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DEVELOPMENTS IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK AND SERVICES

BEREC consults on its Draft EU Wholesale Roaming Guidelines

BEREC, the assembly of European telecoms regulators, opened a public consultation on the proposed changes to its wholesale roaming guidelines. The guidelines deal with wholesale roaming access obligations for mobile network operators and the rights of access seekers. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

UK Regulator to make License Changes to enable 5G Use

Ofcom is proposing various changes to Vodafone's licences in the 900 MHz, 1800 MHz, 2.1 GHz and 2.6 GHz bands which will allow the operator to use them for 5G. **Policy Tracker** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

RSPG to consult soon on Updated Radio Spectrum Policy Programme for the EU

“Spectrum policy remains at the heart of reaching the digital targets the Commission has set,” said Rita Wezenbeek, Director of DG CONNECT at the European Spectrum Management Conference in Brussels. “The European Union recently adopted 900 MHz and 1800 MHz harmonisation,” said Wezenbeek. “This means that by 2023 we will have 21 GHz of harmonised spectrum for 5G in the EU.” **Policy Tracker** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

“Achieving Digital Sustainability”: Arcep publishes the First Edition of its Annual Inquiry

In its first edition of its annual inquiry into “Achieving digital sustainability”, Arcep is publishing the first indicators collected from France’s four main telecoms operators, to track the evolution of their environmental footprint. **ARCEP** ([read more](#))

ARCEP revises the Financing Terms for FTTH Connections set by Orange

ARCEP, the French telecoms regulator, decided to revise some financing terms for FTTH final connections offered by Orange in very densely populated areas (areas representing a total of 6.5 million premises, i.e. 17.5% of all premises in France). **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

Spanish Ministry proposes 100 Mbps Broadband Voucher for SMEs

The Ministry for Economic Affairs and Digital Transformation consulted until 10 June 2022 on a €50m aid programme for small and medium enterprises (SMEs). **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

DEVELOPMENTS IN POSTAL SECTOR

Ofcom opens Investigation into Royal Mail's Missed Delivery Targets

Ofcom has opened an investigation into Royal Mail’s delivery performance during 2021/2022. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

DIGITAL SERVICES

What are the Obligations for Gatekeepers under the Final Text of the Digital Markets Act?

Following the political agreement by the European Parliament and the Council, Cullen International updated its cheat sheet providing an overview of the obligations and prohibitions for gatekeepers under the Digital Markets Act (DMA). **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)