RECOMMENDATION 407-4

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE OF SOUND PROGRAMMES RECORDED IN ANALOGUE FORM

(Question 52/10)

(1951-1953-1956-1959-1963-1966-1970-1986-1990)

The CCIR,

CONSIDERING

(a) that the international exchange of monophonic and stereophonic sound programmes between broadcasting organizations, recorded in analogue form, may be made by means of magnetic recordings on tape;

(b) that it is desirable to limit the number of standards and formats in which such recordings may be exchanged;

(c) the content of Opinion 16,

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that, when such recorded sound programmes are exchanged in the form of analogue magnetic recordings on tape, the exchanges should be effected by means of 6.3 mm wide tapes recorded at a speed of 38.1 cm/s or 19.05 cm/s, conforming with IEC Publication 94-1 and with the additional provisions contained in Recommendation 408.

The "IEC-1" recording characteristics of IEC Publication 94-1 is preferred.