



WORLD COMPETITION DAY 2023

5TH DECEMBER

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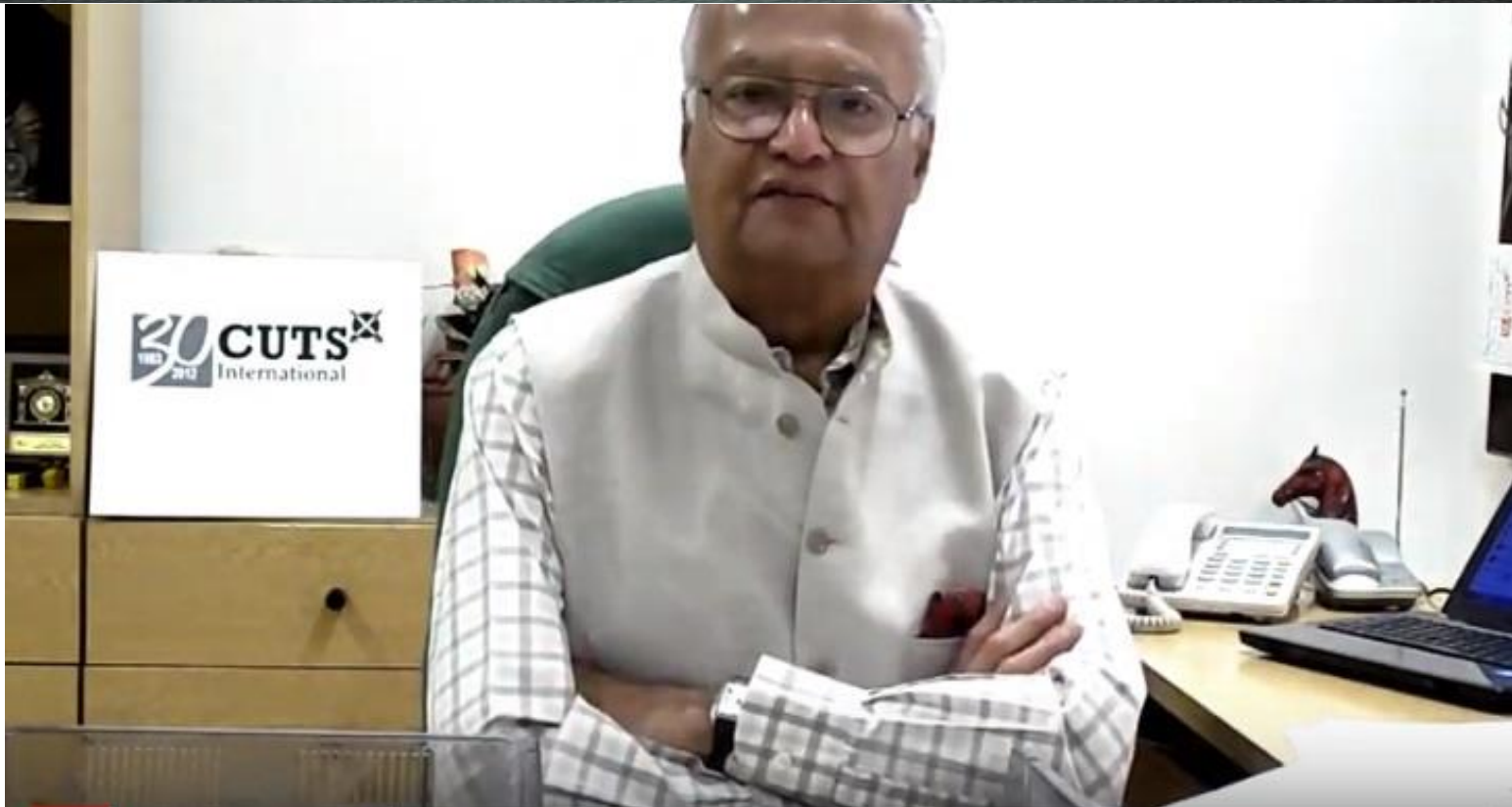
From 63 Countries including 59 Competition Authorities



Theme
Prioritising Socially Sensitive Sectors

Philippines adopted 5th December as the National Competition Day

Why World Competition Day?



