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Introduction

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BEREC, the Body of European Regulators of Electronic Communications) was established by Regulation (EC) 1211/2009. BEREC's membership comprises the 28 independent NRAs of EU Member States. The European Commission, EEA countries and EU accession countries also participate in BEREC work as observers. BEREC is supported by the BEREC Office in Riga.

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BEREC, as stated in its mission, aims to ensure the independent, consistent and high quality application of the European regulatory framework for electronic communications markets for the benefit of Europe and its citizens.

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Comments:

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UGT, the largest trade union in the communications sector in Spain, insist on the statements we made in the previous phase of the consultation, which we reproduce below.

"UGT Comunicaciones, the biggest union trade in Spain in the telecommunications sector, considers that the current regulatory model in the telecommunications sector focuses solely on competition, forgetting employment.

Because of this regulatory apathy, that resign to look of employment, the Communications Sector in Spain has suffered a massive loss of jobs: a third of employment has been lost in just 10 years. More than 28.000 jobs destroyed in that period.

No regulator should not remain it unmoved by this bleeding. It is their duty to address the employment aspect as a fundamental, essential and indispensable part of their regulatory policies. The competition and regulation not be turn away from the labour market.

Therefore, UGT considers that it is time to take into account the labour situation of the sector when it comes to regulate. UGT requests BEREC to include in this list the labour market implications of successive sectorial regulations. Because, according to our criteria:

- Regulation must pursue and foster economic growth based on permanent creation of quality employment
- Competition must become an instrument to guarantee employment
- Not only should you invest in networks, but you also need to invest in people

This Trade Union Organization understands that its role is to assist in the achievement of a regulation of the telecommunications market that also has as main objectives the sustainability and the increase of the employment, as well as the continuous improvement of the working conditions of the workers of our sector.

Finally, in addition to reiterating our demand for BEREC to include employment among the list of topics to be it addressed in the future, UGT wants to share with the other actors, our European sector model, which we attach.

http://www.smcugt.org/archivos/elementos/2016_docs/58ppt0000006.pdf

Thanks a lot."

Finally, UGT wants to reiterating that it is not possible to apply a "European regulatory framework for electronic communications markets for the benefit of Europe and Its citizens", as stated in its mission, If BEREC do not consider the interests of workers and their representatives.

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