

## **Masaryk University's statement on competition contributing to the European Green Deal**

Masaryk University, Czech Republic, sends a short statement below on the submitted document on the issue of competition policy within the implementation of the European Green Deal. Our statement is on Part No. 1 State Aid Control. These are the following suggestions for points 3 and 4:

- Within the points presented, from our point of view, it is crucial in the framework of competition to continue working within the area of the public procurement and competition law in general. Many public projects implemented by the public sector's entities (including universities) regularly address the environmental aspects etc., where, despite the interest in clearly supporting solutions related to environmental benefits, it is not possible, for example, to simply select the solutions with the greatest environmental benefits in infrastructure projects due to the public procurements' evaluation points. There is still lack of clear categorizations regarding economic/environmental aspects of the public projects' procurements' system.

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