

THE ISSUE OF REGULATION OF RTV SUBSCRIPTION

ROMANIA

1) *METHOD OF FIXING AND THE AMOUNT OF SUBSCRIPTION*

Radio subscription amount is fixed to EUR 0.6 for individuals. For legal entities, by category, it ranges from EUR 0.6 through to EUR 7.5.

Television subscription amount is fixed to EUR 1 for individuals. For legal entities, by category, it ranges from EUR 1 through to EUR 12.5.

2) *THE METHOD OF PAYMENT OF SUBSCRIPTION*

National electricity company in charge of collection.

3) *DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME FROM SUBSCRIPTION AMONG NATIONATION, REGIONAL AND LOCAL MEDIA*

Romanian national television is funded mostly from subscription (75% of 2003 income). In 2003, the contribution from the national budget totaled 14%, whereas the rest was own income.