

Good practice No 4

Legislation regulating base registries uses technology-neutral terms or standards and specifications which are not proprietary.

Both Member States and the European Union need to beware of imposing technological constraints by specifying proprietary technologies when regulating the interconnection of base registries.

Overarching legal requirements describing the interconnection framework should be technology-neutral.

- **EUROPEAN INITIATIVES:** INSPIRE, BRIS (BUSINESS REGISTERS INTERCONNECTION SYSTEM)

INSPIRE.

Directive establishing an Infrastructure for Spatial Information in the European Union.

SOURCE: Directive 2007/2/EC.

BRIS - BUSINESS REGISTERS INTERCONNECTION SYSTEM.

Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2015/884 of 8 June 2015 has established the non-proprietary technical specifications and procedures required for the system of interconnection of business registries established by Directive 2009/101/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council.

SOURCE: Regulation (EU) 2015/884.