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## **The Digital Markets Act (“DMA”) and Digital Services Act (“DSA”): Regulating large online platform “gatekeepers”, establishing a horizontal accountability and transparency framework and regulatory oversight for online intermediaries**

This webinar explores the Digital Markets Act (“DMA”) and the Digital Services Act (“DSA”), two foundational pieces of legislation which will be applied in consistency with the European digital acquis. On the one hand, the DMA regulates large online platforms and aims to prevent gatekeepers from imposing unfair conditions on businesses and end users and at ensuring the openness of important digital services. The DSA, on the other hand, establishes a horizontal accountability and transparency framework as well as regulatory oversight for online intermediaries.

In this session, the changes that gatekeepers will have to implement will be examined with respect to the DMA, and with respect to the DSA, the responsibilities of users, platforms, and public authorities will be dealt with.

Concerning the DSA, participants will leave with an understanding of the key objectives sought by the European legislator, the providers covered, and the new obligations arising from the DSA as well as the envisioned measures to counter illegal goods, services or content online. More specifically, users will obtain an understanding of the new obligations on the traceability of business users, effective safeguards for users, as well as bans on certain types of targeted adverts on online platforms, transparency measures for online platforms, obligations for very large platforms, access for researchers to key data, and the oversight structure established to address the complexity of the online space. With respect to the DMA, participants will be familiarized with the new rules for users, businesses, and platforms.

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