Observing points of investigation

Whether or not the M&A operation under this case will result in substantial restraint on competition in "News Distribution Service", "Advertising-related Business" and "Code-based Payment Service", which are considered to be quite sensitive to such integration



Matters concerning code-based payment service such as merchant fee and data utilization methods, etc. will be reported for a period of 3 years, and if competition-related concerns are raised, countermeasures will be determined through discussion.

effective date will be removed, and no exclusive dealing conditions will be imposed for a period of 3 years from the effective date.

On the premise that remedial measures under this case are taken, it was concluded that the M&A operation under this case would not substantially restrain competition in any particular fields of trade.