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#### VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

Digital Assets Regulation in India: Learnings from the Mauritius Model Framework

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#### **MESSAGE FROM CHAIRPERSON CERC**

Greetings to the readers of "Regulatory Digest"!!The Forum of Indian Regulators has been working continuously to discover solutions to emerging regulatory issues and challenges across different sectors. It has been developing new ways and mechanisms even amid the present pandemic to ensure continued learning and growth of the regulators and the stakeholders...... Read more

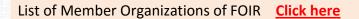


#### FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Dear Readers, Greetings from FOIR Centre, IICA!! We are pleased to share with you the fourth issue of the e-newsletter of FOIR. The past few months have witnessed the nation walk again on its feet, with the lockdowns being lifted in the major parts of India. The regulators across different sectors have responded in a laudable manner, overcoming the emerging challenges......Read more

# **About FOIR and its Member Organizations**

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# **About FOIR Centre at IICA**



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#### **Regulatory News and Trends**

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- -Ms. Loretta Joseph, FSC Mauritius.
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- -Amrita Nambiar, Research Associate- CCI
- Regulatory Tussle on the E-Commerce field: CCI or SEBI who wins the Battle? Read now
- -Madhulika Singh, Research Associate- CCI

#### **Events & Conferences**

Meeting: 21<sup>st</sup> Annual General Body Meeting of Forum of Indian Regulators held on 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2020 through Video Conferencing.

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#### **Virtual Conference:**

Digital Assets Regulation in India: Learnings from the Mauritius Model Framework held on 27th August, 2020. (In-collaboration with Bank of Mauritius and Financial Services Commission, Mauritius)

**Panelist:** Lord Meghnad Desai, Member-British House of Lords & Emeritus Professor of Economics, London School of Economics; Ms. Hemlata Sadhna Sewraj-Gopal, Second Deputy Governor for Bank of Mauritius; Ms. Loretta Joseph, Fintech Advisor for Financial Services Commission, Mauritius.

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#### **International Webinar Series**

The FOIR Centre in association with the School of Competition Law and Market Regulation at IICA has organized a series of webinars to create awareness on various regulatory issues and best practices across the globe.

## **Electricity Tariffs: Choices & Barriers**

Date: 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2020

Speaker: Dr. Pradyumna Bhagwat, Head of Research- Global Initiative, Florence School

of Regulation, Italy

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## **Criminalization of Cartels**

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2020

Speaker: Dr. Peter Whelan, Professor of Law & Deputy Director- Center for Criminal Justice Studies,

University of Leeds.

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#### **Cartel Enforcement & Competition Law**

Date: 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2020

Speaker: Ms. Tierno Centella, Deputy Head of Unit Cartels, DG Competition at

European Commission
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#### **Emerging Trends in AI Regulation**

Date: 29<sup>th</sup> July, 2020

Speaker: Ms. Laura Galindo, Romero, Al Policy Expert, OECD Artificial Intelligence Policy Observatory on-

**Emerging Trends in AI Regulation** 

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