



Press release

European Regulators Group for Postal Services (ERGP) 14th Plenary meeting

Oslo, 29 June 2018

The European Regulators Group for Postal Services (ERGP) held its first Plenary meeting for 2018 in Oslo under the chairmanship of Mr Jack Hamande, Member of the Council of the Belgian Institute for Telecommunication and Post (BIPT/IBPT), supported by the vice-chairs, Mr. Cadete de Matos (ANACOM) and Prof. Angelo Cardani (AGCOM). The Plenary session was preceded by a half-day internal workshop on "*Future regulatory needs*".

The Plenary agreed the draft ERGP Work Programme 2019 which sets out the ERGP's tasks for the year 2019 in line with the ERGP's Medium-term Strategy (MTS). The draft Work Programme 2019 will be submitted to public consultation before final approval.

The ERGP Plenary discussed the programme of the stakeholder forum "*When digital meets postal - Evolution or revolution?*" which will take place on 20 September 2018 in Brussels. High level stakeholders from the postal, digital and e-commerce sectors will be invited to exchange views on topics in the context of the legislative debate on the future postal regulatory framework starting mid-2019.

The Plenary also took note that the work of all sub-groups is advancing as foreseen in 2018. The Plenary approved the following documents:

- ERGP Report on the application of the principles of transparency, non-discrimination, proportionality established in the Postal Directive;
- Draft Work Programme 2019 for public consultation;

A number of internal documents were approved.
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