

#### WHAT'S NEW IN TELECOM REGULATION

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Aim: Minimize regulation Self-regulation

Reality: Level and details of regulation is increasing EU



99' Review 5 directives and 1 regulation Framework Directive (6 art.) Access and Interconnection Dataprotection Universal Service Authorisation Unbondling of the local loop

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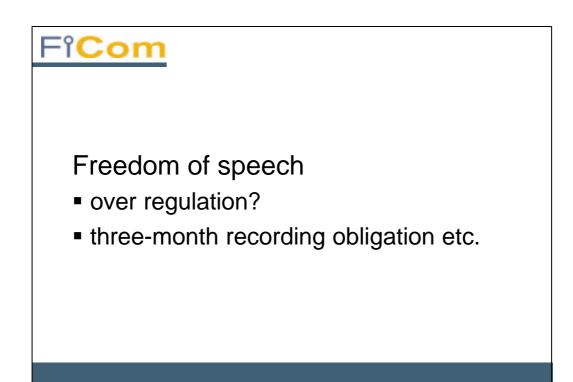
New communications act

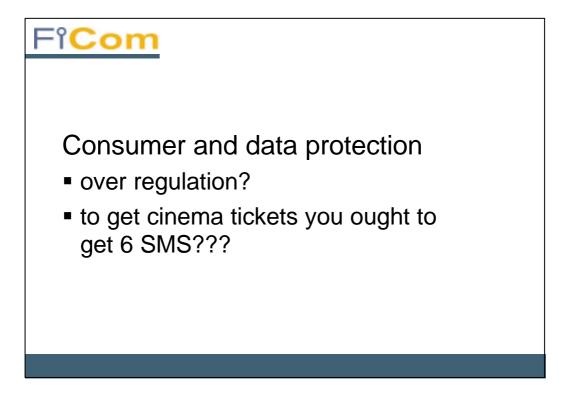
- convergence
- technically neutral
- obligations and rights the same
- FiCom has a positive view
- the definations should be further specified

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Information society services and electronic signature

- more confident among consumers
- clear legislation
- service provider can secure its rights
- notice and take down
- illegal content and IPR:s
- ISP:S cannot be authorities or courts of justice





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Value chain is getting tighter Value chain = value network UMTS chain = difficulties for operators

=> difficulties for vendors

- => difficulties for software providers
- => difficulties for content providers



The risks are often forgetten

- technical risk
- financial risk
- regulative risk

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Despite the fore said Finnish legislators and regulators have as a whole and in a longer perspective applied a very wise regulatory policy.

Simultaneously sufficient operating preconditions and efficient competition is possible