

Dear ladies and gentlemen,

please find below, the short input of the Alliance of Telecommunications Terminal Equipment Manufacturers (VTKE) to the public consultation on the draft BEREC Guidelines on the minimum criteria for a reference offer.

With reference to

3.1. Terms and conditions for the provision of network access (BoR (19) 95, page 6)

- a description of the network access products, services and facilities to be provided, including technical characteristics (which shall include information on network configuration where necessary to make effective use of network access);

We strongly recommend also a description of the **Network Termination Point** (EECC Article 2 (9)*, see also local loop; EECC, Article 2 (30)**).

Please don't hesitate to contact me in case of any questions regarding our input.

**EECC, Article 2 (9): 'network termination point' means the physical point at which an end-user is provided with access to a public electronic communications network, and which, in the case of networks involving switching or routing, is identified by means of a specific network address, which may be linked to an end-user's number or name;*

***EECC, Article 2 (30): 'local loop' means the physical path used by electronic communications signals connecting the network termination point to a distribution frame or equivalent facility in the fixed public electronic communications network;*

With kind regards

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