



Meeting with BSH advisors

Meeting date and place

Meeting held on 17/11/2020 14:00

Participating organisation(s) & representative(s)

██████████ - BSH advisors (TRN: 092946128636-40) **Participant. Requester.**
 ██████████ - BSH advisors (TRN: 092946128636-40) **Participant.**

Main issues discussed

On behalf of their client ██████████, BSH advisors, a boutique consultancy specialised in strategic communications and public affairs, presented the difficulties their client, active in the retail sector encountered when investing cross-border, in particular in eastern European countries. BSH advisors reported about two cases: the first regarding the Hungarian crisis tax where the client was unable to recover taxes and duties illegally paid; the second regarding the follow-up to the Court of Justice case C-385/12 (Hervis case).

BSH advisors claimed a legal gap in EU law, in particular in the field of taxation, and called for a more effective toolbox under EU law to protect cross-border investors. It supported DG FISMA initiative on investment protection and facilitation and agreed to send written contribution by the end of the year.

Directorate or unit

FISMA ██████████

Internal participants

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