

# Foreign Subsidies Regulation



#### **Procedure**

Specific ex-ante notification (above certain thresholds)

- Concentration
- Public procurement

General investigation tool (Ex officio; applicable to any market situation)

## Assessment of distortion

- Categories of distortive subsidies
- Indicators of a distortion

#### Balancing test

Balancing the negative and positive effects of the foreign subsidy



### Foreign subsidies

- Interest-free loans
- Unlimited guarantees
- Capital injections
- Preferential tax treatment
- Tax credits
- Grants etc.
- Foregone revenue

#### Remedy 4 the distortion

- Redressive measures or commitments
- Prohibition of concentration or award of public procurement

