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SCF held its 5th and 6th meeting



The 5th meeting of the Sofia Competition Forum took place on 13 – 14 November 2014 in Sofia. The main topics were "Inspections on spot" and "Procedural fairness in inspections on spot".
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The 6th SCF meeting was held on 29 May 2015 in Sofia with main topics "Procedural fairness in competition cases" and "Interrelation between public and private enforcement of competition law".
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European Commissioner for Competition Ms. Margrethe Vestager took part in the Sofia Competition Forum



The European Commissioner for Competition Ms. Margrethe Vestager was the keynote speaker at the 8th meeting of the Sofia Competition Forum which was held on 10 June 2016. She outlined the main advantages of the commitments (which were the general topic of the meeting) and made an emphasis on the electricity and gas markets and the role of the competition authorities to make energy markets work for consumers. [Page 31](#)

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- 4th comparative overview
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