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### Commentaries

- first ref. (DE): 4 *Spindler*, in: *MünchKomm AktG*, 5. Aufl. 2021 [alt.: *Munich Commentary on the German Commercial Code*, 5th ed. 2021], § 87 Rn. 78; *Koch*, in: *Hüffer/Koch, AktG*, 13. Aufl. 2018, § 120 Rn. 22.
- further ref.: 5 *Spindler*, in: *MünchKomm AktG* (n. 4), § 87 Rn. 75; *Koch*, in: *Hüffer/Koch*, § 120 AktG Rn. 22.

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- first ref. (EN) 6 *Kaal/Calcaterra*, *First Crypto Transaction Dispute Resolution*, 73 *Bus. Law.* 1, 4 (2018); *Werbach/Cornell*, *Contracts ex Machina*, 67 *Duke L.J.* 313 (2017).
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- further ref.: 8 *Kaal/Calcaterra*, 73 *Bus. Law.* 1, 42 (2018); *Werbach/Cornell*, 67 *Duke L.J.* 313, 345 (2017); *Baums/Teichmann*, AG 2018, 562; *Möslein*, ZHR 183 (2019), 254 et seq.; *J. Schmidt*, BB 2020, 1794.

### Weblinks

- first ref.: 9 *Hoevenaars*, *Bridging the Gap Between Communities: creating a Common Vocabulary*, in: European Commission et al. (eds.), *Opinion*, 2019, p. 32, [available at] [https://www.e-codex.eu/sites/default/files/2019-12/e\\_meets\\_justice\\_bookazine.pdf](https://www.e-codex.eu/sites/default/files/2019-12/e_meets_justice_bookazine.pdf).
- further ref.: 10 *Hoevenaars* (n. 9), p. 32, 33.

### Cases

#### I. European Court of Justice (CJEU)

- first ref. (EN): 11 CJEU, judgment of 16 October 2021, [alt.: 16. 10. 2021,] *Commission v Belgium and Magnetrol International*, Case C-337/19 P, ECLI:EU:C:2021:741, para[graph] 74.
- first ref. (DE): 12 CJEU, 16. 10. 2021 – [Rs.] C-337/19 P, *Kommission/Belgien und Magnetrol International*, ECLI:EU:C:2021:741, Rn. 74.
- further ref.: 13 CJEU Case C-337/19 P, *Commission v Belgium and Magnetrol International*, ECLI:EU:C:2021:741, para 74.

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- ref. (US): 14 *N.Y. State Citizens' Coal. for Child. v. Poole*, 935 F.3d 56 (2d Cir. 2019).
- first ref. (DE): 15 BGH, 24. 4. 2014 – VII ZB 28/13, BGHZ 201, 22, RIW 2014, 532; BGH, 25. 9. 2019 – XII ZB 29/18, ECLI:DE:BGH:2019:250919BXIIZB29.18.0.
- further ref.: 16 BGH, 24. 4. 2014 – VII ZB 28/13, Rn. 37; BGH, 25. 9. 2019 – XII ZB 29/18, Rn. 21.

### Legislation

- first ref.: 17 Art. 7 of Council Regulation (EU) No 1/2003 of 16 December 2002 on the implementation of the rules on competition laid down in Articles 81 and 82 of the Treaty, OJ 2003 L 1, p. 1 [OJ 2003 L 1/1]. Art 7 (2) Regulation (EU) 2015/848 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2015 on insolvency proceedings (Insolvency Regulation), OJ 2015 L 141 p. 19 [OJ 2015 L 141/19].
- further ref.: 18 Art. 5 of Council Regulation (EU) 2015/1589. Art 7(2) Regulation (EU) 2015/848 (Insolvency Regulation).

### Decision

- first ref.: 19 Commission Decision (EU) 2016/1699 of 11 January 2016 on the excess profit exemption State aid scheme SA.37667 (2015/C) (ex 2015/NN) implemented by Belgium, OJ 2016 L 260, p. 61.
- further ref.: 20 Commission Decision (EU) 2016/1699, SA.37667 (2015/C) (n. 19).