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Dear Victor:

understand that, with respect to the acquisition of such acquisition would be exempt such acquisition would be exempt to the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1975 if the acquisition will not confer control. Improvements Act of 1976 if the acquisition will not confer control of (i) an issuer which holds assets located in the United States having an aggregate book value of \$15 million or more or (ii) a U. S. issuer with annual net sales or total assets of \$25 million or more. My understanding is that the exemption under Rule 802.51(b) is available even if the acquiring and acquired persons do not meet the aggregate annual sales and total assets tests under Rule 802.51(d).

immediately if my understanding of Rule 802.51 as discussed above is not correct. Please call me collect at Thank you for your kind assistance.



