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Subject: Application of **Nos.11.44/11.44.1** of the Radio Regulations and *resolves 1* of Resolution **49 (Rev.WRC-03)** to satellite networks with the 7-year expiry date for notification between 1 July and 31 December 2008

Dear Sir,

1. The Radiocommunication Bureau hereby draws the attention of all administrations to the provisions of **Nos. 11.44** and **11.44.1** of the Radio Regulations and the related Rules of Procedure as well as to *resolves 1* of Resolution **49 (Rev. WRC-03)**.

2. These provisions stipulate that the assignments included in a request for coordination shall no longer be taken into account by the Bureau or administrations unless, by the end of the seven-year regulatory period as from the date of receipt of the relevant advance publication information (API), for APIs received as from 22 November 1997:

- the assignments in question have been brought into use,
- the complete first notice for recording of these assignments under No. 11.15 has been received by the Bureau, and
- the complete "due diligence" information submitted in accordance with Resolution 49 (Rev.WRC0-03) has been received by the Bureau.

3. In this context, the Bureau has prepared two lists of networks with an indication of their respective API date of receipt and seven-year regulatory period expiry date, which falls between 1st July and 31 December 2008 inclusive, as follows:

3.1 Annex 1 contains the list of networks for which no notification information seems to have yet been received by the Bureau, with an indication where the Bureau does not seem to have yet received the "due diligence" information (see also paragraph 4 below);

3.2 Annex 2 contains the list of networks for which notification information, having been received:

- a) is under examination, or
- b) was returned to the administration as the result of an unfavourable finding, or
- c) was recorded in the MIFR as the result of a favourable finding.

Annex 2 contains also an indication where the Bureau does not seem to have yet received the "due diligence" information for those networks (see also paragraph 5 below).

4. The Bureau requests your Administration to kindly verify the attached lists and submit the notification information under No. 11.15 before the indicated expiry of the 7-year period, either with all the required agreements obtained (No. 11.32), or with a statement that some coordination could not be successfully completed and with a request to apply the provisions of Nos. 11.32A, 11.35 or 11.41, as appropriate, with respect to certain missing agreements.
5. With respect to the notification information received and considered under a), b) or c) of paragraph 3.2) above, no action may be needed, nevertheless, similar or additional notification information may still be submitted before the indicated expiry of the 7-year period, in order to cover all the frequency assignments included in the request(s) for coordination or for advance publication information, according to the case.
6. Your Administration is also kindly requested to check further whether any of its networks, not listed in the Annexes, also fall into the above category and, if so, to submit the notification information as mentioned in paragraph 4 and 5 above for the corresponding assignments still at the coordination stage or published as an advance publication information, according to the case, and for which the seven-year regulatory period will expire between 1st July and 31 December 2008.
7. The attention of your Administration is also drawn to the fact that, for the networks identified with an "X" in the Annexes, the Bureau does not seem to have received the "due diligence" information, which, for networks subject to *resolves 1* and §1 of Annex 1 to Resolution 49 (Rev.WRC-03), is to be provided before the expiry of the seven-year regulatory period referred to above.
8. For networks for which the "due diligence" information has already been received, your Administration is also kindly requested to check whether its networks contain frequency assignments in frequency bands not covered by that "due diligence" information and, if so, to submit the complete "due diligence" information before the expiry of the same seven-year regulatory period.
9. Please note that this communication is to be considered as the Bureau's advance notice referred to in Nos. 11.44/11.44.1 and in § 10 of Annex 1 to Resolution 49 (Rev.WRC-03).
10. Please note that this Circular telegram does not cover BSS assignments in the band 620 – 790 MHz which will be treated under Resolution [COM 4/1] of WRC-07.
11. The Bureau trusts that your Administration will provide the required information as indicated above. In the event that the assignments are not brought into use and the notification information as well as the "due diligence" information are not received by the Bureau within the specified period, the Bureau will initiate the cancellation of the relevant assignments as foreseen by Nos. 11.44/11.44.1 and the related Rules of Procedure and/or Resolution 49 (Rev.WRC-03), according to the case.

