

**ANRC ACTION PLAN FOR 2006**

OBJECTIVE	PROGRAM	ACTION	RESPONSIBLE PERSON	DEADLINE	REMARKS
<b>I. Improvement of the transparency and predictability of the regulatory framework</b>	<b>Elaboration of a strategic regulatory framework for the electronic communications sector</b>	a. Elaborate the Regulatory Strategy for the Electronic Communications Sector	DRE, DRT, DIM, DJR	Q I-IV	In 2006, ANRC will organise a series of public consultations resulting in the adoption – in Q IV - of a Regulatory Strategy Document for the electronic communications sector during 2007-2010
		b. Elaborate an operation plan for reviewing the relevant markets in the electronic communications sector	DRE	Q IV	
		c. Participate in the elaboration of the Development Strategy for Broadband Electronic Communications in Romania (Ministry of Communications and Information Technology)	DRE, DRT	Q I-III	ANRC will participate in the elaboration of the broadband strategy by establishing the regulatory objectives of major importance in the development of the broadband market and by conducting market studies
<b>II. Promoting competition in the electronic communications sector</b>	<b>1. Retail market regulation</b>	<b>1.1. Access and calls at fixed locations (Markets 1-6 in the CE recommendation)</b>			
		a. Establish a control mechanism in view of rebalancing the retail tariffs of S.C. Romtelecom – S.A.	DRE, DJR	Q I-II	
		b. Review Decision no.1380/2003 for approving the regulation for the realization, by "Romtelecom" - S.A., of accounting separation within the internal cost	DRE, DJR	Q I-II	

		accounting system			
		c. Monitor the implementation of the carrier pre-selection service by S.C. Romtelecom – S.A.	DIM, DRE, DRT	permanently	
		<b>1.2. Leased lines (Market 7 in the CE recommendation)</b>			
		a. Define a specific relevant market for the minimum set of leased lines	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q III	
		b. Analyse the competition level on the specific relevant market identified in view of designating the potential providers with significant power and impose specific obligations	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q IV	
	<b>2. Wholesale market regulation</b>	<b>2.1. Call termination in mobile public networks (Market 16 in the CE recommendation)</b>			
		Establish interconnection tariffs for the purpose of call termination in the mobile public networks operated by S.C. Mobifon S.A and S.C. Orange Romania S.A. based on the long-run incremental costing model	DRE, DJR	Q I	
		<b>2.2. Unbundled access to the local loop (Market 11 in the CE recommendation)</b>			
		a. Adopt a decision for reviewing the Reference Offer for the Unbundled Access to the Local Loop (RUO) and the Standard Access Agreement based on the RUO.	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q I	
		b. Analyse the methods for the regulation of the tariffs for access to the local loop, elaborate the tariff calculation methodology and impose the necessary obligations on S.C. Romtelecom S.A.	DRE, DJR	Q III-IV	
		<b>2.3. Origination, transit and call termination in the fixed public networks (Markets 8, 9, 10 in the CE recommendation)</b>			
		Review the Reference Interconnection Offer (RIO) and the Standard Interconnection Agreement based on the RIO	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q II	
		<b>2.4. Broadcasting (Market 18 in the CE recommendation)</b>			
		a. Define a/several specific relevant markets for services of transmission through the networks used for audio-visual communications in view of providing audio-visual programmes to the end-users.	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q III	
		b. Analyse the competition on the specific relevant market/s identified for the purpose of designating the potential providers with significant market and impose specific obligations	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q IV	

