

Litigator of the Week

Runners-Up and Shout-Outs

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► Shout-out to a **Latham & Watkins** antitrust team that persuaded the European Commission to end its interim measures proceedings against German flag carrier Lufthansa. In January the EC announced it would seek an interim injunction to grant access to Lufthansa's feed traffic at the Frankfurt airport to smaller German airline Condor as part of an ongoing investigation of the "A++ transatlantic joint venture" between Lufthansa, Air Canada and United Airlines. After two statements of objections, two letters of facts and two oral hearings, the EC last week announced all the requirements for interim measures had not been met and closed the proceedings. The Latham team includes partners **Sven Völcker** and **Michael Esser** and associates **Friederike Hammwöhner**, **Eva Beyer Blumental**, **Simon Troch**, **Janine Flohr** and **Jörn Kramer**. The in-house team at Lufthansa includes Jörg Meinke, Christine Nowak and Marc Wiesner.