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## Planned combination of Siemens Mobility and Alstom reaches further milestones

- **French Ministry for the Economy and Finance gives green light**
- **France's financial markets regulator grants Siemens exemption**

The planned combination of Siemens' mobility business, including its rail traction drive business, with Alstom has reached the next milestones. In connection with the transaction, the French Ministry for the Economy and Finance (MINEFI) has granted Siemens foreign investment clearance. The Ministry can restrict or prohibit foreign investments in specified industries in France.

In addition, France's financial markets regulator Autorité des Marchés Financiers (AMF) granted Siemens an exemption from the mandatory filing of a takeover offer for the remaining shares of the new company after completion of the deal.

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