	<b>3. Numbering resources regulation</b>	a. Amend Decision no.140/2002 on the adoption of the National Numbering Plan (closing the NNP, routing codes for number portability etc.) and Decision no.141/2002 on the application and granting procedure regarding the licenses for the use of the numbering resources	DRT, DJR	Q I	
		b. Adopt a decision on the implementation of number portability	DRT, DRE, DJR, DIT	Q I	
		c. Monitor the process of implementation of number portability	DRT, DRE, DIT	Q II-IV	
	<b>4. Various regulations</b>	a. Present – in Government Session – the draft Law on the regime of infrastructure for electronic communications networks (initiated in collaboration with MCTI)	DJR	Q I	
		b. Establish a new procedure for solving the requests addressed ANRC in view of establishing the conditions for the shared use of the facilities destined to support elements of electronic communications networks (under the Government Emergency Ordinance no.79/2002 on the general regulatory framework communications, approved, with amendments and completions, by Law no.591/2002, with the subsequent amendments and completions)	DJR, DRE, DRT, DIM	Q II-III	
		c. Amend Decision no. 1333/2003 the general authorization regime for the provision of electronic communications networks and services	DJR, DIM, DRT	Q II	
		d. Amend Decision no. 118/2003 on the procedure for the authorisation of the postal services providers	DRT, DJR	Q II	
		e. Monitor the process of implementing the access and interconnection regime for the purpose of its smoother implementation	DIM, DRE, DJR, DRT	permanently	
		f. Launch consultation on establishing the terms for the implementation of ENUM	DRT, DJR	Q II	
		g. Elaborate a regulation regarding the management of ENUM – 0.4.e164.arpa	DRT, DJR	Q IV	
		h. Monitor VDSL tests	DRT	permanently	
<b>III. Promote the end-users' interest</b>	<b>1. Implementation of Universal Service</b>	a. Organise tenders for the designation of the Universal Service providers for the installation of at least 200	DIM, SIC, DRE, DJR	Q I-IV	

<b>in the sectors of electronic communications and postal services</b>	<b>in the field of electronic communications</b>	telecentres			
		b. Organise a pilot-tender for the installation of public pay telephones	DIM, SIC, DRE, DJR	Q II	
		c. Monitor the compliance with the obligations imposed on the Universal Service providers	DIM, DRE, DJR	permanently	
		d. Create public awareness of the activities related to the implementation of Universal Service for the purpose of ensuring the support and assistance of the social actors involved in the project (telecentre inauguration, information campaign for the local authorities)	DRP, DRE, DIM	permanently	
		e. Support the telecentres through alternative projects and the involvement of NGO's	DRP, DRE, DIM	permanently	
		f. Elaborate the regulatory framework to ensure the end-users may benefit from subscriber directories and directory enquiry services	DRE, DRT, DJR	Q II - III	
	<b>2. Implementation of Universal Service in the sector of postal services</b>	Monitor the compliance with the obligations imposed on the Universal Service provider	DIM, DRE, DRT, DJR	permanently	
	<b>3. Information and training of the users</b>	a. Adopt a Decision on the information-related obligations imposed on the providers of electronic communications networks and services	DRE, DRP, DJR	Q II	
		b. Create a website dedicated to informing the users on the commercial offers of the providers of publicly available electronic communications services (including on the roaming tariffs)	DIT, DRE, DRP	Q IV	
		c. Monitor the compliance with the obligations imposed by the decision regarding the information-related obligations incumbent on the providers of electronic communications networks and services	DIM, DRE	permanently	
		d. Monitor the compliance with the legal provisions regarding the introduction of the minimum clauses in the frame-agreements with the end-users	DIM, DJR	permanently	Collaboration ANPC
	<b>4. Security</b>	Draw up a regulation on ensuring the security of postal services	DRT, DJR	Q IV	

