

Indonesia's Competition Authority Takes SME Partnership Supervision to a New Level

The year 2022 marks a historic era for Indonesia's Business Competition Authority ("**KPPU**") as it is the year KPPU ruling on Partnerships involving Small Medium Enterprises ("**SME**")'s passed. While stakeholders find it undisputed that SME Partnerships are distinct from competition matters, the prevailing laws and regulations provide that the supervision of SME Partnerships is borne by KPPU. Now that KPPU is actively enforcing that authority, business actors need be aware of and observe this issue moving forward.