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DEVELOPMENTS IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK AND SERVICES

UK joins European 6G Consortium

The UK signalled a thawing of relations with Europe, at least with respect to research collaboration, when it joined the Horizon Europe programme at the start of 2024. **Telecoms.com** (read more)

Parliamentary Committee in France recommends stricter Regulations on 2G and 3G Switch-Off

The parliamentary committee responsible for digital technology in France recommends stricter regulations on the switch-off of 2G and 3G networks. **Cullen International** (read more – subscription required)

European Telcos reiterate Call to make Upper 6 GHz Band available for Mobile

The letter was published by the GSMA, the organisation that represents the mobile industry, and signed by Europe's largest mobile network operators (MNOs), including Deutsche Telekom, Vodafone and Telefonica. It urges Europe to make the entire upper 6 GHz band available for mobile. **Policy Tracker** (read more – subscription required)