Yours faithfully,

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Enclosures: Annexes 1 and 2

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ANNEX 1

Satellite networks for which the Bureau does not seem to have yet received the notification information and for which the seven-year regulatory period will expire before 1 January 2009 (see paragraph 4 of this Circular Telegram)

NETWORK	ADMIN	ORG	LONG(E)	API date of receipt	Expiry of the 7-year period	Missing Resolution 49 information *
TANGO-B	ARG		-48	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
ADF 152E GOV	AUS		152	01.08.2001	01.08.2008	X
ADF 156E GOV	AUS		156	01.08.2001	01.08.2008	X
ADF 160E GOV	AUS		160	01.08.2001	01.08.2008	X
ADF 164E GOV	AUS		164	01.08.2001	01.08.2008	X
INTERSPUTNIK-16W-2C	BLR	IK	-16	28.12.2001	28.12.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-10E	F		10	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-12.5W	F		-12.5	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-13E	F		13	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-16E	F		16	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-21.5E	F		21.5	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-36E	F		36	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-48E	F		48	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-L-E-7E	F		7	19.09.2001	19.09.2008	X
F-SAT-UHF-GEO-10	F		-71	10.10.2001	10.10.2008	X
F-SAT-UHF-GEO-2	F		32	10.10.2001	10.10.2008	X
F-SAT-UHF-GEO-8	F		120	10.10.2001	10.10.2008	X
F-SAT-UHF-HEO-2	F			10.10.2001	10.10.2008	X
MSG-S1	F	ESA	10	02.07.2001	02.07.2008	
MSG-S2	F	ESA	-10	02.07.2001	02.07.2008	
RADIOSAT-5D	F		-7	04.12.2001	04.12.2008	X
INMARSAT GSO-2L	G		-53	07.08.2001	07.08.2008	X
IOMSAT-1	G		9.9	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-11	G		-115	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-12	G		117	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-2	G		-15	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-3	G		16.1	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-4	G		22.3	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-5	G		-37.5	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-6	G		-47	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-7	G		-89	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
IOMSAT-9	G		-97	27.09.2001	27.09.2008	X
SKYNET-5A	G		-34	08.08.2001	08.08.2008	
SKYNET-5B	G		-1	08.08.2001	08.08.2008	
SKYNET-5C	G		6	08.08.2001	08.08.2008	
SKYNET-5D	G		53	08.08.2001	08.08.2008	
HELLAS-SAT KA-1	GRC		-28	10.08.2001	10.08.2008	X

NETWORK	ADMIN	ORG	LONG(E)	API date of receipt	Expiry of the 7-year period	Missing Resolution 49 information *
HELLAS-SAT KA-2	GRC		-20	10.08.2001	10.08.2008	X
HELLAS-SAT KA-3	GRC		-12	10.08.2001	10.08.2008	X
MTSAT-B-135E	J		135	18.10.2001	18.10.2008	X
MTSAT-B-140E	J		140	18.10.2001	18.10.2008	X
SKDAB-2	KOR		144	03.09.2001	04.09.2008	
SKDAB-2	KOR		144	30.10.2001	31.10.2008	
SADKO-1	RUS		85.4	10.12.2001	10.12.2008	X
VOLNA-4R	RUS		40	28.11.2001	28.11.2008	X
VOLNA-6R	RUS		145	28.11.2001	28.11.2008	X
VOLNA-8R	RUS		80	28.11.2001	28.11.2008	X
EMARSAT-1F/M	UAE		44	10.09.2001	10.09.2008	X
IRIS-1	USA		-105	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-10	USA		29	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-11	USA		125	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-2	USA		-100	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-3	USA		-22.5	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-4	USA		-15.5	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-5	USA		72	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-6	USA		75	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-7	USA		172	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-8	USA		-177	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X
IRIS-9	USA		-145	21.12.2001	21.12.2008	X

* Please see paragraphs 7 and 8 of this Circular Telegram.

ANNEX 2

Satellite networks for which notification information, having been received, is under examination or was either returned to the administration as the result of an unfavourable finding or recorded in the MIFR as the result of a favourable finding, and for which the seven-year regulatory period will expire before 1 January 2009 (see paragraph 5 of this Circular Telegram)

NETWORK	ADMIN	ORG	LONG(E)	API date of receipt	Expiry of the 7-year period	Missing Resolution 49 information *
DEF-R-SAT-4B 121.0E	AUS		121	01.08.2001	01.08.2008	
APSTAR-102E	CHN		102.8	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
APSTAR-131E	CHN		131.8	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
APSTAR-140E	CHN		140	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
APSTAR-142E	CHN		142	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	
APSTAR-5-KU	CHN		138	27.08.2001	27.08.2008	
APSTAR-76E	CHN		76.5	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
APSTAR-89E	CHN		89.5	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
APSTAR-92E	CHN		92.2	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
APSTAR-96E	CHN		96	08.11.2001	08.11.2008	X
CHINASAT-115.5E	CHN		115.5	29.08.2001	29.08.2008	
CHINASAT-115.5E	CHN		115.5	18.12.2001	18.12.2008	X
HISPASAT-1D KU	E		-30	11.07.2001	11.07.2008	
MTSAT-B-145E	J		145	18.10.2001	18.10.2008	
GONETS-M	RUS			23.10.2001	23.10.2008	
THAICOM-G2K	THA		120	22.10.2001	22.10.2008	
MESSENGER	USA			23.10.2001	23.10.2008	

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