The Cost of Regulation in a Small Nation

Date: 8th October 2019
Location: London, UK

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14:00: Registration and Welcome

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14:10 Welcome from the Gibraltar Regulatory Authority, Paul Canessa, Chief Executive Officer and Chair of the SNRF

14:20: Session 1: The Cost of Regulation in a Small Nation

Chair and Discussant 1:
Stewart Brittenden, Head of Communications and Postal Regulation, Gibraltar Regulatory Authority
– The cost of compliance (judicial reviews etc.)

Discussant 2:
Alee Fa’amo, Acting CEO & Executive Director ICT, OfReg, Cayman Islands
– How can costs and learnings be shared?

Discussion:
Susannah Nightingale, Communications Regulator, Falkland Islands
– Measuring effectiveness

15:10 Break

15:20: Session 2: Platform Regulation – Where Does Content Fit in?

Chair and Discussant 1:
Professor Anthony Clayton, Chairman, Broadcasting Commission Jamaica
– The convergence of content: social media and broadcasting

Discussant 2:
Dr Kim Mallalieu, Deputy Chairman, Telecommunications Authority of Trinidad and Tobago (TATT)
– Platform regulation and the demand for spectrum

Discussion:
Celene Craig, Deputy Chief Executive, Broadcasting Authority of Ireland
– Regional regulation or national strictures?

16:10: Session 3: The Cross-Cutting Issues Raised by Data Privacy

Chair and Discussant 1:
Paul Canessa, Chief Executive Officer, Gibraltar Regulatory Authority (GRA)
– Privacy issues regarding social media etc.

Discussant 2:
George Michaelides, Commissioner, Office of the Commissioner of Electronic Communications and Postal Regulation (OCECPR), Cyprus
– Privacy and national security

Discussion:
Dr Rainer Schnepfleitner, Director, Office for Communications (AK), Liechtenstein
– Interoperability in a global environment

17:00 Next Steps and AOB

17:30 Close of Meeting