Pursuant to Article 8, paragraph 1, item 1), Article 23 and Article 53, paragraph 9 of the Law on Electronic Communications (*Official Gazette of RS*, no. 44/10, 60/13-CC Dec. and 62/14),

the Managing Board of the Regulatory Agency for Electronic Communications and Postal Services, in its session held on 12 September 2014, passed the following

#### RULEBOOK

#### on the content and manner of notification of international interconnection agreements

#### Article 1

This Rulebook regulates in greater detail the content and manner of notification of international interconnection agreements closed between public communication network operators, obligations of the public communications network operators as regards the procedure of leasing communication capacities interconnected with a network of an operator in another country, as well as the keeping of register of international interconnection agreements.

#### **Article 2**

Public communications network of a national operator may be interconnected with a public communications network of an operator from another country.

Connection point may be located in the territory of the Republic of Serbia, on the border or in the territory of another country.

Technical and commercial requirements for the interconnection referred to in paragraph 1 herein shall be regulated under agreement closed between two operators.

The national operator referred to in paragraph 3 herein shall be required to notify the Regulatory Agency for Electronic Communications and Postal Services (hereinafter: Agency) an international interconnection agreement, no later than 30 days upon closing the agreement.

The agreement notification requirement referred to in the previous paragraph herein shall not refer to the future amendments made thereto if the amendments do not affect the data stipulated under the provision of Article 3 herein.

International interconnection involves access between public communications network operators, whereby physical and logical interconnection between a public communication network of a national operator and a public communication network of an operator from another country is established, so as to enable communication between the service users of one operator and the service users of another operator, and/or access to the services provided by the national operator, another operator or third parties with access to the networks.

#### Article 3

Public communications network operator that has closed an international interconnection agreement shall submit a notification to the Agency on the OMP Form, containing the following information:

- 1) name, address, head office of the operator submitting the notification,
- 2) name, address, head office of the operator from another country, that is a party to the closed international interconnection agreement;
- 3) date and reference number of the agreement;
- 4) description of the technical solution for international interconnection along with a short description of the technical characteristics and type of connection: connection location, type of equipment and type of connection optical network, microwave link (ref. no. of the individual licence for radio frequency usage or a statement on the registered usage of radio frequencies under general authorization regime), etc.;
- 5) Type of electronic communication services to be provided via interconnected public communication networks.

#### Article 4

Filled out application form, stamped and signed by the officer in charge, shall be submitted to the Agency within time frame referred to in Article 2, paragraph 3 herein. OMP application form shall be printed herewith and is an integral part hereof and it shall be available at the Agency website.

### **Article 5**

The Agency shall keep an up-to-date register of the international interconnection agreements, pursuant to the rules regulating the field of the electronic communications.

The register of the international interconnection agreements referred to in paragraph 1 herein shall include the following:

- 1) name, address and head office of the national and foreign operator which have interconnected their public communication networks at an international level;
- 2) information on the closed international interconnection agreement (date and ref. no. of the agreement);
- 3) interconnection location of the public communication networks;
- 4) type of connection (optical network, microwave link, etc.);
- 5) type of electronic communication services to be provided via interconnected public communication networks;
- 6) validity period of the individual licence for radio frequency usage in case of interconnection via microwave link;
- 7) information on the national operators using leased capacities of a public communication network in order to interconnect at an international level and information on the leased capacities.

The register of the international interconnection agreements with the general search option shall be posted at the Agency website.

#### Article 6

In case the national public communication network operators with a closed international interconnection agreement are leasing public communication network capacities to other national operators for the purpose of international interconnection, they shall be required to notify the Agency thereof so as to be entered in the register referred to in Article 5 herein.

The notification referred to in paragraph 1 herein shall include basic information on the operator leassee of the public communication network capacities, in particular: name, address and head office, date of the lease contract, information on leased capacities and type of the electronic communication service provided.

#### Article 7

International interconnection approvals issued to the operators prior to the entry into force hereof shall remain valid.

The Agency shall form a register of international interconnection agreements and update it with the valid international interconnection agreements, no later than 60 days after the entry into force hereof.

#### Article 8

The day this Rulebook enters into force, the Rulebook on the terms and conditions and the procedures for the issuance of the approval to a public telecommunications operator for interconnection of the national telecommunications network with a telecommunications network in another country (*Official Gazette of RS*, no. 94/08) shall cease to be valid.

#### Article 9

This Rulebook shall enter into force on the eighth day following its publishing in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia.

Done in Belgrade, on 12. 09. 2014

Chair of the Managing Board

Ref. no. 1-01-3400-2/14

Prof. Dr Jovan Radunovic

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# **OMP Application Form**

Pursuant to Article 53, paragraph 5 of the Law on Electronic Communications (*Official Gazette of RS*, nos. 44/10, 60/13- CC Dec. and 62/14), it is hereby submitted the following

## NOTIFICATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

Information on Operators – Parties to the Agreement		
National operator		
Name, address and head office		
Foreign operator		
Name, address and head office		
International interconnection agreeme	nt	
Date and ref. number		
Technical solution description		
- optical network		
- microwave link (ref. no. of the		
individual licence for radio frequency		
usage issued upon request or statement		
on the entry in the register of radio		
frequencies used under general		
authorization regime)		
- location, network connection points,		
Type of electronic communication serv	rice	
- public voice service,		
- data transmission,		
- Internet access service and Internet		
services		
- media content distribution		
- public communication network		
capacity leasing		
- other services		
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