

*It is our pleasure to invite you to a meeting of the Competition Law Association on **Wednesday, February 18th at 4:30 PM.** We thank the Association for us to lead the February workshop, and we very much hope that it will be of interest and use to you.*

The workshop will take place on Wednesday, February 18, 2015 at the seat of the Competition Association, which is the Dentons law firm, Rondo ONZ, the 30th floor. Please note the change of day and time for this workshop as this month it will take place on a Wednesday, and the earlier registration time will be at 4:00 PM for the start of the workshop at 4:30 PM. Please be so kind as to confirm your attendance with Ms. Magdalena Pawlak (e-mail: spk@spk.com.pl, telephone: 22-242 56 54)

During the workshop, we will discuss two subjects:

- **legal privilege; and**
- **the right against self-incrimination during investigatory proceedings.**

The format will be a short presentation of the two subjects from the perspective of Polish, EU, and American competition law and practice. We also plan to use straightforward factual scenarios that will serve as a foundation for a discussion of the practical challenges faced and the solutions we practitioners have found. We count on and look forward to the active participation of the group in considering these subjects. Shared experience and views are the essence of the Association's unique value. The languages of the workshop will be Polish and English.

We launched Hansberry Tomkiel in October 2014. Some of you may be familiar with who we are, but for those who are not, our backgrounds and experience are the following.

***Ms. Krasnodebska-Tomkiel** is a Polish solicitor and doctor of legal sciences. For sixteen years, she worked at the Polish Office of Competition and Consumer. From 2008-2014, she served as the Polish Authority's Chairman. During her tenure as the Chairman of the Office, she initiated and oversaw the creation of the current amended Competition and Consumer Protection Act, which has been in force since January 18, 2015. During 2012- 2014, Ms. Krasnodebska-Tomkiel was a member of the Steering Group of the International Competition Network. She was in charge of the ICN Special Project concerning cooperation with courts and judges, which promoted the global sharing of knowledge to increase the effectiveness of competition enforcement worldwide. She teaches Polish and EU competition law at the Polish Academy of Sciences.*

***Ms. Hansberry-Biegunska** worked for sixteen years as a trial attorney in the U. S. Department of Justice's Antitrust Division. During her tenure with the Division, she also served as an advisor to several competition authorities in Eastern and Central Europe. She then became the general counsel and vice president of UPC Poland and went on to manage another Polish media company. After leading a competition practice team as a senior partner in a Polish law firm, she opened Hansberry Competition in 2011. In October 2014, she and Ms. Krasnodebska-Tomkiel started their firm, Hansberry Tomkiel.*