**Supervisions over Broadcasters and Operators of Public Electronic Communication Networks**

**Broadcasters**

Regular programme and administrative supervision regarding several legal obligations was performed over the three radio channels of the Public Broadcasting Service - MRA 1, MRA 2 and MRA 3. The supervision covered the obligations to publish an Impressum, information that should be made available to the users, an identification sign of the broadcaster, as well as the obligation to comply with the rules for broadcasting audiovisual commercial communications, use of value-added telephone services and telephone voting, broadcasting games of chance and providing quizzes or other forms of prize winning participation, the obligations concerning the use of language in their programmes, broadcasting of at least 18 hours of radio programme daily and meet the quota for broadcasting originally created instrumental, vocal and/or vocal-instrumental music. The supervision found no violations.

In order to determine whether the public warning measure issued against the local Television Plus Kumanovo due to non-compliance with the rules for advertising had been acted upon, control programme supervision was performed over this TV channel. The supervision showed that the Decision on Imposing the Public Warning Measure had been acted upon in full.

**Operators of Public Electronic Communication Networks**

As regards the obligations related to the registration of programme services with the Agency and subtitling the programmes retransmitted by the operators, regular programme supervision was performed over the following operators: Globalsat from Skopje, Kabel AS KTV from Makedonski Brod, Kanal 16 from Resen, Kombo 2003 from Kumanovo and Multimedia Network L from Gostivar. No violations were found during the supervision.

In order to determine whether they retransmit the programme services that had been registered with the Agency based on the General Licensing Agreement (2017-2019) concluded among the rights’ holders, ZAMP and the operators, which was valid until 31.12.2020, the Agency performed an ad hoc programme supervision over the following 25 operators: Inel International, Multimedia Network L, Telenet Kom, Skrembl, Kanal 16, Skupi Cable, Robi, Globalsat, Vinsat Kabel, Spajder Net, Signal-Net, Viva Net, Altra-Sat 2000, Biv Piramida, Infel-KTV, Kablekal, Kabel-Net, Kabel-L-Net, KDS-Kabel Net, Kombo 2003, Multimedia-Net, Neotel, Pet Net, Kabel and Transped Trejd.

**Data on the Radio Stations’ Reach and TV Stations’ Share in the Total Viewership**

The Agency for Audio and Audiovisual Media Services had a Report prepared on the radio stations’ reach and television stations’ share in the total viewership during the last quarter of 2020.

The report contains data on the average daily and weekly reach of the radio stations’ listenership and television stations’ viewership; the period of the day in which the respondents listened to the radio/ watched television; the type of programme contents the respondents had been listening to on the radio/watching on television the day before; the share in the total viewership for the previous day – namely, share in the viewership on the territory on which each particular television station broadcasts it programme, and share in the total viewership, respectively; the average daily and weekly reach of the foreign television channels, etc.

Apart from the quarterly report, an Annual Report was prepared as well, covering the radio stations’ reach and television stations’ share in the total viewership in 2020.

Both reports are available on the website [www.avmu.mk](http://www.avmu.mk)

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The supervision concluded that the Inel International operator had been re-transmitting to its users the programme services of "HRT 1", "HRT 3", "HRT 4", "Slovenija 1", "Super RTL", "ERT World" and "RTCG", which had not been included in the programme services registration certificate issued by the Agency.

Based on the findings of the performed supervision, the Agency Council adopted, at its 1st session in 2021, held on January 12, a Decision on Public Warning and Termination of the Retransmission of Inel International’s programme services.

In order to determine whether this operator had stopped retransmitting the programme services registered with the Agency under the General Licensing Agreement (2017-2019) concluded among the rights’ holders, ZAMP and the operators, which expired on 31.12.2020. , control programme supervision was performed, showing that the Decision on Public warning and Termination of the Retransmission of the programme services at issue had been fully acted upon.



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