

**Communiqué on the Announcement of an Increase in Administrative Fines
Provided in Articles 16 and 17 of the Act on the Protection of Competition
No. 4054, Being Valid from 01/04/2005 to 31/12/2005
(Communiqué No. 2005/2)**

Article 1- Administrative fines provided in articles 16 and 17 of the Act on the Protection of Competition No. 4054 have been raised twenty-nine times by article 4 sub-paragraph b/9 of the Act on the Method of Entry into Force and Implementation of the Turkish Penal Code No. 5252, which was published in the Official Gazette dated 13.11.2004 and numbered 25642. Accordingly, fines in the Act No. 4054 have been raised as follows, being valid from 01/04/2005 to 31/12/2005.

With regard to Article 16 Paragraph One of the Act No. 4054;	Amounts written in the <u>Act No. 4054</u>	Between 01/04/2005- <u>31/12/2005</u>
amount of the fine provided for in sub-paragraph (a):	100.000.000 TL	2.900 YTL
amount of the fine provided for in sub-paragraph (b):	100.000.000 TL	2.900 YTL
amount of the fine provided for in sub-paragraph (c):	50.000.000 TL	1.450 YTL
amount of the fine provided for in sub-paragraph (d):	60.000.000 TL	1.740 YTL
The lower limit of the fine provided for in its paragraph two:	200.000.000 TL	5.800 YTL

With regard to article 17
Paragraph One of the Act
No. 4054;

amount of the fine provided for 50.000.000 TL 1.450 YTL
in sub-paragraph (a):

amount of the fine provided for 25.000.000 TL 725 YTL
in sub-paragraph (b):

amount of the fine provided for 25.000.000 TL 725 YTL
in sub-paragraph (c):

amount of the fine provided for 20.000.000 TL 580 YTL
in sub-paragraph (d):

Article 2- The provisions of this Communiqué shall be executed by the President of the Competition Authority.