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Art. 7

Mandatory information which Information Society Service Providers (ISSPs) must ensure is easily, directly and permanently accessible by recipients of its services (Art. 7 LD 70/2003):

- · Company name;
- · Registered office;
- Contact details, including an e-mail address, which must be sufficient to enable users of the service to contact the ISSP in a direct and effective manner:
- The trade register in which the company is registered and its registration number (in case of Italy: Repertorio Attività Economiche (Register of Economic Activities) or Register of Enterprises of the Chamber of Commerce);
- Where the company is subject to an authorisation scheme, the details of the relevant supervisory authority.
- As concerns regulated professions:
 - 1. Any professional body or similar institution with which the service provider is registered and the register number;
 - 2. The professional title and the member state where it has been granted;
 - 3. Reference to the applicable professional rules in the Member State and means to access them.
- The VAT number or equivalent in the Member State;
- Indication of prices and tariffs of ISS provided in a clear manner, specifying if they include taxes, delivery costs or other expenses;
- An indication of permitted activities and details of the type of contract to be entered into with consumers, if the activity is subject to a licence or an authorisation;
- The service provider must update the information provided above;
- The registration of an Internet publisher is mandated exclusively for the
 activities in which the service provider intends to take advantage of the benefits
 provided by Law 62/2001 (for websites that contain information or news –
 would have to register as journalistic publications).

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