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ComReg Document 17/90 and the Separate  
Pricing Consultation

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## Additional Information

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1. On 27 October 2017 ComReg published a consultation concerning its review of the Fixed Voice Call Termination ('**FVCT**') and Mobile Voice Call Termination ('**MVCT**') markets - Consultation Document No. 17/90<sup>1</sup> (the '**Termination Consultation**'). The deadline for responding to the Termination Consultation is 10 January 2018 (the '**Response Deadline**').
2. In the Termination Consultation ComReg set out its intention for there to be an overlap<sup>2</sup> between the Response Deadline in the Termination Consultation and the timeline for responding to a separate pricing consultation ('**Separate Pricing Consultation**')<sup>3</sup> which, at the time, was expected to be published in Q4 2017. However, the Separate Pricing Consultation will not now be published until Q1 2018.
3. The Response Deadline for the Termination Consultation remains at 10 January 2018. However, ComReg is advising interested parties that it will, within the Separate Pricing Consultation, provide an opportunity for respondents to comment on price control issues set out in the Termination Consultation. Further details will be outlined in the Separate Pricing Consultation.

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<sup>1</sup> See <https://www.comreg.ie/publication/market-review-fixed-voice-call-termination-mobile-voice-call-termination/>.

<sup>2</sup> Paragraph 10.2 of the Termination Consultation stated "As noted in this Consultation, a Separate Pricing Consultation in relation to the detailed nature of the price control obligations in the Relevant Termination Markets will be published in Q4 2017. ComReg's intention is that there will be an overlap in the consultation periods set out in this Consultation and the Separate Pricing Consultation."

<sup>3</sup> The Termination Consultation has proposed a price control obligation of cost orientation. The Separate Pricing Consultation is to consider the further specification of the detailed nature of this proposed cost orientation obligation, in particular, the precise costing methodology to be employed.