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DEVELOPMENTS IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK AND SERVICES

EU Radio Spectrum Policy Group consults on WRC-23 Opinion

The Radio Spectrum Policy Group has launched a consultation on its draft Opinion on the WRC-23 agenda items for ITU region 1. It doesn't take a firm position on lower UHF or upper 6 GHz bands, offering a number of options instead. **Policy Tracker** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

Internet Providers must stop Zero-Rating Offers in the EU

BEREC updated its net neutrality guidelines to include a strict ban on zero-rating practices. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

Belgium awards 5G Spectrum to Five Operators

After three weeks of bidding, the Belgian regulator BIPT awarded a total of 770 MHz of spectrum across the 700 MHz, 900 MHz, 1800 MHz, 2.1 GHz and 3.5 GHz bands to five operators, including two new entrants, for a total of €1.2bn. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

DEVELOPMENTS IN POSTAL SECTOR

Royal Mail pledges to reach Net Zero by 2040

Royal Mail, the postal USP in the UK, has announced that it is updating its environmental sustainability policy and emissions targets. It aims to reach net zero in its own operations and across its value chain by 2040. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

DIGITAL SERVICES

Digital Assembly 2022: A Closer Look into the Digital Future

The Digital Assembly 2022 is co-organised by the European Commission and the French Presidency. It will focus in particular on issues related to EU sovereignty and autonomy. **European Commission** ([read more](#))