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Administrative Litigation Update

Supreme Court's General Resolution number 7/2022

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On October 17, 2022, the Plenary of the Mexican Supreme Court of Justice published "General Resolution number 7/2022", by which it lifted the postponement in the resolution of the amparos in review by the corresponding Collegiate Circuit Courts related with the Decree that amended several provisions of the Power Industry Law (the "<u>LIE Amendment Decree</u>"). Such postponement had been ordered by the Mexican Supreme Court prior to solving the unconstitutionality action brought by members of the Mexican Senate and the constitutional controversies brought by the Federal Antitrust Commission and the Governor of Colima against the LIE Amendment Decree.

On the occasion of General Resolution number 7/2022, the Collegiate Circuit Courts Specialized in Economic Competition, Broadcasting and Telecommunications will likely carry out the following in the amparos in review appointed to them:

- Recognize the validity of the provisions of the Power Industry Law whose constitutionality
 has been confirmed by the Plenary of the Supreme Court of Justice when resolving the
 aforementioned constitutional challenges.
- Resolve on the causes of inadmissibility raised in the appeals for review, where the alleged absence of harm by the mere entry into force of the LIE Amendment Decree raised by the federal authorities as an inadmissibility issue will have special attention.
- In the event that the Collegiate Circuit Courts dismiss the inadmissibility issues raised in the appeals for review, they will refer one or more appeals to the Supreme Court of Justice to resolve on the constitutionality of the provisions challenged by the Plaintiffs.

It should be noted that General Resolution number 7/2022 becomes effective today, October 18, 2022, so the corresponding Collegiate Circuit Courts will shortly resume the processing and study of the appeals for review for the aforementioned purposes.



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