



**EUROPEAN COMMISSION**  
DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR HEALTH AND FOOD SAFETY

Health systems, medical products and innovation  
**Cross-border healthcare and tobacco control**

**EU system of traceability for tobacco products**  
**- List of approved providers of primary repositories -**

Article 15(8) of Directive 2014/40/EU, and Article 26(1) of Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/574, require manufacturers and importers of tobacco products to conclude data storage contracts with an independent third party provider operating a primary repository, for the purpose of hosting the data storage facility for all relevant data submitted to the EU-wide tobacco traceability system. In accordance with point 3 of Part A of Annex I to Implementing Regulation (EU) 2018/574, the suitability of the proposed provider has to be approved or rejected by the Commission within three months of the receipt of a notification. To that extent, point 5 of Part A stipulates that a list of notified and approved third parties shall be made publicly available by the Commission on a website.

**List of third parties notified and approved by the Commission to operate a primary repository (date of issue: 10.10.2018):**

<b>Legal name</b>	<b>Place of incorporation</b>
Atos AG	Switzerland
Atos Information Technology GmbH	Germany
Atos IT Solutions and Services A/S	Denmark
Atos Polska S.A.	Poland
Dentsu Aegis Network Switzerland AG	Switzerland
IBM United Kingdom Limited	United Kingdom
Movilizer GmbH	Germany
Zetes S.A.	Belgium