

DEVELOPMENTS IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK AND SERVICES

Commission presents New Initiatives for Digital Infrastructures of Tomorrow

The Commission has presented a set of possible actions to foster the innovation, security, and resilience of digital infrastructures. The future competitiveness of Europe's economy depends on these advanced digital network infrastructures and services, since fast, secure, and widespread connectivity is essential for the deployment of the technologies that will bring us into tomorrow's world: telemedicine, automated driving, predictive maintenance of buildings, or precision agriculture. **European Commission** ([read more](#))

European Commission proposes Actions to Secure Submarine Cables, including against High-Risk Vendors

The European Commission delivered on 21st February 2024 a set of possible actions to start creating a common EU approach to secure submarine cables (digital connectivity package). **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

Gigabit Recommendation: European Commission finalises Guidance on the Regulation of Fibre Networks and Copper Decommissioning

The European Commission published its final recommendation on the regulatory promotion of gigabit connectivity in the Official Journal of the EU of 19th February 2024, following its adoption earlier this month. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

European Commission wants a Deadline for Copper Decommissioning in the future Digital Networks Act (DNA)

The next review of the European regulatory framework for electronic communications could contain a deadline for copper decommissioning by 2028–2030, a dispute resolution mechanism as part of the network contribution debate, and a single EU-level authorisation regime for core networks. In addition, it could contain more EU-level spectrum management and a relaxation of the ex-ante regulation of fibre. **Cullen International** ([read more](#) – subscription required)

Ofcom, UK, sets out 'Roadmap to Regulation'

Ofcom has given details of how it intends to put the UK's new Media Bill into practice once it becomes law. **Broadband TV News** ([read more](#))