

ICN Steering Group Meeting Wednesday, 14 March 2018, 2pm CET

Attendees

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission Brazilian Administrative Council for Economic Defense Competition Bureau Canada Colombian Superintendencia de Industria y Comercio **European Commission DG Competition** French Autorité de la concurrence German Bundeskartellamt **Competition Commission of India** Japan Fair Trade Commission Italian Autorità Garante della Concorrenza e del Mercato Korean Fair Trade Commission Mexican Federal Economic Competition Commission Netherlands Authority for Consumers and Markets Portuguese Competition Authority Russian Federal Antimonopoly Service **Competition Commission of Singapore** Competition Commission of South Africa Spanish National Authority for Markets and Competition Turkish Competition Authority Rekabet Kurumu United Kingdom Competition and Markets Authority **United States Department of Justice United States Federal Trade Commission**

Item 1: Approval of Agenda and Minutes

The Chair, Andreas Mundt, welcomed the Steering Group (SG) members. The SG approved the proposed agenda and the minutes of the SG meeting on 21 February 2018.

Item 2: Work products

The Chair thanked the working groups for their hard work. The working group co-chairs presented their work products as described in the Summary of ICN Work Product circulated together with the draft work products to SG members before the call.

The SG members approved the work products.

With regard to the AEWG due process project, the SG agreed that the 2015 "Guidance on Investigative Process" might be further developed to RPs within the next ICN year, ideally still

in 2018. The ITOD team informed the SG that in the future ITOD will be organizationally allocated to AIN.

<u>Item 3: WG Chair rotation</u>

The Chair explained the rotation process and suggested to the SG to consider reviewing the process in the next year. The SG supported this proposal.

The Chair presented the future ICN working group leadership for the ICN year 2018/19 in accordance with the overview circulated to SG members before the SG meeting.

AWG	Singapore CC 2017-2020	KKV Sweden 2015-2018 Comp Com Hong Kong	COFECE Mexico 2015-2018 Norway CA	
AEWG	Canada Comp Bureau 2017-2020	Norway CA 2016-2019 KKV Sweden	CCI India 2015-2018 US DOJ	
	Additional AEWG commitments: • ITOD: US FTC			
CWG	Brazil CADE 2017-2020	EC DG COMP 2016-2019	Comp Com South Africa 2015-2018 Autorité	
	Additional CWG commitments: Subgroup 1: GVH Hungary (2016-2019) Turkish Competition Authority (2017-2020) Subgroup 2: Netherlands ACM (2017-2020) FAS Russia (2014-2017) FNE Chile and COFECE: Project lead 			
MWG	Japan FTC 2017-2020	US FTC 2016-2019	Autorité France 2015-2018 UK CMA	
UCWG	AGCM Italy 2017-2020	ACCC 2016-2019	US DOJ 2015-2018 Comp Com South Africa	
	Additional UCWG commitments: CCI: Project lead			
OFWG	Columbia	Canada CB TBD		
Membership WG	KFTC 2013-2016	CNMC Spain 2014-2017		

AIN	AdC Portugal	US FTC	COFECE

Item 4: Annual Conference

CCI provided an update on the 2018 ICN Annual Conference in New Delhi.

Item 5: Website

The website team provided an update and informed the SG that a demo version of the new website will be presented at the Annual Conference.

Item 6: UNCTAD

The Chair reminded the SG that UNCTAD has established a discussion group on international cooperation. To ensure complementarity between the ICN and UNCTAD the Chair suggested to the SG to establish a formal liaison with UNCTAD in line with the already existing ICN/OECD liaison.

The SG agreed to invite Alessandra Tonazzi, Italian Competition Authority, to act as ICN/UNCTAD liaison. Ms Tonazzi accepted and took over with immediate effect.

Item 6: Future SG Meetings

The next SG meeting will be held on March 23, 2018 (New Delhi).