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**SUBMISSION BY THE ADMINISTRATION OF FRANCE ON THE
APPLICATION OF ARTICLE 48 OF THE ITU CONSTITUTION TO THE
RECORDED FREQUENCY ASSIGNMENTS TO THE INSAT-2(48),
INSAT-2M(48), INSAT-2T (48), AND INSAT-EK48R SATELLITE NETWORKS
AT 48°E**

The attached delayed contribution in Annex 1 contains a communication from the Administration of France endorsing the concerns expressed by the German Administration regarding the application of Article 48 of the ITU Constitution to the recorded frequency assignments to the INSAT-2(48), INSAT-2M (48), INSAT-2T (48), and INSAT-EK48R satellite networks at 48°E. This communication complements the information given in [Document RRB18-1/7](#).

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AGENCE NATIONALE DES FRÉQUENCES

DIRECTION DE LA PLANIFICATION DU SPECTRE ET DES AFFAIRES INTERNATIONALES

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16 March 2018, Maisons-Alfort

To: The Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau
International Telecommunication Union
Place des Nations
CH-1211 Genève 20

Subject: Application of Article 48 of the ITU Constitution

Dear Sir,

The French Administration wishes to express its support for the German contribution (Document RRB18-1/7) for the 77th meeting of the Radio Regulations Board, which will be held in Geneva from 19 to 23 March 2018.

The French Administration considers that application of Article 48 of the Constitution must be restricted exclusively to military radio installations and should not be used for non-military or commercial radio installations.

Please convey my regards to the members of the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Amar SAÏDANI

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