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Massimo is a Lawyer in the Competition and Regulated Markets group within the Litigation & Regulatory department. He is based in the Milan office.

Massimo's practice focuses on competition law and telecommunications regulation, including assistance related to commercial contracts and consumer protection matters.

He advises leading Italian and international clients on a regular basis, both on transactional and contentious matters.

He has experience in providing advice on licenses and authorizations and on designing and implementing networks, systems and processes compliant with regulatory requirements.

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- English
- Italian

- Litigation, Arbitration and Investigations

- Financial Services
- Consumer Goods, Food and Retail

English Italian

Professional Qualifications

- Avvocato admitted to the Milan Bar

Prior Experience

- Before joining DLA Piper, Massimo worked for leading Italian law firms.

Education

- University of Milan, Law degree, "Cattolica del Sacro Cuore"

Massimo is a lecturer at the University of Milan “Cattolica del Sacro Cuore” and collaborates with the departments of Industrial and Commercial law.

Publications

Antitrust bites - Newsletter

28 June 2022

With decision of 22 June 2022 (case C-267/20), the EU Court of Justice ruled on the application of the limitation period regime and of the quantification of harm provided for by Directive 104/2014/EU regarding compensation claims brought after the entry into force of the Directive (25 December 2014)

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31 May 2022

On 10 May 2022, the European Commission adopted the new Vertical Block Exemption Regulation (VBER) and the Vertical Guidelines, which will enter into force on 1 June 2022, and replace the previous versions of VBER and Vertical Guidelines expiring on 31 May 2022.

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28 April 2022

With decision of 29 March 2022, published in the Bulletin no. 14 of 19 April 2022, the Italian Competition Authority (ICA) found an abuse of dominant position by Caronte & Tourist S.p.A. (C&T), in breach of Article 3, lett. a), law no. 287/90.

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31 March 2022

The Italian Competition Authority has updated the turnover thresholds which, if exceeded, starting from 21 March 2022, trigger the obligation of prior notification of concentrations.

Changes to Italian FDI regime in the electronic communications sector enters into force

30 March 2022

With Law Decree no. 21 dated 21 March 2022, the Italian government has adopted a suite of urgent measures that include material changes to the Italian FDI regime.

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28 February 2022

In 2021, the Italian Competition Authority (ICA) imposed fines of over EUR1.4 billion on undertakings for antitrust infringements. The total amount of fines was significantly affected (four-fifths of the total) by the fine of approximately EUR 1.1 billion issued by the ICA in a case concerning an abuse of dominant position, which is currently the highest fine ever imposed by the ICA.

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31 January 2022

Joint Sections of the Supreme Court affirm the partial nullity of guarantees concluded following an anticompetitive agreement

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27 December 2021

On December 14, 2021, the Legislative Decree of November 8, 2021, No. 185, entered into force. It transposes Directive (EU) 1/2019 (the ECN+ Directive), and introduces significant changes to the national competition law with the aim of strengthening and harmonizing at EU level the investigation and sanctioning powers of the Italian Competition Authority (ICA).

New Italian Electronic Communications Code enters into force

22 December 2021

The new Legislative Decree (the Decree) implementing EU Directive No. 2018/1972 establishing the European Electronic Communications Code (the Directive) was published in the Official Journal on December 9, 2021, and will enter into force on December 24, 2021.

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1 December 2021

With press release n. 45 of November 4, the Italian government reported that it has approved the draft annual law for the market and competition 2021, in accordance with the obligation set out in article 47 of Law no. 99/2009 – which was followed by the adoption of a single Law for Competition in 2017 (law no. 124) – and in line with the programmatic objectives defined by the PNRR.

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1 November 2021

With preliminary ruling of 6 October 2021, in case C-882/19, the EU Court of Justice ruled on the possibility for a party damaged by an infringement of Art. 101 TFEU to bring an action for damages against the subsidiaries of a company deemed responsible for the infringement.

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30 September 2021

With judgment No. 9803, published on 15 September 2021, the Italian Regional Administrative Court of Lazio annulled the sanctions imposed by the Italian Competition Authority (ICA) against a telephone operator for alleged margin squeeze conduct contrary to Article 102 TFEU.

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29 July 2021

European Commission launches public consultation on draft revised VBER and Vertical Guidelines.

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1 July 2021

European Commission and English Competition and Markets Authority open two proceedings against Facebook.

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28 May 2021

Commission proposes new Regulation on the control of foreign subsidies in the single market.

New Italian class action regime enters into force

26 May 2021

On May 19, 2021, the reform of the Italian legal framework on class actions finally entered into force. The new rules, designed by Law n. 31 and published on April 18, 2019, (Law n. 31/2019), were initially intended to become effective on April 19, 2020, but had been delayed twice.

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29 April 2021

On March 26, 2021, after a public consultation on the control of concentrations, the European Commission has published Guidance on the application of the referral mechanism set out in Article 22 of the Council Regulation (EC) No. 139/2004 (EUMR).

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25 March 2021

National competition authorities relieved of their competence and *ne bis in idem*: Clarifications from the ECJ

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25 February 2021

With its decision of 2 February 2021, the Italian Competition Authority opened an investigation against the main undertakings and associations active in the management of private copying levy relating to the video sector to ascertain the existence of a possible infringement of Article 101 TFEU.

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