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**ELECTRONIC AND POSTAL COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY  
STEERING COUNCIL**

No. \_\_\_\_\_ prot.

Tirana, \_\_.\_\_. 2026

**DECISION**

**No. 04, dated 02.02.2026**

**ON**

**“APPROVAL FOR PUBLIC CONSULTATION OF THE DRAFT REGULATION  
‘ON DETERMINING THE METHODOLOGY FOR CALCULATING THE  
ADMINISTRATIVE FINE’”**

The Steering Council (SC) of the Electronic and Postal Communications Authority (AKEP), attended by:

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

and with Ms. Dania Nallbani acting as Secretary, at the meeting held on 02 February 2026, in accordance with the procedure set forth in Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania”, and the Internal Regulation “On the Functioning of the Steering Council of the Electronic and Postal Communications Authority”, approved by AKEP Steering Council Decision No. 7, dated 16.02.2017, as amended, reviewed the matter concerning:

- “Approval for public consultation of the draft regulation document: “On Determining the Methodology for Calculating the Administrative Fine”.

**LEGAL BASIS:**

1. Article 183, paragraph 3, of Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania”.
2. Law No. 99, dated 12.09.2024 “On Inspection in the Republic of Albania”.
3. Regulation “On Public Notification and Consultation Procedures”, approved by AKEP Steering Council Decision No. 21, dated 07.12.2021.

**THE STEERING COUNCIL**

Having reviewed the written documentation composed of the following:

1. The document for approval for public consultation of the draft regulation “On Determining the Methodology for Calculating the Administrative Fine”.
2. The formatted and reasoned draft decision;
3. The explanatory report accompanying the draft decision;

#### **OBSERVES:**

1. Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania” entered into force on 20.12.2024, repealing Law No. 9918/2008 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania”, as amended. The new Law No. 54/2024 partially approximates into national legislation Directive (EU) 2018/1972 of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the European Electronic Communications Code (EECC).
2. The document for public consultation, namely the draft regulation “On Determining the Methodology for Calculating the Administrative Fine”, has been drafted in accordance with the new provisions of Article 183, paragraph 3, of Law No. 54/2024 and Law No. 99, dated 12.09.2024 “On Inspection in the Republic of Albania”, according to which: “AKEP shall determine by decision the principles, criteria and methodology for calculating fines, as well as the procedure for inspection activities in implementation of this law and the national procedural law.”
3. Article 184 of Law No. 54/2024 does not provide for fixed amounts of administrative fines, but determines their maximum limits by reference to the annual gross revenues of the electronic communications undertaking for the preceding calendar year. In this context, it is necessary to draft a methodology determining the amount of fines in order to avoid their arbitrary imposition at the conclusion of inspection activities.
4. Pursuant to Articles 44 and 45 of Law No. 54/2024 and the Regulation “On Public Notification and Consultation Procedures”, approved by AKEP Steering Council Decision No. 21, dated 07.12.2021, the document approved through this decision shall be subject to public consultation for the purpose of obtaining the opinion of interested parties.

#### **FOR THESE REASONS:**

Pursuant to Article 14, paragraph 1, and Article 15, paragraph 1, of Law No. 54/2024 “On Electronic Communications in the Republic of Albania”, the AKEP Steering Council,

#### **DECIDED:**

1. To approve the launch for public consultation of the draft regulation document “On Determining the Methodology for Calculating the Administrative Fine”, according to the document attached hereto.
2. The public consultation procedure shall be conducted for a period of 30 days from the date of publication of the document referred to in point 3 of this Decision.
3. This Decision and the public consultation document, namely the draft regulation “On Determining the Methodology for Calculating the Administrative Fine”, shall be published on the website [www.akep.al](http://www.akep.al).
4. The Directorate of Consumer Protection, Statistics and Inspection shall be responsible for the follow-up and implementation of this Decision.

This Decision shall enter into force immediately.

<b>Chairman</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Member</b>
<b>Gentian Sala</b>	<b>Edlira Dvorani</b>	<b>Bleron Dokle</b>	<b>Lorenc Bako</b>	<b>Armer Juka</b>