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Fixed Number Portability Industry Meeting On December 10th 2014

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Through the GNP forum process and by way of representations to ComReg a number of Fixed Operators have proposed that fixed number portability (FNP) arrangements should be reviewed in order to better meet the needs of Operators and to ensure that the FNP technical implementation is developed such that it can meet future demand and the move to services such as VOIP.

In particular, a number of Operators are of the view that technical solutions which allow for in-line porting processes may be more suited to the needs of industry and such solutions could be considered by operators as a possible step towards the development of fixed number portability services.

At a recent GNP forum, a number of Operators proposed that ComReg should facilitate industry workshops to give consideration to the development of a new operator managed porting solution capable of meeting the needs of industry. ComReg agreed to facilitate workshops for Industry.

ComReg will facilitate the first workshop on the consideration of the replacement of the current FNP database solution on Dec. 10th 2014 at ComReg's Offices in Abbey Street from 2:00 P.M to 5:00 P.M

In order for us to provide suitable facilities we request operators to email Brian Butcher at brian.butcher@comreg.ie by Dec. 3rd 2014 indicating your intention to attend including the number of delegates who will attend from your organisations.