



FEDERAL ANTIMONOPOLY SERVICE

On updates and developments of competition policy in the Russian Federation

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The FAS Russia is the federal – level executive governmental authority.

Regional Offices of the FAS function in each of the 84 constituent entities of the Russian Federation.



FAS powers:

- Protection of competition and antimonopoly regulation;
- Supervision over state procurement;
- Control over the activity of natural monopolies;
- Control over advertizing;
- Control of the distribution on a competitive basis of property, resources and rights;
- Control over investments into strategic sectors of the economy;
- Antimonopoly regulation in the sphere of electric power
- Antimonopoly regulation of trading activities

FAS' objective – liberalization of antimonopoly regulation and increase of enforcement efficiency on the basis of the best world practices.



A long-term strategy of Competition Regulation and Development in the Russian Federation till 2024 has been elaborated.

Road Map on “Developing Competition and Improving of Antimonopoly Policy”

- Specifies system-wide measures on developing competition;
- Includes a list of measures for competition development in certain industries:

medicines, medical services, air transportation, communications services, pre-school education, and oil products.

Method of monitoring and supervision over Road Map implementation is developed.



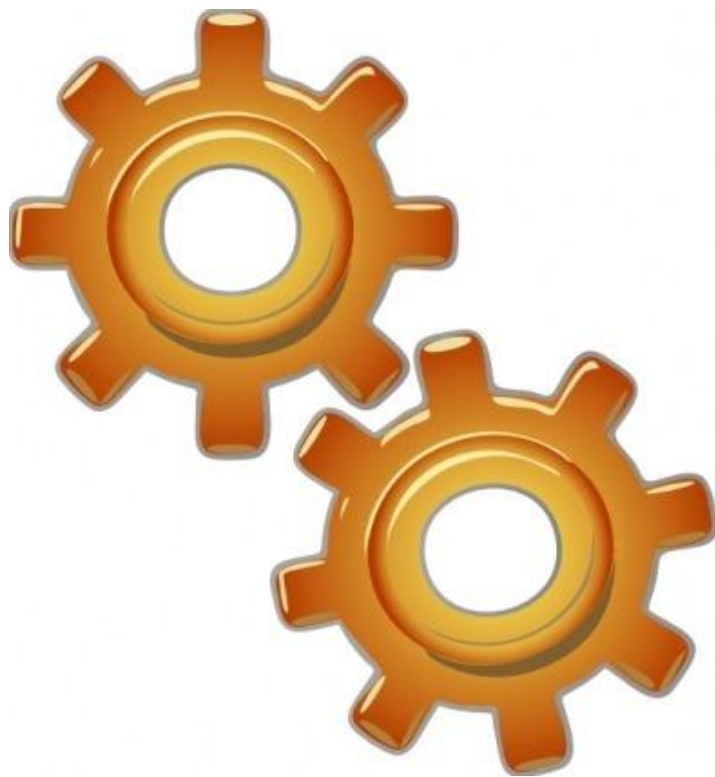
Radical modernization of the antimonopoly legislation has been done by amending more than **twenty** federal laws:

- ✓ “The First Antimonopoly Package” (2006);
- ✓ “The Second Antimonopoly Package”(2009);
- ✓ “The Third Antimonopoly Package” (2012);
- ✓ “The Forth Antimonopoly Package” (processing).



The main points of the Fourth Antimonopoly Package:

- ✓ special focus on issues of control over economic concentration and abuse of dominance;
- ✓ elimination of criminal liability for abuse of dominance;
- ✓ the prior approval of creation of state and municipal enterprises;
- ✓ expansion of the institute of warning and spread it on the actions of state and local authorities, unfair competition and other forms of abuse of dominance.



The FAS Russia has prepared “The Fourth Antimonopoly Package” in compliance with The Road Map on “Developing Competition and Improving of Antimonopoly Policy” and the OECD recommendations.

The FAS Russia's efficiency index – authority's position in the Global Competition Review Rating Enforcement.

5-grade evaluation system.

37 leading competition authorities of the world from more than 140 existing now are represented in the Rating.

According to 2014 results Russia is included into the same group of countries which occupy position, starting from 17th, and have 3 “stars” among “good” competition authorities (Austria, Norway, Portugal, Finland, Sweden, Hungary, Poland, Czech Republic, South Africa, and others).



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