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Richard Jenkinson's recent experience includes advising on active criminal and civil cartel investigations, EU and UK merger investigations, accusations of abuses of dominance, supply and distribution agreements, and well as State aid. He is named as a recommended lawyer in Legal 500.

### LANGUAGES SPOKEN

- English

- Litigation, Arbitration and Investigations
- Merger Control
- Antitrust and Competition

English

- Advising Consolis Group, an international building solutions producer, since 2013 in relation to the CMA's investigation into suspected anti-competitive arrangements in the precast concrete drainage sector and the prosecution and conviction of the former chief executive of a subsidiary for the cartel offence
- Advising a client under investigation in the CMA's Competition Act investigation into suspected anti-competitive arrangements in the roofing materials sector
- Advising on various State aid matters, including on the proposed ICGB gas interconnector between Greece and Bulgaria and the proposed new football stadium for Everton FC
- Advising on various merger control matters in a variety of sectors

### Professional Qualifications

- Solicitor of the Senior Courts of England and Wales

### Recognitions

- Recommended in *Legal 500* for EU and Competition and Competition Litigation

## Education

- Kings College London, PGDip EU Competition Law, Merit, 2014
- BPP Law School, BVC, Very Competent, 2007
- City University, GDL, Commendation, 2006
- University of Cambridge, BA, 2.1 Honours, 2005

## Memberships

- Law Society Competition Section
- Competition Law Association
- UK State Aid Law Association

## INSIGHTS

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### Publications

#### Antitrust Matters – September 2021

7 September 2021  
Antitrust Matters

We are pleased to share with you a New Edition of our periodical global publication Antitrust Matters.

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#### Learning the lessons on excessive pricing from Aspen

7 September 2021  
Antitrust Matters

Back in April 2017, The *Times* ran a story detailing how a drug giant had a “secret plan” to destroy a cancer medicine unless large price rises were agreed to by national purchasing authorities. A month later, the European Commission opened an investigation into Aspen.

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#### State aid: Levelling the playing field or moving the goalposts?

21 October 2020  
DLA Piper Trade Truths

The European Commission unveiled plans on 17 June 2020 to take a tougher line on subsidised foreign companies in the EU market. Under this proposal, the Commission seeks to “safeguard critical EU companies” in strategic industries such as pharma and agri-food so that they do not fall victim to “hostile takeovers conducted by large dominant player”.

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#### Commission launches inquiry into the Internet of Things

22 July 2020

On 16 July, the European Commission launched an antitrust competition inquiry into the Internet of Things for consumer-related products and services in the EU.

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## Relaxation of the competition rules for the COVID-19 pandemic- not all that is solid melts into air

21 April 2020

On Friday 27 March, the UK Government passed the Competition Act 1998 (Groceries) (Coronavirus) (Public Policy Exclusion) Order 2020. This article looks at what the order means, was it needed and what aspects of competition it covers.

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## Impact of COVID-19 on the sports sector

15 April 2020

Sporting events around the world are being postponed or cancelled by governing bodies in a bid to prevent the spread of coronavirus. A range of sports have taken action, with the Football Association suspending the 2019-2020 professional football season, UEFA delaying Euro 2020 until the summer of 2021 and Formula 1 postponing a number of races with a view to announcing new race dates later on in the 2020 season.

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## Brexit means what?

5 February 2020

The UK left the EU at midnight CET on 1 February 2020. But what does this actually mean for competition law?

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- Co-author of the UK chapter of Getting the Deal Through: State Aid since 2017

## Events

- UK National Rapporteur for the International League of Competition Law Congress 2018