

EU EXIT Business Readiness Forum: Summary of Questions & Answers 21/03/2019

Delivering the deal negotiated with the EU is the government's top priority. However, a responsible government must prepare for every eventuality, including a no deal scenario.

This document is a summary of the question and answer discussion on Mobile Roaming and Providing Services online that took place during the EU Exit Business Readiness Forum on 21/03/2019

The purpose of the forum was to provide information to trade and representative bodies, and other business intermediaries in order that their members and businesses in their networks may prepare.

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Question: What is the status of the SIs that replace these directives? Where can the drafts be found? Have the SIs been laid before parliament or through the legislative progress?

Answer: The SI for NIS was laid on 4th March. The mobile roaming No Deal SI passed on 14th March and is available on www.legislation.gov.uk. Alternatively, all No Deal SIs can be found here: https://www.gov.uk/eu-withdrawal-act-2018-statutory-instruments

eCD

Question: With regards to the eCD and limited liability, in a prolonged No Deal, there are a number of legislative changes going through parliament that will have an impact. To what extent have we considered the amount of potential implementation that businesses may have to do in order to align? For example with the copyright directive.

Answer: This is not a question that we are able to answer, but we can put you in touch with the right people. We are all operating under the same uncertainty so don't know yet whether it will

be agreed and fall in an implementation period or No Deal exit. Our overarching priority is to prioritise stability, so we will continue to align with current provisions.