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To: Arab Administrations of ITU Member States, Regulators, ITU-D Sector Members, Associates, Academia and Regional and International Organizations concerned

Subject: ITU Regional Workshop on Cross-Border Frequency Coordination in Arab Region Dubai – United Arab Emirates, 26th January 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

As part of the implementation of the Operational Plan 2017 for the Arab Regional Office of the International Telecommunication Union, we are pleased to invite you to participate in ITU Regional Workshop on Cross-Border Frequency Coordination in Arab Region, on 26 January 2017, preceded by the 3rd Annual Middle East and North Africa Spectrum Management Conference, 24 & 25 January 2017 (www.mena-spectrum.com), organized in collaboration with Telecommunications Regulatory Authority (TRA) and the Global Forum in Dubai-UAE.

This workshop aims to contribute significantly on spectrum coordination mechanism. The main objectives are to:

- Enhance knowledge and understanding on cross-border frequency coordination
- Share information and experience among participants
- Understand the appropriate principles of the interference resolving along border area
- Create good relationship and close collaboration to be mutually beneficial to all participating countries

Please note that all the information related to the Workshop such as **draft Agenda**, **Fellowship Form**, **Information Note**, **Online Registration link** and the **Hotel Reservation Form** will be available on the ITU website (Click Here).

We encourage you to participate and to register in this event through the link mentioned above. Please note the deadline for registration is **20 January 2017.**

In order to facilitate the participation of delegates from the Arab Least Developed Countries (LDCs) in this event, there will be a limited number of <u>Full Fellowships</u> to cover the travel expenses and accommodation of one delegate from each Arab LDCs for the three days (24-26 Jan 2017). The interested countries should fill in the Fellowship Request Form, which is available on the workshop's website mentioned above and return it to ITU no later than <u>5 January 2017</u>.

Should you require any further information or need clarification, please do not hesitate to contact: Eng. Rouda Alamir Ali, Programme Officer, ITU Arab Regional Office, E-mail (rouda.alamirali@itu.int).

Looking forward to your active participation and fruitful contribution in this important event.

Yours faithfully,

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