PREFACE

The American Bar Association Section of Antitrust Law is pleased to issue this third edition of its State Antitrust Enforcement Handbook. This book analyzes how state attorneys general enforce state and federal antitrust law. Information on state antitrust enforcement is often more difficult to find than comparable information on federal enforcement practices. This Handbook helps fill that gap.

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