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DEVELOPMENTS IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK AND SERVICES

Belgium extends 2G and 3G Licenses in 900 MHz, 1800 MHz and 2100 MHz Bands

The bands need to be rearranged to make space for the fourth operator. Belgian telecoms regulator BIPT has published its decision to extend 2G and 3G licences that were originally set to expire on 15 September 2022. New usage rights were granted in an auction earlier this year, but the start date is as yet unknown. **Policy Tracker** (read more – subscription required)

eDigital Europe Programme: Commission opens Calls to Invest €200 Million in Digital Tech

The Commission has opened the third set of calls for proposals of the Digital Europe Programme, worth €200 million, under the 2021-2022 Work Programmes. **European Commission** (read more)

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE POSTAL SECTOR

Ofcom consults on Details of Changes to Royal Mail's Regulatory Reporting Requirements

Ofcom, the UK postal regulator, is consulting until 1 November 2022 on new reporting requirements for the universal service provider (USP), Royal Mail. **Cullen International** (read more – subscription required)

DHL Parcel UK: Smart Lockers will enhance our Services even further

DHL Parcel UK has announced a new partnership with Quadient to offer smart lockers parcel pick-up throughout the UK. **Post & Parcel** (read more)