

The Register Interviews Andrew Luh in "Biden's Antitrust Crackdown on Tech M&As May Linger into Trump's Reign"

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Gunderson Dettmer partner Andrew Luh was interviewed for The Register's article, "Biden's Antitrust Crackdown on Tech M&As May Linger into Trump's Reign."

The article analyzes the current state of mergers and acquisitions in the tech sector, highlighting how heightened regulatory scrutiny under the Biden administration, including new FTC guidelines, has introduced additional compliance challenges but not significantly slowed overall deal activity. Andrew states, "There's been a lot of reporting done that the current FTC is, for lack of a better term, more aggressive in finding objections to proposed transactions that historically would not have faced the same degree of scrutiny."

Despite those high-profile antitrust cases, Luh said the pace hasn't slowed down that much.

"We, as a firm, will work on about 150 a year and we're not a huge firm by any means," Luh said. "So the aggregate tech M&A deal stats are still massive, even if you silo off [the most scrutinized deals]."

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