Pradeep S Mehta
Secretary General, CUTS International

Themes... since 2010

2010	International Air-transport Cartels and its Impact on Developing Countries
2011	Cartels and their Harmful Effects on Consumers
2012 & 2013	Adverse Impact of Cartels on the Poor
2014 & 2015	Competition Issues in Public Procurement
2016	Linkages between Competition and Intellectual Property
2017	Re-imagining Competition Policy and Law in the Era of Disruption
2018	Digital Economy, Innovation and Competition
2019	Ensuring Effective Competition in an Increasingly Online World
2020	Competition Policy and Access to Healthcare
2021	Competition Policy for an Inclusive and Resilient Economy
2022	Competition Policy and Climate Change
2023	Prioritising Socially Sensitive Sectors

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Competition Promotion and Consumer Protection Directorate, Afghanistan



Albanian Competition Authority, Albania



The State Commission for the Protection of Economic Competition of Armenia



Australian Competition & Consumer Commission



Federal Competition Authority, Austria

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Competition Commission of Bangladesh



The European Commission - Directorate-General for Competition



Competition and Consumer Authority, Botswana



Commission on Protection of Competition, Bulgaria



Competition Bureau, Canada

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Superintendence of Industry and Commerce, Colombia



Fair Trade Authority, Curaçao



Commission for the Protection of Competition, Cyprus



The Office for the Protection of Competition, Czech Republic



Competition Superintendence (SC), El Salvador

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Estonian Competition Authority



Fiji Commerce Commission, Fiji



Gambia Competition Commission, Gambia



Competition Agency of Georgia



Bundeskartellamt, Germany

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Hellenic Competition Commission, Greece



The Hungarian Competition Authority (GVH), Hungary



Fair Trading Commission, Jamaica



Competition Protection Agency, Republic of Kazakhstan



Competition Authority of Kenya

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Competition Protection Agency, Kuwait



Competition Council, Republic of Latvia



Competition Council of the Republic of Lithuania



Competition and Fair Trading Commission, Malawi



COMESA Competition Commission, Malawi

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Competition Commission of Mauritius



Authority for Fair Competition and Consumer Protection of Mongolia



Namibian Competition Commission, Namibia



The Commerce Commission, New Zealand



Federal Competition and Consumer Protection Commission, Nigeria

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Competition Commission of Pakistan



Independent Consumer and Competition Commission, Papua New Guinea



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Office of Competition and Consumer Protection (UOKiK), Poland



Federal Antimonopoly Service, Russia

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Rwanda Inspectorate, Competition and Consumer Protection Authority (RICA)



General Authority for Competition, Saudi Arabia



Fair Trading Commission, Seychelles



Antimonopoly Office of the Slovak Republic, Slovakia



National Commission of Markets and Competition (CNMC), Spain

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Competition Tribunal, South Africa



Competition Commission South Africa



Consumer Affairs Authority, Sri Lanka



Eswatini Competition Commission, Swaziland



Swedish Competition Authority (KONKURRENSVERKET)

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Swiss Competition Commission (COMCO)



Fair Competition Commission, Tanzania



Trinidad and Tobago Fair Trading Commission



Trade Competition Commission of Thailand



The Antimonopoly Committee of Ukraine

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Office of Fair Trading, United Kingdom



Vietnam Competition Authority



Competition and Consumer Protection Commission, Zambia



Competition and Tariff Commission, Zimbabwe

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**Hellenic Competition Commission
Greece**



**Organisation for Economic Co-
operation and Development (OECD)**



**Office for the Protection of
Competition, Czech Republic**



**Federal Anti-Monopoly Service
Russia**

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**Georgian National Competition Agency
Georgia**



**Trade Competition Commission of
Thailand (TCCT)**



**COMESA Competition Commission
Malawi**



Competition Commission of South Africa

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Antimonopoly Office of the
Slovak Republic



Rwanda Inspectorate, Competition
and Consumer Authority (RICA)



Deutsche Gesellschaft für
Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)



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'Actions' taken around the world...2023

