

PRESS RELEASE

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Competition Commission appoints Acting Head of Mergers and Acquisitions

The Competition Commission has appointed Hardin Ratshisusu as the acting head of its Mergers and Acquisitions division with immediate effect. Ratshisusu will take over from Maarten van Hoven who has left the Commission.

Hardin Ratshisusu holds a BCom (Hons - Economics) and MCom (Economics) from the University of Venda and University of the Witwatersrand, respectively. He has attended various international training programmes on competition law and regulation including the PURC / World Bank Training Program on Utility Regulation and Strategy at the University of Florida in the USA and International Competition Network programmes.

He joined the Mergers and Acquisitions Division of the Competition Commission in 2004 as a trainee and progressed to become Senior Analyst in the same division until 2009. He had a brief stint at Neotel (Pty) Ltd and re-joined the Commission as an Adviser to the Deputy Commissioner.

“Mr Ratshisusu has come through the ranks and has extensive experience in our Mergers and Acquisitions division and I am confident that he will be a steady hand as we transition from Mr van Hoven,” said the Commissioner Shan Ramburuth.

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