







Political Communications Legislations Infrastructures Governance

A new strategy has been put in place in 2022 by the Minister for Research, <u>Innovation and Digital Policy (DMRID) 2022-2024</u> as the executive body for its deployment. The government chooses to refocus on research, innovation and information and communication technologies (ICT).

In addition, the Government of Cyprus is in the process of replacing the 2017-2022 National Open Data Strategy with a new five-year strategy to promote the publication and reuse of government open data for the period 2023-2027. It is expected to be adopted in the second quarter of 2023.

In January 2022, the Cypriot Parliament approved a set of legislative acts introducing into the civil service (a) a new system for evaluating employee performance and (b) a new system for assessing and selecting candidates for promotion positions in the public service starting in 2024.

A new Gov.cy portal went live in June 2022. It is a modern, user-friendly, dynamic and responsive web page where the public has access to all digital services provided by the Cypriot government and also to other portals that provide digital services.

No recent changes in governance have been reported to date.

