CENL COPYRIGHT NETWORK GROUP
REPORT 2020

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MEMBERS

• National Library of Serbia
• National Library of the Czech Republic
• Swiss National Library
• National Library of France
• Royal Library of Belgium
• Royal Library of the Netherlands
• National and University Library of Slovenia
• The National Library of Finland
• German National Library
• Slovak National Library
• National Library of Romania
• National Library of Estonia
• National Library of Sweden
• British Library
• National Library of Austria
• National Library of Denmark
• National Library of Norway, St. Cyril and Methodius National Library (Bulgaria)
• Professional support among peers: for facilitation of knowledge and information exchange, network-building and professional support in relation to legal matters of relevance to national libraries.

• The Network group monitors changes in the law, e.g. legislation and case law, foremost copyright, data protection, privacy and legal deposit law but also other areas of the law relevant for national libraries and cooperate on establishing best practices to:
  • Support and strengthen the national libraries to increase their impact.
  • Develop national services, and enable development of new and innovative services for their users.
  • Develop as memory institutions and enhance access to collections.
• Publication of information on the web, meetings (seminars and conferences).
The group was (re)established in February 2020

The aim to meet twice per year in person was completely abandoned and all funds relocated to the 2021. Activities were severely hindered by the Covid 19

Activities in the spring 2020:
- the group agreed on the new standardised form for the country reports and started to collect them,
- the group agreed on the structure of the webpage,
- the group collected initial info about the Covid 19 measures.

Activities in the autumn 2020 so far:
- Online meeting in October and discussion about:
  - the DSM implementation
  - the Covid 19 measures
  - ideas for agenda for the Autumn meeting in November
ADDITIONAL PLANS FOR 2020

• The group will meet in the first half of November 2020 to discuss:
  • presentation of the National reports with the focus on the implementation of the Digital Single Market Directive
  • discussion about the common statement on the implementation of the Orphan work directive
  • report from the AGM
  • discussion about the website
  • copyright related Covid 19 activities, measures, needs of national libraries
  • plan for meetings in 2021, including to invite new members.

• Publication of the collected reports and information on the website (closed and open part).
THANK YOU!
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