AGENDA

Horizontal Merger Guidelines Review Project

Fifth in a Series of Five FTC/DOJ Workshops
Tuesday, January 26, 2010
Federal Trade Commission Conference Center

9:00 - 9:15  Welcome
Christine Varney
Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice

9:15 - 10:15  Panel 1: Market Concentration and the Structural Presumption
Moderator: Phil Weiser, Deputy Assistant Attorney General

Panelists
Mark Cooper
Director of Research, Consumer Federation of America
Fellow, Silicon Flatirons, University of Colorado
Fellow, Institute for Energy and the Environment, Vermont Law School
Albert A. Foer
President, American Antitrust Institute
Andrew I. Gavil
Professor of Law, Howard University School of Law
Charles F. Rule
Partner, Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP

10:15 - 11:15  Panel 2: Price Discrimination/Power Buyers
Moderator: Howard Shelanski, Deputy Director, Bureau of Economics

Panelists
Susan Creighton
Partner, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati
Marc Schildkraut
Partner, Howrey LLP
Joe Sims
Partner, Jones Day
John Thorne
Senior Vice President and Deputy General Counsel
Verizon Communications Inc.

11:15 - 11:30  Break
11:30 - 12:30  PANEL 3: ENTRY
MODERATOR: HOWARD SHELANSKI, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF ECONOMICS

Panelists
George S. Cary
    Partner, Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP
Margaret Guerin-Calvert
    Vice Chairman and Senior Managing Director, Compass Lexecon
John E. Kwoka, Jr.
    Neal F. Finnegan Distinguished Professor of Economics
    Northeastern University
Joshua D. Wright
    Assistant Professor of Law, George Mason University School of Law

12:30 - 2:00  Lunch

2:00 - 3:00  PANEL 4: EFFICIENCIES AND MERGER REMEDIES
MODERATOR: PHIL WEISER, DEPUTY ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL

Panelists
Jim Lowe
    Partner, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP
John M. Nannes
    Partner, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP
Constance Robinson
    Partner, Kilpatrick Stockton LLP
Alvin Velazquez
    Assistant General Counsel, Service Employees International Union

3:00 - 3:15  Break

3:15 - 4:45  PANEL 5: CLOSING PANEL
MODERATOR: PHIL WEISER, DEPUTY ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL

Panelists
William Baer
    Partner, Arnold & Porter LLP
Thomas O. Barnett
    Partner, Covington & Burling LLP
Einer Elhauge
    Petrie Professor of Law, Harvard Law School
John Fingleton
    Chief Executive, UK Office of Fair Trading
Janet L. McDavid
    Partner, Hogan & Hartson LLP