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## Order... of... amending the Order of 24 December 2001 relating to terrestrial digital video broadcasting establishing the characteristics of the signals emitted

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#### **4. Notification Number**

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#### **5. Title**

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#### **6. Products Concerned**

Audiovisual communication services broadcast by terrestrial digital video signal (terrestrial digital television services).

#### **7. Notification Under Another Act**

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#### **8. Main Content**

The notified amendment of the Order of 24 December 2001 will, for the multiplexes authorised after the entry into force of the amended Order, change the minimum technical characteristics to which the emitted signals must conform for terrestrial digital video broadcasting television services.

This Order makes reference to European standards defined within the draft framework "Digital Video Broadcasting" and approved by the ETSI. The broadcasting of the services concerned are required to comply with the specifications of standard EN 300 755.

#### **9. Brief Statement of Grounds**

The choice of standard EN 300 755, the specifications of which were published by the ETSI in September 2009, allows for greater optimum use of broadcasting resources. This technology has already been introduced in three European countries and adopted in numerous other countries outside of Europe.

To gradually introduce this standard to France, it shall be used for services broadcast on multiplexes which will be authorised in mainland France following the entry into force of the amended Order. Following the end of the process to discontinue analogue television in France on 30 November 2011, the available frequencies will in effect allow for the launch of new terrestrial digital television multiplexes.

In the interests of coherence, the video coding of the signal for these services will, in addition, comply with standard ISO/IEC 14496-10, the oldest and least efficient standard ISO/IEC 13818-2 will have to be withdrawn from 2015 according to all those involved.

#### **10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

Reference texts: The notified text amends the Order of 24 December 2001 relating to terrestrial digital video broadcasting establishing the characteristics of the signals emitted previously notified.



The Order mentioned above, as well as the notified amended draft Order, are pursuant to amended Article 12 of Law No. 86-1067 of 30 September 1986 on freedom of communication.  
The reference texts must be sent as part of the previous notification: 2001/288/F

**11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

No

**12. Grounds for the Emergency**

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**13. Confidentiality**

No

**14. Fiscal measures**

No

**15. Impact assessment**

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**16. TBT and SPS aspects**

TBT aspect

No - The draft is compliant with an international standard.

SPS aspect

No - The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure.

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