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ELECTRONIC AND POSTAL COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY
STEERING COUNCIL

No. _____ Prot.

Tirana, __. __ 2025

DECISION

No. 17, dated 14.10.2025

ON
GRANTING AN INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZATION TO “POSTA SHQIPTARE” J.S.C.
FOR THE PROVISION OF THE UNIVERSAL POSTAL SERVICE

The Steering Council of the Electronic and Postal Communications Authority (AKEP), composed of:

Mr. Gentian Sala – Chairman
Ms. Edlira Dvorani – Member
Mr. Lorenc Bako – Member
Mr. Bleron Dokle – Member
Mr. Armer Juka – Member

and Secretary Ms. Xhilda Hoxha, at the meeting held on October 14, 2025, in accordance with the procedure established in Article 15 of Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania” and the Internal Regulation on the Functioning of the Steering Council of AKEP, approved by Steering Council Decision No. 07, dated 16.02.2017, as amended, examined the matter concerning:

- *Granting an Individual Authorization to “Posta Shqiptare” J.S.C. for the provision of the Universal Postal Service.*

LEGAL BASIS:

1. Article 7(1), Article 9(1) and (6), and Article 64(3) of Law No. 46/2015 “On Postal Services in the Republic of Albania.”
2. Article 14(1) and Article 15(1) of Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania.”
3. Law No. 44/2015 “Code of Administrative Procedures of the Republic of Albania.”
4. Article 7 of Council of Ministers Decision (CMD) No. 239, dated 02.05.2018 “On the Approval of the Rules for Determining the Universal Postal Service Provider.”
5. Order of the Minister of Infrastructure and Energy No. 469, dated 27.12.2019 “On Determining the Density of Access Points for the Provision of the Universal Postal Service.”

6. AKEP Regulation No. 36, dated 29.10.2015 “On the Provision of the Universal Postal Service.”
7. Steering Council Decision No. 10, dated 27.08.2025 “On the Approval of the Final Document ‘Market Analysis of Postal Services and Assessment of Potential Universal Service Providers.’”

THE STEERING COUNCIL CONSIDERS:

After reviewing the written materials:

- The document “Individual Authorization of ‘Posta Shqiptare’ J.S.C. for the Provision of the Universal Postal Service”;
- The accompanying explanatory report of the draft act;

as well as the discussions held during the meeting and referring to the above-mentioned legal basis,

WHEREAS:

1. By Steering Council Decision No. 13, dated 30.06.2020, “Posta Shqiptare” J.S.C. was granted an Individual Authorization for the provision of the Universal Postal Service for a period of five (5) years from the entry into force of that decision. By Steering Council Decision No. 06, dated 19.05.2025, the document “Market Analysis of Postal Services and Assessment of Potential Universal Service Providers” was approved for public consultation. Following the conclusion of the public consultation, by Steering Council Decision No. 10, dated 27.08.2025, the Steering Council determined that “Posta Shqiptare” J.S.C. is the only provider that fulfills the legal conditions to provide the Universal Postal Service throughout the territory of the Republic of Albania.
2. The issuance of the Individual Authorization for the Universal Postal Service Provider is based on Law No. 46/2015 “On Postal Services in the Republic of Albania,” Regulation No. 36, dated 29.10.2015 “On the Provision of the Universal Postal Service,” and other applicable legal and sub-legal acts.
3. The Individual Authorization for the provision of the Universal Postal Service establishes rights and obligations for “Posta Shqiptare” J.S.C. to provide the Universal Postal Service throughout the territory of the Republic of Albania.

FOR THESE REASONS:

Based on Article 14(1) and Article 15(1) of Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania,” as well as Article 7(1), Article 9(1) and (6), and Article 64(3) of Law No. 46/2015 “On Postal Services in the Republic of Albania,” the Steering Council of AKEP,

DECIDES:

1. To grant an Individual Authorization to “Posta Shqiptare” J.S.C. for the provision of the Universal Postal Service throughout the territory of the Republic of Albania, in accordance with the document attached to this Decision, for a period of five (5) years starting from July 7, 2025.
2. “Posta Shqiptare” J.S.C. is obliged to provide the Universal Postal Service throughout the territory of the Republic of Albania in accordance with the conditions of the Individual Authorization approved by this Decision, as well as pursuant to Law No. 46/2015, dated

07.05.2015 “On Postal Services in the Republic of Albania,” and the applicable sub-legal and regulatory acts of the postal sector.

3. This Decision shall take effect as of July 7, 2025.

4. This Decision shall be published on AKEP’s website: www.akep.al.

Chairman	Member	Member	Member	Member
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