## WEBBER WENTZEL ALERT

# A CO-ORDINATED LEGAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE at the click of a button



A dawn raid is stressful and inconvenient, but it need not result in a crisis, provided it is correctly managed. **Webber Wentzel Alert** can, at the click of a button, allow you to:

- automatically notify, via SMS and email, all your relevant, pre-identified stakeholders that a raid is in progress, thereby saving valuable time
- provide easy access to best practice guidance on your rights and obligations during the raid, enabling an immediate, co-ordinated and internally aligned response
- automatically notify, via SMS and email, your preselected legal team at Webber Wentzel that a raid is in progress, thereby launching a rapid external response

**Webber Wentzel Alert** removes the frustration and uncertainty arising from unanswered calls as it:

- ensures immediate mobilisation of the right leadership and expert teams and equips them with the necessary information to respond and manage the raid effectively
- is the only locally produced tool, backed by a premier law firm, which offers this crucial link between preparedness and response
- allows you to customise your list of stakeholders relevant to each individual site (eg your corporate headquarters and production plants may require notification to different people) and allows you to immediately identify the specific site at which the alert is triggered

## SUBSCRIPTION AGREEMENT

Webber Wentzel Alert is a stand-alone product and does not constitute legal advice. Any legal advice before, during or after the raid is subject to Webber Wentzel's standard terms and conditions.

### TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

Webber Wentzel Alert is a web-based tool:

- in order to trigger the alert notifications, internet connectivity is required to access a dedicated website
- in order to receive the alert notifications, mobile reception (for the SMS) and/or internet connectivity (for the email) is required

| Functionality                                   | Phone with cell phone reception only | Smart phone with internet connectivity | PC / tablet with internet connectivity |
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| Activate alert                                  | ×                                    | $\checkmark$                           | $\checkmark$                           |
| Receive SMS alert                               | $\checkmark$                         | $\checkmark$                           | ×                                      |
| Receive email<br>alert with link to<br>guidance | ×                                    | $\checkmark$                           | $\checkmark$                           |
| Browse content                                  | ×                                    | $\checkmark$                           | $\checkmark$                           |

#### SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE

Webber Wentzel Alert is available 24/7 with IT support. Administrative support is between 08h00 - 17h00 on business days.

#### Preparing for a raid

In an environment of increasing legal and regulatory risk, it is prudent to adopt proactive compliance strategies to guard against the possible costs of non-compliance and to mitigate other risks such as reputational harm, claims for civil damages and even imprisonment.



# Webber Wentzel is able to assist you by:

- undertaking comprehensive compliance audits to identify areas of antitrust/ competition law risk
- preparing customised compliance policies and programmes to address the competition law issues faced by a company's business units
- providing advice on compliance reviews and conducting these reviews
- delivering focused, interactive competition law training that incorporates guidelines, handouts, visual aids and tailored roleplaying scenarios
- providing comprehensive dawn raid training (including conducting mock dawn raids) to ensure employees are prepared and aware of their rights during a raid

#### Responding to a raid

We ensure that dawn raids are conducted with decency and order, within the ambit of the law and we ensure that you are supported during the investigations and legal proceedings, including urgent applications, which may arise from the raid investigations.



## Webber Wentzel is able to assist you by:

- advising on the validity of the search
  warrant
- ensuring that the investigator conducting the dawn raid is being shadowed and that a proper record is kept of each and every item that the investigator takes/copies/ inspects
- assisting with the identification and protection of privileged documentation
- advising individuals on statements they may be required to make during the raid
- advising on any subsequent action which may be required, such as further investigations, further internal factfinding exercises and any resultant court proceedings

### CONTACT

If you require additional information on how we can assist you before, during and after a raid or you wish to view a demo of Webber Wentzel Alert, please e-mail info@webberwentzel.com or **Elisha Bhugwandeen** 

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