

Thursday 15 March 2018

Roundtable to discuss applying competition law and policy to big data and the sharing economy and exclusive distribution agreements where the distributor has a large market share

08:45-09:00	Registration
09:00-09:15	Opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mr. YANG Hongcan, Director General, Anti-Monopoly and Anti-Unfair Competition Enforcement Bureau, State Administration for Industry and Commerce- Mr Torben TOFT, Senior Expert, Directorate General for Competition, European Commission, Brussels
Moderator: Ms Hilary JENNINGS, Special Adviser on Competition Policy, EU-China Competition Co-operation	
09:15-12:45	Session I – Application of competition law and policy to big data and the sharing economy <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The relationship between competition law, innovation and new digital business models• Characteristics of these markets• What competition issues do these models raise?• Types of regulatory and enforcement approaches – challenges and options <p>Presentations by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mr Antonio CAPOBIANCO, Senior Competition Expert, Competition Division, OECD- Professor Dr. Stephan SIMON, Senior Expert Mergers/ Case Manager Services Industries, DG Competition, Brussels- Mr. YIN Jie, Deputy Director, Anti-Monopoly and Anti-Unfair Competition Enforcement Bureau, State Administration for Industry and Commerce <p>Q&A Session with all speakers and experts</p>
12:45-14:15	Lunch
14:15-17:00	Session II – Exclusive distribution agreements – when the distributor has a large market share.

	<p>Overview</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competition assessment of exclusive distribution agreements • Application of the Vertical Block Exemption • Vertical guidelines <p>Presentations by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Mr. ZHAO Guobin, Director, Anti-Monopoly and Anti-Unfair Competition Enforcement Bureau, State Administration for Industry and Commerce – Professor Dr. Stephan SIMON, Senior Expert Mergers/ Case Manager Services Industries, DG Competition, Brussels <p>Discussion and commentary by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Mr Antonio CAPOBIANCO, Senior Competition Expert, Competition Division, OECD <p>Roundtable discussion and Q&A session with all speakers and experts</p>
17:00 – 17:15	<p>Closing remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Mr. CHEN Zhuo, Deputy Director General, International Cooperation Department, State Administration for Industry and Commerce – Mr Torben TOFT, Senior Expert, Directorate General for Competition, European Commission