

Reference to antitrust requirements

Compliance with all antitrust requirements is an integral part of all activities within the AquaVentus Förderverein. The members of the Board of Directors, the management and the member companies as well as their representatives will refrain from any conduct within the scope of the activities of the AquaVentus Förderverein that could violate applicable antitrust regulations. In particular, at no time will competitively sensitive information be disclosed, exchanged or discussed. This obligation extends to conduct in the context of formal meetings of the AquaVentus Association, the committees and consortia and other official meetings as well as to formal and informal contacts before, during or after a meeting, meeting or other event of the AquaVentus Association. By registering/participating, each participant expressly confirms that he or she will fully comply with these requirements before, during and after the AquaVentus Förderverein event.



Implementation of the antitrust requirements in this session

Regarding the beforementioned antitrust requirements the AquaVentus Förderverein as the host will immediately stop this session in case of:

- *Detailed Information about project tenders are shared*
- *Prices or other competitively sensitive information are discussed*
- *Previously unpublished commercial activities are disclosed*
- *Details about future investments and strategies are debated*
- *Market behaviour is coordinated and harmonised*
- *A joint vote to no longer commission certain companies are initiated*

In terms of our antitrust requirements the following topics are inter alia permitted to address and discuss:

- *Lobbying activities*
- *General organizational issues that do not affect competition*
- *All aspects of politics*

