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Enforcement of Viet Nam Competition Law

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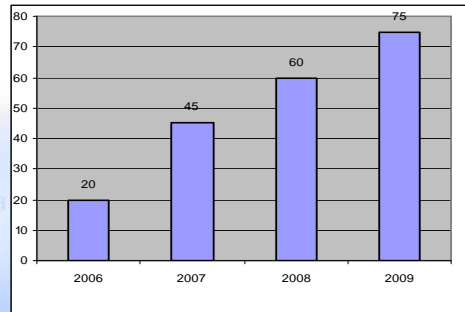
- The Law effective: July 2005
- Establishment of VCAD: December 2006
- Function of VCAD:
 - Enforce Competition Law
 - Enforce Consumer Protection Ordinance
 - Enforce Trade Remedies Regulations

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Overview of VCAD

- 2009: 75 staffs
- Investigator: 22



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Overview of VCAD's Activities

M&As			
	Number of Cases	Consultations	Notification
2007	1		1
2008	4	4	0
Cartel and Abuse of dominance position			
	Number of Cases	Consultations	Investigation
2007	3	2	1
2008	4	2	2
Unfair Competition			
	Number of Cases	Consultations	Investigation
2007	12	8	4
2008	8	0	8

VCAD's priorities

- Develop human resource
- Market Research of key Sectors
- The power and independence of the competition authority
- Enhance Advocacy
- Investigations
- Policy Improvement

VCAD's Challenges

- VCAD is newly-established

+ Resource
+ Experience

- Low Business Awareness of Competition Policy

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