

Decision No BoR/2019/02
of the Board of Regulators of BEREC to establish working
arrangements between the Body of European Regulators for
Electronic Communications (BEREC) and the NRAs of Montenegro,
Bosnia & Herzegovina, Albania, North Macedonia, Kosovo*¹, Serbia,
Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein

The Board of Regulators,

Having regard to Regulation (EU) 2018/1971 of 11 December 2018 establishing the Body of European Regulators for Electronic Communications (BEREC) and the Agency for Support for BEREC (BEREC Office), amending Regulation (EU) 2015/2120 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1211/2009² and in particular Article 35 thereof;

HAVING REGARD TO Decision BoR (19) 58 by the BEREC Board of Regulators on the rules of procedure of the Management Board of the BEREC Office;

Whereas

1. Working Arrangements are required to be put in place by Article 35(2) of Regulation (EU) 2018/1971;
2. The Board of Regulators, the working groups and the Management Board shall be open to the participation of regulatory authorities of third countries with primary responsibility in the field of electronic communications, where those third countries have entered into agreements with the Union to that effect;
3. Agreements in accordance with Article 35(2) are deemed to be in effect with Montenegro, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Albania, North Macedonia, Kosovo*, Serbia, Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein;
4. the BEREC is keen to develop and maintain good and productive relationships with the NRAs of third countries;
5. the BEREC is determined to strengthen the relationship between the NRAs by means of increased engagement and regulatory policy dialogue and wish to enter into working arrangements;

¹ This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244/1999 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence.

² OJ L 321, 17.12.2018, p. 1

Has adopted the following Decision:

Article 1

To establish Working Arrangements between the NRAs of Albania, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Kosovo*, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Serbia, Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway and the BEREC, as attached in Annex 1.

Article 2

This decision shall enter into force on the day of its adoption by the Board of Regulators.

Done on 21 May 2019.

For the Board of Regulators

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**Jeremy Godfrey
BEREC Chair 2019**