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To Administrations of Member States of the ITU, Radiocommunication Sector Members and ITU-R Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 1

Subject:

Working Party 1C activities on the review of international monitoring information

related to emissions from terrestrial stations in the HF bands

At its last meeting, Geneva, 16-22 September 2009, ITU-R Working Party 1C considered the need to initiate a review of the international monitoring information related to emissions in the HF bands originating from terrestrial stations, as defined in <u>BR Circular Letter CR/159</u> dated 9 May 2001.

To that aim, Working Party 1C has established a Correspondence Group to study further this issue in preparation for its next meeting. The terms of reference of this Correspondence Group are described in Annex 4 to Document 1C/81.

The Correspondence Group, in agreement with the Working Party 1C Chairman, has developed a survey concerning new arrangements for the international monitoring programme (see Annex 1).

Responses to the survey are invited and requested to be sent <u>before 15 May 2010</u>, by Email only, to the Chairman of the Working Party 1C Correspondence Group, Mr. Olivier Pellay, at: pellay@anfr.fr.

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Annex: 1

Distribution:

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- ITU-R Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 1
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- Secretary General of the ITU, Director of the Telecommunication Standardization Bureau, Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau

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Annex 1

Survey about new arrangements for the International Monitoring Programme

		YES	3	NO	
1- Participation in the regular monitoring programme					
a. Does your Administration participate regularly?					
b. Does your Administration plan to participate to the future programme?					
Comments:					
c. Do you have proposals to change (add/modify/delete) the list of parameters to report, as defined in CR/159 (* refers to mandatory data elements)					
1. Administration which submits observation*					
2. Name of the monitoring centre where observation is made*					
3. Measured frequency*					
4. Date of observation*					
5. Month of observation*					
6. Starting time *					
7. Finishing time *					
8. Field Strength					
9. Identification*					
10. Administration responsible for transmission					
11. Class of Station*					
12. Occupied bandwidth					
13. Class of Emission*					
14 -19. Estimated location of transmitting station (Geographical coordinates)					
20. Bearing to transmitting station					
21. Accuracy of the bearing					
22. Non-conformity with the Radio Regulations (see No. 16.8 of Article 16)					
23. Remarks					
Comments:					
d. Do you have equipment available for performing autom measurements? (Future possible expansion of the monitoring described in <u>Document 1C/77</u>)					

Comments:						
e. Others comments related to the international HF monitoring programme						
2- Use of the monitoring summaries						
a. Do you consult the summaries of regular monitoring programme published by the BR (http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/terrestrial/monitoring/index.html)						
Comments:						
b. Do you have suggestions on exchanges with ITU (the way to provide results for example)?						
c. Do you have suggestions to modify/improve the presentation of the data?						
d. Others comments on monitoring summaries						