

Draft NGA recommendation

Towards harmonized regulatory approach?

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Changes since the previous draft

- Geographical variation
- Reporting requirements
- Reference offers within 6 (!) months
- Joint deployment of FTTH networks
- Exemptions for fibre-based WBA
- Volume discounts for fibre unbundling
- 5 years notice period for migration

Pricing aspects

- Cost orientation consistent with copper LLU, including WBA
- Except for effective functional separation
- Risk premium limited to FTTB/H
- Risk sharing for fibre unbundling

Criteria for setting risk premium

Risk factors for NGA investment	Possible risk mitigating factors
 Uncertainty about retail and wholesale demand Population density of the geographic areas concerned Uncertainty about the costs of deployment, civil engineering works and managerial execution 	 Economies of scale (especially if the investment is undertaken in urban areas only) High retail market shares Control of essential infrastructures OPEX savings
 Uncertainty relating to technological progress Uncertainty about market dynamics and competitive situation (alternative infrastructures) Macro-economic uncertainty 	 Proceeds from the sale of real estate Privileged access to equity and debt markets

Thank you for your attention!

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