





# telecoms regulatory intelligence consumer protection



The European Electronic Communications Code (EECC) introduced additional and more specific consumer protection regulation in the telecoms sector.

Advertising authorities clamp down on claims made about broadband speeds, while consumers are increasingly able to use online price comparison tools.

National regulatory authorities implement the European rules on net neutrality and guidance on zero rating offers.

Some mobile operators are being given derogations, permitting them to continue making surcharges for roaming, and not to offer 'roam-like-at-home'.

Cullen International's Telecoms Consumer Protection service monitors developments in retail regulation and consumer protection for telecommunications and helps you to keep on top of national developments on these topics and more.

## Topical coverage

EECC transposition - provisions on end user rights

Consumer switching and retention

Contract regulation

Number portability

Net neutrality

Zero rating

Roam like at home (RLAH)

Advertised and actual broadband speeds

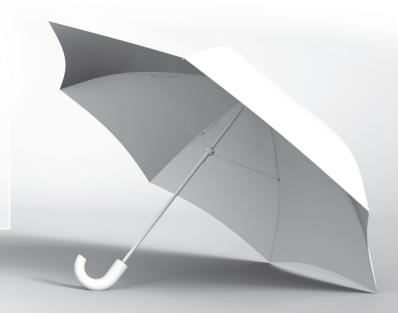
Fair use policies

Quality of service monitoring

Premium rate services - numbering and regulation

Dispute resolution and mediation

Affordability of universal service









## Geographic scope

Belgium, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden and the UK.



## Deliverables

#### News alerts

• Flash Messages - News alerts summarising important national decisions on consumer protection issues in the telecommunications sector. Issued shortly after the event has occurred.

#### Comparison

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• Benchmarks - Around 30 benchmarking tables allowing efficient comparison of regulatory positions across Europe.

#### Client support

• Enquiry Service - Our analysts are there to help you locate information from our reports or to provide additional research, subject to certain conditions.

All deliverables are updated on a regular basis or when a major development occurs.



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