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SURVEILLANCE ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 12 OF THE HAR AGREEMENT



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1. General provisions

Each CB may carry out tests on cables licensed by other CBs on the basis of one sample per code designation per year per manufacturer.

When an CB has made tests according to the provisions above the relevant costs are sustained:

- In case of positive results, by the CB who carried out the tests;
- In case of negative results, by the CB who licensed the tested cable(s) with the possibility to charge the manufacturer, if it is so wished.

Taking into account the high costs connected with surveillance tests according to art.12, it is recommended that only partial testing be made.

It is however recognised that complete type tests are necessary when there are serious doubts on the quality of the sample(s) submitted.

2. Recommended fee

On the principle that income from surveillance tests according to art.12 shall not constitute a revenue, a recommended common fee for charging costs is agreed according to the table below.

Fee for check tests on PVC or rubber cables and cords (EUR)		
No of conductors	Partial testing	Complete testing
1	300	1050
2	375	1650
3	450	2250
4	525	2850
5	600	3450

Note: the fees above have been calculated by considering a reasonable medium time (hours) for testing PVC or rubber cables and cords and according to the following formulas:

Partial testing

$$H = 2 + 0.5 (n-1)$$

Complete testing

$$H = 7 + 4 (n-1)$$

When $n = 1, 2, 3, 4$ or 5 is the number of conductors in the tested cable.

Hourly rate

150 EURs

3. Action in case of negative results

When unsatisfactory results are found, the CB who issued the licence shall inform the CB, who detected the infringement, about the measures taken as a consequence of such infringements.

4. Statistics

The figures relevant to the surveillance carried out in accordance with art.12 of the HAR Agreement, shall be recorded in the annual statistics according to the following example:

- (*) - 146 samples were picked-up during the standard surveillance
 - 3 samples had been picked-up according to art.12
 - 2 samples had been brought to the external CB's as defective ones.
- The number of deviation values should refer to 149 samples.
- (**) - 15 deviation values are allocated to 149 samples.