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| **Abstract:** | This TD presents some advanced planning on WTSA-24 Inter-regional coordination. |
| **Action required**: | TSAG is invited to discuss the document in relation to the planning of WTSA-24 inter-regional meetings (IRMs). |

1. **Introduction**

In order to allow enough time for inter-regional coordination, interregional meeting for preparation of WTSA, were facilitated by TSB, in close consultation with TSAG management and representatives from all the Regions and from the Regional Telecommunications Organizations, prior to WTSA-20.

**2 WTSA-20 Inter-regional meetings**

Due to the postponement of WTSA-20 and COVID-19 pandemics, four interregional meetings were organized from 2020, whilst what the Assembly originally planned was two IRMs prior to the WTSA-20.

The list of IRMs that took place is below:

* **First Interregional Meeting for Preparation of WTSA-20,** 18 September 2020, [ITU-T TSB Circular 234](https://www.itu.int/dms_pub/itu-t/md/17/tsb/cir/T17-TSB-CIR-0234!!MSW-E.docx)
* **Second Interregional Meeting for Preparation of WTSA-20,** 8 January 2021, [ITU-T TSB Circular 274](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-TSB-CIR-0274/en)
* **Third Interregional Meeting for Preparation of WTSA-20,** Thursday 21 October 2021, [ITU-T TSB Circular 327](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-TSB-CIR-0327/en)
* **Fourth Interregional Meeting for Preparation of WTSA-20,** Thursday 6 January 2022, [ITU-T TSB Circular 274](https://www.itu.int/md/T17-TSB-CIR-0274/en)

To facilitate and enhance the maximum participation from all Regions, meetings took place back-to-back with TSAG.

# 3 Proposals for WTSA-24 IRMs

# With three TSAG meetings planned until the next WTSA-24, two IRM meetings may be organized back to back with the two last TSAG meetings (see also [TD027](https://www.itu.int/md/T22-TSAG-221212-TD-GEN-0027/en) Schedule of ITU-T meetings in (2023)).

# 4 TSB webpages for Inter regional Coordination

# TSB published the [WTSA-20 Inter-regional coordination](https://www.itu.int/en/ITU-T/wtsa20/irc/Pages/default.aspx)webpage which listed all IRM related information. The page was regularly and continuously updated to follow all the preparatory process.

A similar page will be prepared by TSB for the Interregional Meeting for Preparation of WTSA-24.

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