Media/Social Media	Country
Competition & Consumer Authority commemorating World Competition Day December 05, 2023 CCA Press Release Twitter	Botswana
World Competition Day commemorates the importance of competition in a market economy and its importance for consumers UOHS Press Release, December 05, 2023	Czech Republic
Georgia Celebrates World Competition Day GeorgiaOnline, December 05, 2023	Georgia
Experts delve into regulatory aspects to various facets of healthcare sector Bio Spectrum, December 08, 2023	India
The Economics of Prioritising Socially Sensitive Sectors in Competitive Markets FTC, December 05, 2023	Jamaica



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Media/Social Media	Country
Fair Trading Commission Jamaica celebrates World Competition Day December 05, 2023 FTC Facebook	Jamaica
Competition Authority of Kenya Celebrates World Competition Day December 04, 2023 Twitter Facebook LinkedIn	Kenya
Malawi Commemorates 2023 World Competition Day December 05, 2023 CFTC Press Release The Nation Yonoco FM ZODIAKtv maraviExpress Facebook Twitter	Malawi



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Media/Social Media	Country
CUTS International celebrates the World Competition Day Competition Commission, December 04, 2023	Mauritius
December 5 is World Competition Day Facebook, December 05, 2023	Philippines
RICA celebrated World Competition Day YouTube, December 15, 2023	Rwanda
FTC commemorates World Competition Day December 05, 2023 FTC Press Release Seychelles Nation	Seychelles
AMO supports the adoption of World Competition Day AMO Press Release, December 05, 2023	Slovak Republic



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Media/Social Media	Country
Competition Commission of South Africa Celebrated World Competition Day December 05, 2023 CCSA Press Release Newzroom Afrika GoLegal Twitter LinkedIn	South Africa
December 5: Another year defending and celebrating the competition CNMC Blog, December 05, 2023	Spain
Anti-trust body pledges to support socially sensitive sectors Eswatini Daily News, December 06, 2023 Socially sensitive sectors need to be prioritised Eswatini Observer, December 07, 2023	Swaziland
Social justice should be integral to Global South: CUTS International The Economic Times, December 07, 2023	Switzerland



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Media/Social Media	Country
FCC celebrated World Competition Day Twitter, December 05, 2023	Tanzania
TCCT commemorates World Competition Day Twitter, December 05, 2023	Thailand
Celebrating World Competition Day: Prioritising Socially Sensitive Sectors December 05, 2023 GLA & Co. Announcement LinkedIn	UAE
Increasing momentum behind amendments to Zimbabwean competition law regime December 05, 2023 CTC organised a panel discussion to celebrate World Competition Day Twitter, November 27, 2023	Zimbabwe

Glimpses



The Competition and Tariff Commission, Zimbabwe organised a Panel Discussion on December 05, 2023.

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Competition and Consumer Authority Botswana organised a Press Conference on December 05, 2023.



Bangladesh Competition Commission organised a Panel Discussion on December 05, 2023.

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CUTS International; CUTS Institute for Regulation & Competition and Institute for Studies in Industrial Development jointly organised a Panel Discussion in New Delhi. Details are available [here](#).



CUTS International Geneva; the WTO Secretariat and UNCTAD's Competition and Consumer Policies Branch jointly organised a Panel Discussion in Geneva.

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Rwanda Inspectorate, Competition and Consumer Protection Authority (RICA) organised an event on December 15, 2023.

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Theme
Competition Policy and Climate Change

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WORLD COMPETITION DAY 2021
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Theme
Competition Policy for an Inclusive and Resilient Economy

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WORLD COMPETITION DAY 2020
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Theme
Competition Policy and Access to Healthcare

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Theme 2019
Ensuring Effective Competition in an Increasingly Online World

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Digital Economy, Innovation and Competition

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Theme 2017
Re-imagining
Competition Policy and
Law in the Era of
Disruption

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Theme 2016
Linkages between
Competition and
Intellectual Property

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Theme 2015
Competition Issues in
Public Procurement

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Theme 2014:
Competition Issues in
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Theme 2013: *Adverse Impact of
Cartels on the poor*



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Theme of 2011
Cartels and their
Harmful Effects on
Consumers



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