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With the adoption of the Electronic Media Law in August 2010, the competences related to the licensing and monitoring of cable operators' distribution of audiovisual media contents were restored to the Broadcasting Agency.

Consequently, over the last four months, the Broadcasting Agency has analysed the programmes distributed by Montenegrin cable operators, particularly from the aspect of adherence to the obligations prescribed by the awarded licences, and the Law on Implementation of Regulations Dealing with Protection of the Intellectual Property Rights. Accordingly, the Agency has updated the lists of channels the cable/MMDS/IPTV/DTH operators have distribution rights for on the territory of Montenegro, which are included in the awarded licences. The updated information on the lists of channels distributed by Montenegrin operators is available on the website of the Broadcasting Agency [www.ardcg.org](http://www.ardcg.org) (Documents). Cable operators are requested to immediately harmonize their offer with these lists, i.e. stop distributing the channels for which they do not have adequate contracts with broadcasters.

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