



Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy

On 12 May 2017, following a review, the Competition and Markets Authority recommended to the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy that BAE Systems should be released from two undertakings it gave following its merger with Marconi Electronic Systems in 1999, under the Fair Trading Act 1973. The Secretary of State sought further representations from interested parties. After consideration of these additional representations he has decided to maintain the undertakings on BAE Systems for the next two years and review it at that point.