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BEITEN BURKHARDT organized a business breakfast jointly with German Centre Moscow on the topic "Antitrust regulation in Russia: practical application in 2018 and planned amendments"

Moscow, 08 February 2019 – A business breakfast was held in German Centre in Moscow on 07 February 2019, where **Alexander Bezborodov** and **Anna Klimova** from BEITEN BURKHARDT spoke for 30 participants on the topic "Antitrust regulation in Russia: practical application in 2018 and planned amendments".

The speakers focused on the following relevant issues:

- 1) The amendments to antitrust legislation that are planned: the "fifth" antitrust package, the draft law on tariff regulation, amendments to the law on foreign investments in strategic companies, etc.
- Clarifications of the Federal Antimonopoly Service of Russia in 2018: classification of agreements in auctions as anti-competitive, imposition of liability for abuse of a dominant position, etc.
- 3) Overview of the practical application of antitrust legislation and the most interesting cases regarding the violation of antitrust legislation of 2018
- 4) Roadmap on the development of competition in sectors of the economy for 2018-2020: the specific measures that are planned

The event was followed by a lively discussion, with the speakers answering questions of interest to the guests.

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