

# Aggregates sector in Wallis and Futuna: the *Autorité de la concurrence* sanctions BTP Sud for imposing unfair trading conditions on the *Administration supérieure du Territoire*

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Following a complaint filed by the Prefect of the Territory of the Wallis and Futuna Islands, the *Autorité de la concurrence* has sanctioned BTP Sud for abusing its dominant position in the aggregates supply market.

In particular, the *Autorité* found that BTP Sud, which holds a dominant position in this market, had refused, in the context of public procurement, to sell to the *Administration Supérieure du Territoire* (Superior Administration of the Territory; hereinafter "the Administration") and had imposed substantial and unjustified price increases.

These practices, which constituted an abuse of a dominant position, were intended to obtain concessions from the Administration in connection with an earlier commercial dispute.

The *Autorité* has therefore imposed a fine of €148,094 (17,672,351 CFP) on BTP Sud.

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