

Regulatory Update

Compliance to R&TTE Directive sufficient for Montenegro

Recent regulations ("Official Gazette of Montenegro", No. 53/11), in conjunction with Article 85 of the Law on Electronic Communications ("Official Gazette of Montenegro", No. 50 / 08, 70/09, 49/10 to 32/11), released for Radio and Telecommunications Terminal Equipment (R&TTE) has been adopted by the Montenegrin Ministry of Telecommunications and information Society. These changes will align Montenegro requirements with the R&TTE Directive from the date of Montenegro's accession to the EU.

In the meantime, Montenegro's requirements largely mirror those of the EU, allowing R&TTE equipment which has been CE marked to be freely imported without seeking further approval.

Devices being imported and sold into Montenegro should bear CE marking and be provided with a User Manual in Montenegrin language. As with other EU countries the user must be provided with information relating to which interfaces the product is intended to be used with and any related restrictions, warning statements and an EU Declaration of Conformity.

From the 1st January 2013, requirements will be set in place to carry out Notification of class II products; however the responsible Authority for Notification is currently under development. In the interim, devices requiring EU Notification should be presented to the Ministry by written notice at least 30 days before placing the product on the market.

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