

REGULATION

European Parliament adopts three Resolutions on Digital Services Act

Source: Cullen International

The European Parliament adopted on 20 October 2020 three resolutions on the future Digital Services Act. The Parliament plenary did not introduce substantial changes to the texts adopted by the three parliamentary committees: The Internal Market and Consumer Protection (IMCO) committee; the Legal Affairs (JURI) committee; and the Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs (LIBE) committee. [[read more](#) – subscription required].

Radio Spectrum Policy Programme: Commission proposal expected by November 2021; Stakeholders set out Expectations

Source: Cullen International

New spectrum allocations and continued access to already available spectrum bands must be the focus of the next Radio Spectrum Policy Programme. These were among the key issues raised by the participants of the online workshop on the next RSPP organised by the Radio Spectrum Policy Group on 15 October 2020. [[read more](#) – subscription required].

ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS

UK Broadband Targets “Challenging”

Source: Broadband TV News

In its report Improving Broadband, the NAO found the 2010 scheme to deliver Superfast Broadband helped extend the UK’s superfast broadband coverage, but many people still experience poor broadband, particularly in rural areas. [[read more](#)].

FUNDING

The Connecting Europe Broadband Fund continues to progress both in Terms of Investments and Fundraising

Source: European Commission

The Connecting Europe Broadband Fund (CEBF) contributes to the achievement of the European Gigabit Society objectives mainly in underserved areas. The fund, which had its first closing in June 2018 with EUR 420 million of committed capital, had a second closing in July 2020, with two new institutional investors joining for a total of EUR 50 million, hence raising the total assets of the fund one step closer to the original target of EUR 500 million. [[read more](#)].