



## WEBINAR

### Competition Law

**Delegate feedback:**

*“Marylla, being the expert in the field, was phenomenal in the delivery of the training”*

*“The variety of case studies made it a very interesting training session”*

*“The extensive engagement and practical advice and guidance”*

#### **Interacting with your competitors: What you need to know from a competition law perspective**

**Summary:**

The basic premise is that competition is beneficial. It results in lower prices, more choice and better value and fosters innovation.

In the world today, competitors could interact in a number of ways. It is important to understand when such interaction may be anti-competitive. It is also important to be aware of situations or individuals in an organisation that could be deemed high-risk from a competitor interaction perspective.

**Who should attend:**

- Organisations that recognise that competitor interaction is a potential risk factor for their business
- Individuals or companies that are part of trade associations or industry associations
- Compliance Offices who want to understand more about their obligations from a competition law perspective and are interested in mitigating risk

**Programme outline:**

The webinar will cover the following:

- Understand why competition laws prohibit collusive conduct
- What are the penalties and fines for collusive conduct

- What is meant by criminal liability
- What types of conduct is deemed collusive
- What to do if you spot or suspect anti-competitive collusive conduct
- What does an organisation need to know if it belongs to a trade association
- What pro-active steps can be implemented from a compliance perspective
- Provide an overview of relevant case law and scenarios related to competitor interaction

## Bio of presenter



Marylla Govender is an economist specifically in the field of industrial economics and competition law. She has been involved with the economic analysis on several cases across a wide range of industries before the Competition Authorities. Marylla's experience in this field spans almost 20 years.

She has worked at the South African Competition Commission and Arthur Andersen. A significant part of her work experience has been spent as an economic consultant to the competition law department of Webber Wentzel attorneys and Nortons Inc attorneys. Marylla lectures and conducts workshops in industrial economics and competition law.

Marylla is the co-writer of a book on Competition Law titled "A Practical Guide to South African Competition Law" (now in its 2<sup>nd</sup> edition). Marylla is a director of Compliance Online and holds an MCom (Economics) (Cum laude) and an MA (Econ) (Economics).

### CPD:

This presentation counts for **6 hours** of verifiable CPD.

### Price (including VAT):

Refer to the price list or the training event registration on the website.