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RIO Text Change, Version 3.5 to 3.6.

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1 Introduction

This information notice confirms ComReg's review and approval of the proposed text changes to eircom's Reference Interconnect Offer as per Decision Notice D10/02 (ODTR Doc 02/55).

2 Reference Interconnect Offer Text Change

2.1 RIO Text Changes

2.1.1 Summary of Consultation Issues

On the 5/11/03, eircom posted a proposed text change of their Reference Interconnect Offer from version 3.5 to version 3.6, on its website thereby notifying all interested parties of the proposed changes in line with Decision Notice D10/02 (ODTR Doc 02/55). Interested parties had twenty one days in which to submit comments to ComReg.

2.1.2 Views of Respondents

There were two respondents;

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The respondents both expressed concern with regard to the text of clause 3.4 of Service Schedule 120 which states “The parties agreed to be bound by the conditions of the Code of Practice published on *eircom*’s website as agreed by the National Regulator following negotiation with industry, if appropriate”. Both parties requested that the clause reflect the current status i.e. that the Code of Practice is agreed by the CPS Committee or via Determination from the National Regulator.

ComReg’s Position

The RIO review process is set out in Decision Notice (D10/02) and is currently under review following which a direction will be made as regards changes to the RIO text since RIO version 2.2. The following comments are given in that context and the issues herein may be subject to further review at that time.

ComReg confirms that *eircom* are to make the following adjustments to the Proposed RIO version 3.6 prior to transferring these changes to the formal RIO

Clause 2.4 of the main body is to be replaced with the following text “ The following documents form part of this Interconnect Agreement and, in the event of any inconsistencies between them, the order of precedence shall (unless expressly stated to the contrary) be as follows:

1. Main body of this Interconnect Agreement
2. Annex A: Definitions
3. Annex B: Billing and Payments
4. Annex C: Service Schedules
5. Annex D: Service Level Agreement
6. Annex E: The Network Plan
7. Stand Alone Non Disclosure Agreement.

8. Annex G: CLI Presentation Code of Practice
9. *eircom* RIO Price List
10. *eircom* Switched Transit Routing and Price List
11. *eircom* Network Price List
12. Operator Price List
13. CPS Code of Practice ”.

Clause 3.4 of Service Schedule 120 is to be replaced with the following text “The parties agree to be bound by the conditions of the Code of Practice published on *eircom*’s website as agreed by the CPS Committee or via Determination from the National Regulator”.