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Intermarché, Auchan and Carrefour respectively notified the *Autorité de la concurrence* on 8 February, 27 February and 7 March 2024 of plans to acquire a total of 323 food retail stores currently operated by the Casino group, and, at the same time, requested derogations from the suspensive effect of merger control.

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