



CICRA media release

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Telecoms expert joins CICRA

The Channel Islands Competition and Regulatory Authorities (CICRA) has appointed an expert in telecommunications.

Kevin Werry, who previously worked as a consultant to CICRA, the OUR and the JCRA, has over 23 years of telecoms experience in various countries.

Mr Werry has held a number of positions in the industry that include the management of an access network rollout, technical support for licence bids, project management of the launch of a voice portfolio, full telecoms product launch management and bandwidth product management.

Mr Werry's expertise includes implementing a range of technical operations for fixed and mobile networks. He has also provided expert support in a number of litigation cases relating to the telecoms sector.

Mr Werry holds an Engineering Masters degree in communications, information and electronic engineering. He is a Chartered engineer and a member of the Institute of Engineering and Technology.

Interim chief executive of CICRA, Michael Byrne, said: "Kevin's expertise in this industry will help strengthen our focus on telecommunications matters. Having worked with us as a consultant for over 10 years we know that his knowledge will greatly enhance the capabilities of the CICRA team."

Picture caption: Kevin Werry joins CICRA as telecommunications expert

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About CICRA:

The Channel Islands Competition and Regulatory Authorities or 'CICRA' is the name given to the Jersey Competition Regulatory Authority (JCRA) and the Guernsey Competition and Regulatory Authority (GCRA) (formerly the Office of Utility Regulation). The JCRA was established under the Competition Regulatory Authority (Jersey) Law, 2001, and the GCRA was established under The Guernsey Competition and Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2012. In Jersey, the telecoms and postal sectors are regulated by the JCRA, which is also responsible for administering and enforcing the Competition (Jersey) Law 2005. In Guernsey the telecoms, postal and electricity sectors are regulated by the GCRA, which is also responsible for the administration and enforcement of the Guernsey competition law since it came into force on 1 August 2012.

By working together and sharing resources and expertise between the islands, CICRA strives to ensure that consumers in all the Channel Islands receive best value, choice and access to high quality services.