

JOURNAL Fifth United Nations Conference to Review all Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices

Antalya, Turkey, 14 – 18 November 2005

PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS Monday, 14 November 2005

10.00 a.m. Opening of the Conference

Plenary Hall

All participants and other dignitaries and invitees should be seated by 9.45 a.m.

Opening

- Mr. Mustafa Parlak, President of the Turkish Competition Authority
- Dr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD
- Mr. Abdüllatif Şener, Acting Prime Minister of Turkey

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10.45 a.m. Press conference (private)

Room A

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11.00 a.m. First plenary meeting

Plenary Hall

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<u>Item 3</u> Adoption of the rules of procedure

(TD/RBP/CONF.3/2/Rev.1)

Item 4 Adoption of the agenda and organization

of the work of the Conference

(TD/RBP/CONF.6/1)

Item 5 Credentials of the representatives to the

Conference:

- (a) Appointment of a Credentials Committee
- General statements by delegations

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- Item 6 Review of All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices
 - (a) Review of application and implementation of the Set (TD/RBP/CONF.6/4-6 & 9-13; TD/B/COM.2/CLP/48)
 - Introduction by Ms. Lakshmi Puri, Director, DITC, UNCTAD
 - Official launching of the publication "Competition Provisions in Regional Trade Agreements: How to Assure Development Gains" by Dr. Supachai Panitchpakdi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

Panel I

"International cooperation, including regional cooperation agreements on competition law and policy"

 Application of competition law and policy principles at regional and international level

Discussants

- Ms. Mariana Tavares (Brazil)
- Mr. Jairo Rubio Escobar (Colombia)
- Mr. George Kapelwa Lipimile (Zambia)
- Ms. Susan Joekes (International Development Research Centre)
- Prof. Simon Evenett (University of St. Gallen, Switzerland)
- Mr. Pradeep S. Mehta (Consumer Unity & Trust Society)

Panel II

"How to operationalize special and differential treatment in the application of competition Law and Policy"

Keynote speakers

- Mr. Bruno Lasserre (France)
- Mrs. Anne Purcell (United States)
- Mr. Vinod Dhall (India)
- Prof. Eleanor Fox (School of Law, New York University, United States)
- Dr. Güven Sak (Tepay)
- Mr. Eduardo Perez Motta (Mexico)
- Mr. Andreas Mundt (Germany)
- Mr. Hans Peter Tschaeni (Switzerland)

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6.30–8.00 p.m. Reception offered by H.E. Mr. Ali Co Şkun, Minister of Industry and Trade

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ANNOUNCEMENTS BY DELEGATIONS

• Group B will meet on Monday, 14 November 2005, at 8.30 a.m. and 6.15 p.m. in Room B.

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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS Tuesday, 15 November 2005

10.00 a.m. Third meeting

Plenary Hall

- <u>Item 6</u> Review of All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices
 - (b) Consideration of proposals for the improvement and further development of the Set, including international cooperation in the field of control of restrictive business practices

Voluntary Peer review on Competion Policy: Jamaica (TD/RBP/CONF.6/7)

Introductory remarks by the UNCTAD secretariat

Moderator

Mr. Ulf Böge, President, Bundeskartellamt

Panellists:

- Ms Hilary Jenning, OFT, United Kingdom
- Mr. Vinod Dhall, Competition Commission, India.

Session I

 Presentation of the country report by Mr. Gilles Ménard (Canada), consultant for the UNCTAD secretariat

Observations by:

- Dr. Peter-John Gordon, Chairman, and Mrs. Barbara Lee, Executive Director, Fair Trading Commission (FTC)
- Questions and answers: Successive rounds of questions by panellists and responses by the Jamaican delegates

Session II

 An interactive session on specific issues identified in the peer review report and issues on which the Jamaica Fair Trading Commission might seek clarification and advice from participating competition authorities.

Session III

 The way forward: Presentation of a joint UNCTAD-IDB project in support of the FTC work programme and summing-up of final recommendations by the Moderator.

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3.00 p.m. Fourth meeting

Plenary Hall

Room A

<u>Item 6</u> Review of All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices

Panel III:

"The role of economic analysis in competition law enforcement"

Presentations by panellists

- Mr. Serdar Dalkir (MICRA)
- Mr. Miguel Cantillo (Costa Rica)
- Mr. Owen Tshabangu (Zimbabwe)
- Ms. Alessandra Tonazzi (Italy)
- Ms. Agnieszka Kaldonek (Poland)
- Mr. George Lipimile (Zambia)
- Mr. Shan Ramburuth (South Africa)

Panel IV

"The role of the judiciary in competition law enforcement"

Presentations by panellists

- Mr. Jaime Barahona (Chile)
- Mr. Andreas Mundt (Germany)
- Ms. Luna Abadi (Jordan)
- Ms. Geraldine Emberger (DG-Competition, EU)
- Mr. Mouhamadou Diawara (Senegal)
- Mr. Ghazi Jeribi (Tunisia)
- Mr. Silvio Meli (Malta)
- Mr. Ismail Malis (Argentina)

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SIDE EVENTS Tuesday, 15 November 2005

6.15 p.m.

- Presentation of findings of an EC-funded research project on competition, consumer protection and development
- Presentation by CRC (Manchester University) on recent research on competition regulation and development

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INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Spouses' Tour programme

Day 1 (14.11.2005)	Alanya city tour Kleopatra beach sight-seeing and a visit to Alanya Castle and the Red Tower
Day 2 (15.11.2005)	Perge/Aspendos tour Visit to Perge antique theatre and Aspendos antique theatre
Day 3 (16.11.2005)	Agora tour Visit to the antique theatre and the Manavgat Falls
Day 4 (18.11.2005)	Antalya tour Visit to the Kurşunlu Falls, Antalya Castle, the Clock Tower, Antalya Museum and Hadrian's Gate
Day 5 (19.11.2005)	Phaselis antique city tour

Tour registration: Transport and guides are free. Reservations can be made directly at the information desk located near the Gloria Golf Resort Hotel reception before 4 p.m. at least one day before the tour date. (For the tour on day 1, please make reservations as soon as possible.) All tours are run with a minimum of five people. For more information, please contact Ms. Gonca Gür (tel: 0532 602 01 60)

Shuttle programme

Gloria Verde - Gloria Golf Departure time		Gloria Golf - Gloria Verde Departure time	
8:30	16:00	10:00	18:00
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