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As antitrust proliferates in Asia, *GCR Live* returns to focus on the newer regimes, particularly within the ASEAN region, how they interact, and how they embed themselves within the rest of Asia and the world. Known for the frequent participation of regulators from around the region, *GCR Live Singapore* offers a unique opportunity to understand this new frontier of antitrust.

Day One

	Programme
8:45	Welcome coffee and registration
9:15	Chairs' welcome
9:30	<p>ASEAN Regulators' Roundtable</p> <p>Given the varying stages of maturity of competition laws and agencies and differing intensity of enforcement in the ASEAN region, this session brings together regulators from a number of jurisdictions to discuss capacity building, the development of competition laws in the region, the differing treatment of key commercial conduct, key policy drivers in each jurisdiction, enforcement of competition laws, focus markets and recent cases.</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Chong Kin Lim, <i>Drew & Napier</i></p>

	<p>Panel: Arsenio M. Balisacan, <i>Chairman, Philippine Competition Commission, Pasig City</i> Dato' Abu Samah Shabudin, <i>CEO, Malaysia Competition Commission, Kuala Lumpur</i> Trinh Anh Tuan, <i>Deputy Director-General, Vietnam Competition Authority, Hanoi</i> Khouanchay lemsouthi, <i>Deputy Director-General, Domestic Trade Department, Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Vientiane</i> Toh Han Li, <i>Chief Executive, Competition Commission of Singapore (CCS)</i> Kamser Lumbanradja, <i>Commissioner, Indonesia's Commission for the Supervision of Business Competition (KPPU), Jakarta</i></p>
11:00	Coffee break
11:30	<p style="text-align: center;">Roadblocks and solutions in cross-border mergers</p> <p>With increasing cross-border merger and acquisition activity, the importance of efficient coordination in obtaining merger clearances also intensifies. What are the potential roadblocks to arise and how can they be managed; through the use of efficiency arguments, commitments or other strategies?</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Alasdair Mordaunt, <i>Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer</i></p> <p>Panel: Greg Houston, <i>HoustonKemp Economists</i> Mark Ohlson, <i>Yangming Partners</i> Herbert Fung, <i>Director, Business and Economics, Competition Commission of Singapore</i> Francois Renard, <i>Allen & Overy</i> Kirstie Nicholson, <i>Managing Competition Counsel, BHP Billiton</i></p>
12:50	Networking lunch hosted by Drew & Napier
13:50	<p style="text-align: center;">Competition law enforcement of anti-competitive agreements and abuse of dominance: what is working and what can be improved.</p> <p>This session will consider recent trends in approaches to enforcement, changes to laws and guidelines and recent cases, in an attempt to distil what is working, and where there is room for improvement.</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> H. Stephen Harris Jr., <i>Winston & Strawn</i></p> <p>Panel: Scott Clements, <i>Drew & Napier</i> David Fruitman, <i>Regional Competition Counsel/Senior Consultant, DFDL, Phnom Penh</i> Ninette Dodoo, <i>Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer</i> Mochamad Fachri, <i>Hadiputranto, Hadinoto & Partners; a member of Baker McKenzie</i></p>

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15:05	<i>Coffee break</i>
15:20	<p style="text-align: center;">Disruptive Technology and Two-Sided Markets – Competition Law Approaches to a New Way of Doing Business</p> <p>The digitalisation of the economy has brought with it a sea of change in the way business is conducted, with the growth of platforms such as Amazon, Ebay, Uber and AirBnB which enable individual asset owners and merchants to provide services to consumers through these providers' platforms. Is there a need to re-examine traditional competition law assessment and enforcement processes in light of the changes to doing business in the digital economy?</p> <p>Moderator: Philip Williams, <i>Frontier Economics</i></p> <p>Panel: Ne Ee Kia, <i>Senior Director, Policy and Markets Division, Competition Commission of Singapore</i> Cento Veljanovski, <i>Case Associates</i> Luke Woodward, <i>Gilbert & Tobin</i></p>
16:35	<i>Chairs' closing remarks</i>
16:45	Close of day one
17:00	<i>Drinks reception hosted by Shearman & Sterling</i>

Day Two

	Programme
8:30	<i>Welcome coffee and registration</i>
9:00	<i>Chairs' welcome</i>
9:15	<p style="text-align: center;">E-commerce and Big Data – Innovation and the impact on competition</p> <p>The increasing digitalisation of services and the growth of e-commerce is a modern phenomenon. This creates new challenges, particularly with regard to the handling of Big Data, which also give rise to novel and complex competition issues. This session will discuss the impact of e-commerce and big data on competition, possible competition concerns and the approaches taken by authorities/regulators to handle competition concerns in these areas.</p>

	<p>Moderator: Susan Ning, <i>King & Wood Mallesons</i></p> <p>Panel: Burton Ong, <i>National University of Singapore</i> Wang Liyuan, Deputy Division Chief, Supervision and Law Enforcement Division, Anti-Monopoly Bureau of the Ministry of Commerce (MOFCOM), Beijing Jessica Delbaum, <i>Shearman & Sterling</i></p>
10:30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:00	<p>North Asia Roundtable: The interface of IP and Antitrust – is there some emerging clarity?</p> <p>Intellectual property laws and competition laws often work towards the achievement of the same ends – such as facilitating innovation and increasing efficiency – but those ends are achieved through very different means creating a natural tension between the two and it is important for a balance to be struck. This panel will discuss whether there is recent increased clarity in the interplay between these IP and Competition laws, and what issues are yet to be resolved.</p> <p>Moderator: Hartmut Schneider, <i>Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr and Co-Chair of the ABA Section of Antitrust Law's Intellectual Property Committee</i></p> <p>Panel: Joy Fuyuno, <i>Director of Competition Law for Asia, Microsoft</i> Sean Sinsung Yun, <i>Yoon & Yang</i> Miguel Rato, <i>Shearman & Sterling</i> Sadaaki Suwazono, <i>Director, International Affairs Division, Japan Fair Trade Commission</i> DG Zhang Handong, <i>Director General, Price Supervision & Anti-Monopoly Bureau, National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC), Beijing</i></p>
12:20	<i>Chairs' closing remarks</i>
12:30	<i>Close of conference</i>

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