OECD Webinar on ‘Merger Control in Times of Crisis’

Tuesday, 26 May 2020

Join to be admitted at 08:30 CEST

AGENDA

09.00-09.10
Welcome and Housekeeping
Ruben Maximiano (Senior Competition Expert, OECD)
Opening Remarks: The OECD effort to support competition agencies in the current crisis
António Gomes (Deputy Director, Head of Competition, Finance and Investment (Market Cluster), Directorate for Financial and Enterprise Affairs, OECD)

09.10-09.25
Experts’ Presentations
Massimo Motta (ICREA Research Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona Graduate School of Economics)
Peter Alexiadis (Partner, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher)

09.25-09.45
Country Experience
United Kingdom -Eleni Gouliou (Director of Mergers, Competition and Markets Authority)
European Union -Marco Ramondino (Case Handler, European Commission, DG Competition)
Russia - Andrey Tsyganov (Deputy Head, Federal Antimonopoly Service Russia)
Kenya - Raphael Mburu (Manager Mergers and Acquisitions, Competition Authority of Kenya)

09.45-09.55 Q&A

09.55-10.00 Thoughts and reactions on the discussion
Massimo Motta (ICREA Research Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona Graduate School of Economics)
Peter Alexiadis (Partner, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher)

10.00-10.05 BREAK

PART II: FAILING FIRM DEFENCE

OECD Secretariat Introduction
Matteo Giangaspero (Competition Expert, OECD)

10.05-10.20 Experts’ Presentations
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Massimo Motta (ICREA Research Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona Graduate School of Economics)

10.20-10.40 Country Experience
United Kingdom - Eleni Gouliou (Director of Mergers, Competition and Markets Authority)

Korea - Jihong Son (Deputy Director of International Cooperation Division, Korea Fair Trade Commission)

Australia - Suzie Copley (Acting Executive General Manager of the Merger and Authorisation Review Division, Australia Competition and Consumer Commission)

Portugal - Ana Sofia Rodrigues (Chief Economist, Portuguese Competition Authority)

10.40-10.50 Q&A

10.50-10.55 Thoughts and reactions on the discussion
Peter Alexiadis (Partner, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher)
Massimo Motta (ICREA Research Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra and Barcelona Graduate School of Economics)

10.55-11.00 Closing
Ruben Maximiano (Senior Competition Expert, OECD)