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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

ERGP Cross Border Parcel Regulation

An MCA official participated in the ERGP Cross Border Parcel Regulation meeting which was held on the 31st January, 2023. During this kick-off meeting, the co-chairs presented the 2023 PRD, and explained that the report will concentrate on:

- Art. 11 a - Contribution of the Regulation to the improvement of cross-border parcel delivery services;
- Art. 11 a - whether the transparency of cross-border tariffs has improved;
- Art. 11 c – difficulties in implementation and administrative consequences;
- Key questions of the first EC evaluation of the Cross-border Regulation;
- ERGP (21) 4 – input on a possible reduction of the filter percentage;

A questionnaire will be sent to the NRAs by mid-February and the first draft of the report is due mid-April. The next Working Group meeting will be held in April.

BEREC International Roaming Working Group Meeting

The MCA participated in the full International Roaming working group meeting organized by the Body of European Regulators for Electronic Communications (BEREC) held in Brussels on the 30th January, 2023 to discuss two reports one on Intra-EEA communications services and the other on the Fair Usage Policy and Sustainability mechanism. The documents included BEREC's opinion and the various feedback received from stakeholders following a call for input.

54th Meeting of the ECC Working Group NaN1

Two representatives from the MCA participated virtually in a meeting of a project team within Working Group NaN which was held between the 24th and 25th January, 2023. The project team held discussions on multiple aspects related to future numbering issues, including ongoing drafting of Reports, reviewing of ECC Recommendations and discussions on future work items.

ERGP Regulatory Framework Working Group Meeting

A representative from the MCA participated in the European Regulators Group for Postal Services (ERGP) Regulatory Framework Working Group meeting that was held on 24th January 2023. The meeting discussed the work that needs to be carried out relating to the future needs of the Postal Universal Service Obligation, the effects of modernization on the Universal Service, and the powers of National Regulatory Activities. The Working Group will be reporting on these areas as part of the tasks identified in the ERGP Work Programme for 2023.

1st Meeting of the Digital Services Committee

Bernard Agius participated in the first meeting of the Digital Services Committee on January 12th, 2023. Hosted by the European Commission's Directorate-General for Communications Networks, Content and Technology. The Commission presented the draft Rules of

Procedure, which were discussed and eventually adopted by the committee. Other agenda items included a presentation by the Commission on the Implementation Regulation envisaged by Article 83 and a Q&A session with preliminary feedback from Member States.

PUBLICATIONS

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