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and Japan. He argues - controversially - that a country's domestic

political structure should be considered a major factor in causing the reform of competition law, and rejects the established view that it is necessarily a result of changes in international e