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European Commission's External Advisers want a Stricter Competition Policy for the Digital Era

Source: Cullen International

The European Commission's external advisers – Professor Heike Schweitzer, former professor Jacques Crémer and assistant professor Yves-Alexandre de Montjoye – published their final report on competition policy for the digital era [read more – subscription required].

VodafoneZiggo Publishes Wholesale Cable Offer

Source: Broadband TV News

Dutch cable operator VodafoneZiggo has published its reference wholesale offer for third party access to its network, just in time for the deadline set by the regulator ACM [read more].

INTERNET

Europeans Love Portability of Online Content Services

Source: Broadband TV News

Europeans have been able to travel across the EU with their online subscription to films, sports events, e-books, video games or music services for one year now [read more].

The EU invests in Fast Broadband for all in Italy

Source: European Commission

On the 4th April, the Commission adopted a Cohesion Policy project worth more than 573 million of EU funds to support the deployment of fast broadband in Italy [read more].

Western Balkans to Abolish Roaming Charges by 2021

Source: EurActiv

Starting in July, the deal will cut roaming charges by 27% across Serbia, Albania, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Bosnia and Kosovo [read more].

Europe Could Learn from Australia's Example in

Delivering Gigabit Connectivity

Source: Total Telecom

European operators should follow the lead of the National Broadband Network (NBD) deployment in Australia, as they look to deliver gigabit capable services to consumers across the continent [read more].

Operators can't afford to keep wasting Money on Copper Networks

Source: Total Telecom

Telecoms operators need to acknowledge the commercial opportunities presented by full fibre networks and stop wasting money on the maintenance and renovation of their legacy copper infrastructure, according to a host of industry experts [read more].

POST

Many Regulatory Challenges for the Postal and Delivery Sector



Source: Cullen International

Market trends and changing user needs are stretching the boundaries of regulations applicable and relevant to the postal sector [read more – subscription required].

GeneralCourtConfirmsClearance of the Polish USO NetCost Compensation Scheme

Source: Cullen International

The General Court of the EU rejected the appeal by InPost to annul the European Commission's 2015 clearance under state aid rules of the universal service obligation (USO) net cost compensation scheme notified by the Polish government [read more – subscription required].