<b>IV. Improve the monitoring and control activity on the markets of electronic communications and postal services</b>	<b>1. Current surveillance and control activity</b>	a. Draw up and publish on the ANRC website the Calendar of administrative obligations imposed on the providers of electronic communications networks and services and on the postal services providers	DIM, DJR	Q I	
		b. Carry out control activities in accordance with the General Control Plan	DIM	permanently	
		c. Monitor the observance of the obligations imposed by means of Decision no.138/2002 on imposing certain minimal requirements for the provision of publicly available electronic communications services	DIM	permanently	
		d. Monitor the implementation of standards recommended by means of Decision no.57/2005	DRT	Q III	
		e. Adopt the necessary measures for the implementation of the provisions under Law no.239/2005 on the amendment and completion of several normative acts in the field of communications, regarding the calculation of the monitoring tariff due to ANRC by the providers of electronic communications networks and services as well as by the postal services providers	DEC, DJR	Q I	
		f. Draw up the General Control Plan for 2007	DIM	Q IV	
	<b>2. Statistical data collection</b>	a. Modify Decision no.1332/2003 on reporting certain statistical data by the providers of electronic communications networks and services, in order to ensure the timely and appropriate collecting of correct and complete market data	DRE, DRT, DIM, DJR	Q I	
		b. Modify Decision no.1301/2004 on reporting certain statistical data by the postal services providers	DRT, DRE, DJR	Q I	
		c. Update the data base comprising the statistical data transmitted by the providers of electronic communications networks and services and by the postal services providers	DIM, DRT, DIT	Q I-II	
		d. Verify, process and analyse the statistical data reported by the providers of electronic communications networks and services and draw up reports based on these data	DRE	half-yearly	
		e. Verify, process and analyse the statistical data reported by the providers of postal services and draw up	DRT, DRE	Q III	

		a report based on these data			
		f. Monitor the stage of territorial coverage of electronic communications networks and services (localities and providers)	DIM	permanently	
<b>V. Consolidate the administrative capacity of ANRC</b>	<b>1. Train and develop ANRC personnel</b>	ANRC personnel attend training sessions on specific domains of professional expertise and personal development programmes	SRU, all other departments in ANRC	permanently	
	<b>2. Implement projects dedicated to increase the institutional capacity of ANRC</b>	Implement the PHARE RO 2003/005-551.04.10 Project – “Technical assistance for the implementation of Universal Service in the field of electronic communications and postal services”	DRI, DRE, DIM, DRT, DRP	Q IV	
	<b>3. Establish collaboration and partnerships with other Romanian or foreign bodies</b>	a. Conclude co-operation agreements and partnerships with other state bodies as regards activities such as surveillance and control, collecting statistical data, market analyses etc.	DRP, DJR, DRE, DIM	permanently	
		b. Sign memoranda in view of a better co-operation with non-governmental bodies and with entities in fields ancillary to ANRC activity	DRP, DJR, DRE, DIM	permanently	
<b>VI. Increase ANRC contribution to the development and implementation of the electronic communications regulatory framework, harmonised at European level</b>	Participate in the meetings of the Independent Regulators Group (IRG) and the European Regulators Group (ERG). Active involvement in all activities carried out within these two bodies, aimed at harmonising the implementation of the European regulatory framework in the field of electronic communications; forward proposals for the improvement of this framework.		DRI, DRE, DJR, DRT	permanently	
<b>VII. The dialogue with the industry and the end-users: provide information as to the ANRC activity and stimulate their participation in the development of the regulatory framework</b>	a. “ANRC Caravan” – organise 4 regional meetings with the electronic communications and postal services providers throughout the country		DRP	Q II-IV	
	b. “Provider’s Guide” – draw up, print and distribute a brochure presenting the rights and obligations of the electronic communications and postal services providers in their relation with ANRC		DRP, DIM (TO’s), DJR	Q II	
	c. Organise / Attend meetings with the consumers’ associations in order to identify the most frequent problems encountered by the end-users, to inform them as to their rights and the opportunities available on the		DRP, DJR	permanently	

	markets of electronic communications and postal services, as well as to foster their associative initiative.			
	d. Organise / Attend meetings with the providers' associations in the field of electronic communications and postal services in order to identify the problems and priorities of the industry	DRP, DRE, DRT, DIM, DJR	permanently	
	e. Organise a conference / meeting dedicated to consulting the industry with regard to reviewing of the European regulatory framework in the field of electronic communications	DRP, DRI	Q III	
	f. Draw up and publish the annual activity report of ANRC for 2006	DRP, all other departments in ANRC	Q IV	