

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NORDIC ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORS (NECR)

This Memorandum of Understanding is established between the following Regulators in the field of electronic communications:

- ERHVERVSSTYRELSEN (Denmark)
 - VIESTINTÄVIRASTO (Finland)
 - PÓST- OG FJARSKIPTASTOFNUN (Iceland)
 - NASJONAL KOMMUNIKASJONSMYNDIGHET (Norway)
 - POST- OCH TELESTYRELSEN (Sweden)
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Hereafter referred as "The Regulators".

The Regulators subscribe to this Memorandum of Understanding in their capacity of Regulators of electronic communications according to the functions and responsibilities assigned under their respective national legislation.

The Regulators acknowledge that a close co-operation between the Nordic regulators is a common goal of all the parties concerned, taking into account the legal and regulatory responsibilities and environment in which each regulator operates.

The Nordic countries have electronic communications markets with many similar features and to a large extent the same operators. For this reason the Regulators state their common interest and will to achieve the following objectives:

1. Promote the development of efficient electronic communications markets in the Nordic area, consistent with the development in the European Economic Area (EEA).
2. Co-operate in order to promote competitive markets in electronic communications, in which the principles of transparency and non-discrimination are ensured. The Regulators will monitor, reinforce and follow up these processes of market development in the electronic communications markets.
3. Co-operate in issues relating to electronic communications markets, in which the Regulators have responsibilities according to respective national legislation.

4. Set up the appropriate mechanisms of co-operation, information exchange and assistance amongst the Regulators, and reinforce their level of common representation in the cooperation within The Body of European Regulators for Electronic Communications (BEREC).
5. Provide a framework for the discussion of regulatory issues and exchange of experience in order to facilitate convergence of views and common positions when appropriate.
6. Provide the necessary elements for the development of regulation and promote increased harmonisation and efficiency in the regulatory framework and processes.
7. With due regard to national differences in the legal framework and responsibilities, work to establish common positions toward agreed issues.

THE REGULATORS UNDERTAKE TO ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING

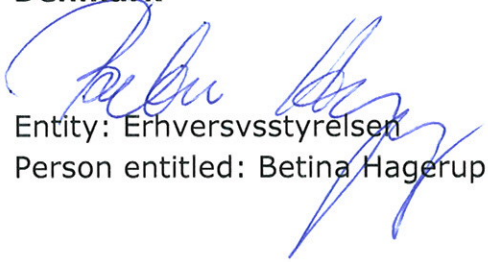
AGREEMENT

1. Create a close co-operation between the Nordic regulators in the name of the Nordic Electronic Communications Regulators (NECR)
2. NECR will deal with issues related to the Nordic and European electronic communications markets and also with exchange of information with respect to developments within each country.
3. NECR will comprise regulators from the Nordic countries.
4. The formation of joint statements and common positions will be driven by the principle of consensus.

5. The main organisation of NECR will be a rotating¹ chairmanship whose appointment will take place every year. The Regulators will appoint contact persons to deal with the exchange of information between the Regulators.
6. The meetings will be held at least once a year physically and the Regulators may invite other representatives whenever appropriate to their meetings or other common events.

¹ Rotation is based on history and will follow this order unless anything else is decided; Finland, Iceland, Denmark, Norway and Sweden.

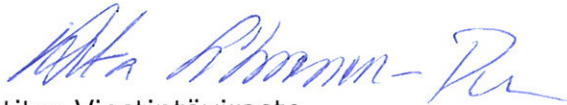
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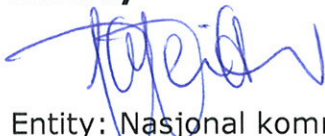
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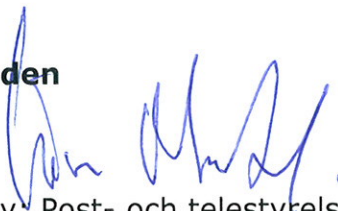
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