

## RESOLUTION ITU-R 33-1

**Presentation of texts on terminology**

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The ITU Radiocommunication Assembly,

*considering*

- a) that it is essential that the terminology work done within the ITU should be widely disseminated, as regards both terms and definitions;
- b) that users generally have ITU publications at their disposal in one language only but are often required to read or write technical texts in one of the other working languages;
- c) that texts on vocabulary and glossaries are not as a rule directly available to users interested in a particular volume;
- d) that an alphabetical presentation of terms in a vocabulary results in a different order of terms for each language and that it is not very practical for users wanting to compare definitions in different languages;
- e) that the user of vocabulary texts often wants each term to be grouped with other terms on the same subject, these terms being presented in a logical order,

*resolves*

- 1** that the texts on vocabulary and the parts of texts dealing specifically with definitions of terms, published by the Radiocommunication Sector, shall include the equivalents of all the terms defined in the other working languages of the ITU;
- 2** that the practical means of providing the equivalents of terms in addition to the full text of terms and definitions in one of the languages is left to the discretion of the BR (see examples given in Recommendations ITU-R V.573 and ITU-R V.662);
- 3** that in the texts on vocabulary and the parts of texts dealing specifically with definitions of terms, published by the Radiocommunication Sector, the terms are presented in a logical order by subjects which should be the same in all languages, and that the vocabulary should be completed if necessary by an alphabetical index giving the reference number of each term.

NOTE 1 – When an abbreviation (or initials) exists to represent a term, it should be given immediately after the term, in the different working languages.

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