



Competition Law Association

British Group of the
Ligue Internationale du Droit de la Concurrence
(International League for Competition Law)

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Dear Member

AGM and Lunchtime Webinar: Tuesday 8 September 2020 at 1pm

The 2020 Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held on Tuesday 8 September 2020 at 1pm.

A copy of the Notice of the AGM is attached together with draft minutes of last year's AGM. We are taking advantage of the Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020 to hold this AGM remotely.

Any member of the Association wishing to propose a resolution for consideration at the AGM may do so by giving seven clear days' notice in writing to the Secretary of his/her intention to do so. Please note that associate members of the Association are not able to propose a resolution for consideration at the AGM.

The AGM is being held in conjunction with a lunchtime webinar from 1.15 pm until approximately 2.30pm.

Nigel Parr and **Dan Rawling** have kindly agreed to speak on the following subject:

“Exiting Lockdown: Implications for Competition Law”

Dan Rawling is a Director in the Policy & International team at the Competition and Markets Authority. Dan joined the Office of Fair Trading in 2006 and worked on a variety of competition law and consumer protection cases. Subsequently, Dan worked at the Payment Systems Regulator on economic regulation of payment systems and at the Bank of England on the financial stability supervision of market infrastructure.

Since 2018, Dan has led on cross-cutting CMA policy projects, with an emphasis on reform of the CMA's powers and procedures. As part of the CMA's Covid-19 Taskforce, Dan worked on advising Government on options for emergency legislation and on the policy response to price gouging behaviour.

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Nigel Parr is a partner at Ashurst LLP and chairs the Global Competition and Antitrust practice. He specialises in all aspects of UK and EU competition law, including mergers, strategic business advice and competition risk management, cartel and abuse of dominance cases, market/sector investigations, appeals and competition litigation. Recent cases include acting for Lloyds Banking Group in connection with the Retail Banking investigation and development of open Banking, Royal Mail in connection with Ofcom's discriminatory pricing abuse case and appeals to the CAT and Court of Appeal, Intel in its appeals to the EU General Court and ECJ in connection with the Commission's rebates decision, Application Developers Alliance before the EU General Court in relation to the Google Android case, and the merger of private hospital providers Circle Health and BMI, which took place at the height of the Covid-19 pandemic.

There is no additional charge for members. There will be a charge of £10 for all non-members.

To register for this event, please visit the 'New Events' section of the CLA website: <https://www.competitionlawassociation.org.uk/newevents.htm>

An online link to join the webinar will be circulated via email the day before to all those who have registered.

Note: if you would like to put any questions to the speakers, please send them in advance via email and by no later than Friday 4 September to the CLA Administrator (admin@competitionlawassociation.org.uk).

Online registration will close on Monday 7 September. Tickets will not be issued for this event.

With kind regards

Sharon Horwitz
Secretary

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