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D10/18

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1. The Commission for Communications Regulation (“ComReg”) is the statutory body responsible for the regulation of the electronic communications sector (telecommunications, radio-communications and broadcasting transmission). ComReg has a range of functions and objectives in relation to the provision of electronic communications networks, electronic communications services (“ECN” and “ECS” respectively) and associated facilities in accordance with European Union and national legislation.
2. ComReg regulates the Wholesale Local Access and Wholesale Central Access markets on the basis of ComReg Decision D10/18.¹
3. Regulation 18 of the European Communities (Electronic Communications Networks and Services) (Access) Regulations 2011 provides ComReg with the power to issue directions as follows:

“18 The Regulator may, for the purpose of further specifying requirements to be complied with relating to an obligation imposed by or under these Regulations, issue directions to an operator or undertaking to do or refrain from doing anything which the Regulator specifies in the direction.”
4. In accordance with Regulation 18, ComReg has issued a direction² to further specify the requirements relating to Migrations in ComReg Decision D10/18, in particular as set out in section 7.2 of the WLA and WCA Decision Instruments in Appendix 20 and Appendix 21 of the ComReg Decision D10/18.
5. The effective date of the Direction is 11 June 2021.

¹ Market Review: Wholesale Local Access (WLA) provided at a Fixed Location, Wholesale Central Access (WCA) provided at a Fixed Location for Mass Market Products, Response to Consultation and Decision, ComReg Decision D10/18.

² Direction to Eircom Limited pursuant to Regulation 18 of the European Communities (Electronic Communications Networks and Services) (Access) Regulations 2011 in relation to Migrations, ComReg Document 21/61, 11 June 2021.