

## **FTC Revised Antitrust Thresholds: HSR Pre-Merger Reporting Threshold Increased to \$78.2 Million**

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The Federal Trade Commission ("FTC") announced its annual revision to the thresholds for the premerger reporting of proposed acquisitions to the United States antitrust authorities under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended (the "HSR Act"). The HSR thresholds are adjusted annually, based on the change in gross national product. The minimum size-of-transaction threshold will be \$78.2 million, effective February 25, 2016.