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# LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

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## Dear Readers,

Happy New Year!

At the beginning of 2017, the Antitrust Chronicle brings you an in-depth look at Competition and Big Data in Digital Markets. There is much hype surrounding big data, but does it simply offer operational advantages, or can it provide long-run sustainable competitive advantage, protecting a firm from competition?

This month's edition of the Antitrust Chronicle, in collaboration with the Computer & Communications Industry Association ("CCIA"), contains a variety of articles addressing Competition in Digital Markets. From block-chain, geo-blocking and antitrust investigations to big data to market definition and enforcement, including a wide range of sub-topics addressing digital markets and recent case law.

We sincerely hope you enjoy reading our first 2017 edition of the Antitrust Chronicle. A sincere thank you to CCIA.

Sincerely,  
**CPI Team**