

PagesJaunes is satisfied with the number 118008 allocated following the drawing of lots and is withdrawing the appeal filed with the Conseil d'Etat

PagesJaunes had filed an appeal with the Conseil d'Etat on the grounds that the rules governing the allocation of 118XYZ numbers specified by the ARCEP discriminated against companies belonging to a group.

Ultimately, given the choices made by the other candidates in the first round, PagesJaunes was able to select a number in the second round with which it is completely satisfied: 118 008.

Consequently, PagesJaunes is withdrawing the appeal, partly in the belief that its continued pursuit would subject all operators to uncertainty concerning the future of an activity in which the company wishes to become a major participant.

"Whereas the first stage was all down to chance, the decisive factors now will be the abilities and merits of the competing providers, particularly in the second stage in November", said Valérie Shwartz, Manager of the PagesJaunes 118 008 information service.

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