Do I need a new registration number for the advert on the platform?

For: Private accommodation host

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Applicability: Status verified on 15 November 2026; second reading debated on 12 November 2026.

The final draft of the new Act provides for the application of the provisions on registration numbers from 1 May 2027. Distinguish this from the obligation you should fulfil today: the verified parliamentary website records a debate in the second reading, concluded on 12 November 2026.

Announced change

Proposed implementation of registration numbers: 1 May 2027. Before proceeding, verify the final published law and the implementing instructions.

Check the status of the regulation, not just the announced date.

In May 2026, the Ministry stated that at that time there was no Croatian obligation for a new registration number. A more recent announcement from October describes the final proposal, with planned implementation from 1 May 2027; the parliamentary website records the debate in the second reading on 12 November 2026. A proposal and an announcement are not the same as a published, valid regulation.

The existing approval decision and the future registration number are not the same document. Before taking any concrete action, consult the latest official instructions and verify the final law, its date of entry into force and the commencement of application of each provision.

Prepare the data for each unit.

Align the address, category and capacity of your accommodation units with the approval and listings. This way you prepare your business information without inventing a number or paying for an unverified offer. When the official procedure applies, follow the published registration method.

Example of a preview and actual application

You can note in your calendar the proposed start date of 1 May 2027. However, do not present the announcement as an already valid deadline for entering the number in the advertisement. First, check the final published regulation and the implementing instructions.

Specific next steps

1. Check the Ministry's latest announcement and its status in the Sabor.
2. Find the final text and the date of publication in the Official Gazette when it is published.
3. Match the data of approved accommodation units and advertisements.

4. Complete the registration in accordance with the official rules and the date of application.

Most common mistakes

• Present the final proposal as if it were already a law.

• Replace the existing solution and the future registration number.

Limits of application

The description of the official announcements and the status of the parliamentary debate were verified as of 15 November 2026. This response does not confirm that the new law has already been published or that you are already required to implement the new procedure.

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