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(International League for Competition Law)

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Dear Member

Annual General Meeting and Lunchtime Meeting at Addleshaw Goddard LLP: Wednesday 19 July 2017 at 1.00 pm

The 2017 Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held on **Wednesday 19 July** at Addleshaw Goddard LLP, Milton Gate, 60 Chiswell Street, London EC1Y 4AG. Registration for the event will start at **12:30pm** followed by the AGM and lecture at **12.45pm**.

A copy of the Notice of the AGM is attached together with draft minutes of last year's AGM. Please note that there will be an election of Officers and other Committee Members this year, the details of which are enclosed.

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 meeting. **Professor Vincent Martenet** and **Sir Christopher Bellamy** have kindly agreed to speak on the following subject:

"Maintaining a competition law relationship with the EU whilst not a member state"

Professor Vincent Martenet has been Chairman of the Swiss Competition Commission since July 2010. He holds a law degree from the University of Neuchâtel (Switzerland), as well as a diploma of advanced studies and a doctorate degree from the University of Geneva (Switzerland). In addition, he was granted a master degree (LL.M.) by Yale University (United States) in 2000.

After having practised law more than five years, he was appointed ordinary (tenured) Professor of Law at the University of Lausanne (Switzerland) and member of the Swiss Competition Commission in 2005. He was vice-chairman of the Commission from January 2008 until June 2010 and has been chairman of the Commission since July 2010. He remains ordinary Professor of Law at the University of Lausanne where he teaches Swiss and comparative constitutional law as well as competition law. His fields of interest are constitutional law, public economic law and competition law.

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Sir Christopher Bellamy QC is Chairman of the Linklaters Global Competition practice. He is considered to be one of the most influential competition lawyers in Europe and specialises in high level strategic advice involving competition, regulatory or EU issues. For many years a practising barrister, when he regularly acted for the British Government, he was a judge of what is now the EU General Court from 1992 to 1999 and President of the UK Competition Appeal Tribunal from 2000 to 2007, before joining Linklaters. He holds a GCR Lifetime Achievement Award.

The presentations and discussion following the AGM will last for about an hour. A sandwich lunch will be provided before the talk. There is no additional charge for members. There will be a charge for non-members: £50, or £35 (full time academic/public sector employees), or £10 (students, trainees, pupil barristers).

On-line registration will close on Tuesday 18 July. Tickets will not be issued for this event.

Kind regards

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Secretary

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