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- I, DENIS NAUGHTEN, Minister for Communications, Climate Action and Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 3 of the European Communities Act 1972 (No. 27 of 1972) and for the purpose of giving full effect to Article 7(5) of Regulation (EU) 2015/2120<sup>1</sup> of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2015, hereby make the following Regulations:
- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Communications (Mobile Telephone Roaming) Regulations 2013 (Amendment) Regulations 2017.
  - 2. These Regulations come into operation on 15 June 2017.
- 3. In these Regulations "Principal Regulations" means the Communications (Mobile Telephone Roaming) Regulations 2013 (S.I. No. 228 of 2013).
- 4. Regulation 2 of the Principal Regulations is amended by substituting for the definition of "Mobile Phone Roaming Regulation" the following:
- "'Mobile Phone Roaming Regulation' means Regulation (EU) 531/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 June 2012<sup>2</sup> as amended by Regulation (EU) 2015/2120 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2015<sup>3</sup>".
  - 5. Regulation 7 of the Principal Regulations is amended—
    - (a) by substituting for clause (i) of paragraph (1)(a) the following:
      - "(i) its obligations under Article 3, 4, 5, 6a, 6e, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15 or 16, or",

and

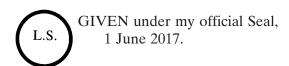
- (b) by substituting for clause (i) of paragraph (4)(a) the following:
  - "(i) its obligations under Article 3, 4, 5, 6a, 6e, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15 or 16, or".

<sup>1</sup>OJ No. L310, 26.11.2015, p. 1 <sup>2</sup>OJ No. L172, 30.6.2012, p. 10

<sup>3</sup>OJ No. L310, 26.11.2015, p. 1

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# DENIS NAUGHTEN,

Minister for Communications, Climate Action and Environment.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to a legal interpretation.)

The purpose of these Regulations is to give effect to article 7(5) of Regulation (EU) No 2015/2120 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 25 November 2015, which amends Regulation (EU) No 531/2012 on roaming on public telephone networks within the European Union.

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