

REGULATION

Fair Use Policies for Mobile Broadband

Source: Cullen International

The European Commission considers that data caps are "in principle" allowed under the Telecoms Single Market Regulation (TSM). Data provided under caps is, however, subject to the TSM provisions on traffic management. [read more – subscription required].

BROADCASTING

German Alliance seeks to protect UHF Frequencies for Broadcasting

Source: Policy Tracker

The newly launched Alliance for Broadcasting and Cultural Frequencies is campaigning to keep the 470—694 MHz band away from mobile operators, the military and the security services. [read more – subscription required].

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Analysis: 5G Connectivity Fundamental to Europe achieving Climate Targets

Source: Advanced Television

The Czech telecoms regulator, CTU, launched in September 2021 its own web-based measuring tool, NetTest, for checking the quality of the internet access service. [read more].

5G Focus of EU's "Digital Decade" worries Satellite Industry

5G

Source: Policy Tracker

European Commission (EC) plans to turn the 2020s into Europe's "digital decade" including rolling out 5G coverage for all populated areas by the end of 2030. But its apparent focus on terrestrial technologies has made the satellite sector wary. [read more – subscription required].

EE devotes some of its new 700 MHz Spectrum to Indoor 5G

Source: Telecoms.com

UK mobile operator EE has announced it will be using at least part of the low frequency spectrum it won at auction earlier this year to improve its 5G indoor coverage. [read more].

POST

Royal Mail Launches 'All-Electric' Delivery Office in Scotland

Source: Post & Parcel

Royal Mail announces the launch of its first Delivery Office in Scotland to feature an all-electric fleet of collection and delivery vehicles as the UK prepares to launch the 26th United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP26) in Glasgow. [read more].