.12
Lietuva	1.1, 16.2, 11.3, 4.4, 5.4, 1.5, 2.5, 6.6, 24.6, 6.7, 15.8, 1.11, 2.11, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12
Luxembourg	1.1, 5.4, 13.5, 24.5, 23.6, 1.11
Magyarország	1.1, 15.3, 2.4, 5.4, 1.5, 24.5, 20.8, 23.10, 1.11, 25.12, 26.12
Malta	1.1, 10.2, 19.3, 31.3, 2.4, 1.5, 7.6, 29.6, 15.8, 8.9, 21.9, 8.12, 13.12, 25.12
Nederland	1.1, 2.4, 4.4, 5.4, 27.4, 5.5, 13.5, 14.5, 23.5, 24.5, 25.12, 26.12
Österreich	1.1, 6.1, 5.4, 1.5, 13.5, 24.5, 3.6, 15.8, 26.10, 1.11, 08.12, 25.12, 26.12
Polska	1.1, 6.1, 4.4, 5.4, 1.5, 3.5, 3.6, 15.8, 1.11, 11.11, 25.12, 26.12
Portugal	1.1, 2.4, 4.4, 25.4, 1.5, 3.6, 10.6, 15.8, 5.10, 1.11, 1.12, 8.12, 25.12
România	1.1, 2.1, 24.1, 30.4, 1.5, 2.5, 3.5, 1.6, 20.6, 21.6, 15.8, 30.11, 1.12, 25.12, 26.12
Slovenija	1.1, 8.2, 5.4, 27.4, 25.6, 1.11
Slovensko	1.1, 6.1, 2.4, 5.4, 1.5, 8.5, 5.7, 29.8, 1.9, 15.9, 1.11, 17.11, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12
Suomi.Finland	1.1, 6.1, 2.4, 4.4, 5.4, 1.5, 13.5, 23.5, 25.6, 26.6, 6.11, 6.12, 24.12, 25.12, 26.12
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(Announcements)

# PROCEDURES RELATING TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COMPETITION POLICY

## **EUROPEAN COMMISSION**

Prior notification of a concentration
(Case M.10066 — Carlyle/Flender)
Candidate case for simplified procedure

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2020/C 451/03)

1. On 17 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:

- The Carlyle Group Inc. ('Carlyle', USA),
- Flender GmbH ('Flender', Germany).

Carlyle acquires within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation sole control of the whole of Flender.

The concentration is accomplished by way of purchase of shares.

- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
- for Carlyle: a global alternative asset manager, which manages funds that invest globally across four investment disciplines: (i) Corporate Private Equity (buyout and growth capital); (ii) Real Assets (real estate, infrastructure and energy and renewable resources); (iii) Global Credit (structured credit, mezzanine, distressed, hedge funds, and middle market debt); and (iv) Investment Solutions (private equity fund of funds program and related co-investment and secondary activities),
- for Flender: a supplier of mechanical drive products as well as generators, systems and services for industrial applications, power generation and for the wind power industry.
- 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.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'Merger Regulation').

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ C 366, 14.12.2013, p. 5.

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

M.10066 — Carlyle/Flender

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#### Prior notification of a concentration

# (Case M.10044 — Mississippi Ventures/Parcom/Hema) Candidate case for simplified procedure

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2020/C 451/04)

1. On 15 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:

- Mississippi Ventures B.V. ('Mississippi', the Netherlands), controlled by the Van Eerd family,
- Parcom Buy-Out Fund VI Coöperatief U.A. ('Parcom', the Netherlands),
- HEMA B.V. ('HEMA', the Netherlands).

Mississippi and Parcom acquire within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) and 3(4) of the Merger Regulation joint control of the whole of HEMA.

The concentration is accomplished by way of purchase of shares.

- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
- for Mississippi: investments on behalf of the Dutch entrepreneurial Van Eerd family which also owns Jumbo Supermarkets in the Netherlands;
- for Parcom: private equity investment in middle market companies with management and operations based in the Benelux.
- for HEMA B.V.: retail sales of a wide range of non-food products, including clothing, home textiles, cosmetics, personal care, bicycle equipment, gardening tools, and office supplies through its department stores in the Netherlands and other countries.
- 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:

M.10044 — Mississippi Ventures/Parcom/Hema

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'Merger Regulation').

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#### Prior notification of a concentration

# (Case M.10107 — BlackRock/Mubadala/Goldman Sachs/Calisen) Candidate case for simplified procedure

(Text with EEA relevance)

(2020/C 451/05)

1. On 21 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:

- BlackRock Alternatives Management LLC ('BAM', USA), an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of BlackRock Inc. ('BlackRock', USA),
- Ninteenth Investment Company LLC ('Ninteenth', Abu Dhabi) wholly owned by Mubadala Investment Company PJSC ('Mubadala', Abu Dhabi),
- Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ('Goldman Sachs', USA) and WSIP III (USA), a fund indirectly managed by Goldman Sachs,
- Calisen plc is a public company listed on the London Stock Exchange ('Calisen', UK).

BlackRock, Mubadala and Goldman Sachs acquire within the meaning of Article 3(1)(b) of the Merger Regulation joint control of Calisen.

The concentration is accomplished by way of public bid announced on 11 December 2020.

- 2. The business activities of the undertakings concerned are:
- for BAM: controls and manages investment decisions of a fund which operates globally and focusses on investments in the energy and power infrastructure value chain. It is an indirect subsidiary of BlackRock, a global investment, asset and risk management firm, which also provides advisory services to institutional and retail clients around the world,
- for Ninteenth: manages Mubadala's energy infrastructure portfolio. It is an indirectly wholly-owned subsidiary of Mubadala, which invests globally and actively manages a diversified portfolio with priority sectors including aerospace, ICT, semiconductors, metals & mining, renewable energy, oil and gas, petrochemicals, utilities, healthcare, real estate, defence services, pharma & medtech, agribusiness and a global portfolio of financial holdings,
- for Goldman Sachs: a global investment banking, securities and investment management firm that provides a range of banking, securities and investment services worldwide to a substantial and diversified client base that includes corporations, financial institutions, governments and high-net-worth individuals,
- for Calisen: procurement, installation, ownership and management of a portfolio of electricity and gas meters, with a particular focus on smart meters in the UK.
- 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:

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 24, 29.1.2004, p. 1 (the 'Merger Regulation').

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ C 366, 14.12.2013, p. 5.

M.10107 — BlackRock/Mubadala/Goldman Sachs/Calisen

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