

Exercises on preparing frequency assignment notices to be notified to the BR (RRS-17-Africa)

Fixed and Mobile Service (FXM)

Introduction

The goal of these exercises is to familiarize with the most common notice types applicable for Fixed and Mobile services. For recording in the Master Register, the technical and administrative characteristics required by these notice types are based on Appendix 4 to the Radio Regulations.

The list of all available notice types is given in the Preface to the BR IFIC (see Chapter III, Section 2), which is a reference document associated with the BR IFIC containing the explanation of abbreviations, symbols and remarks used in the BR IFIC as well as for notification (for example, Class of station, Nature of service, Polarization, etc.). The Preface is available in the BR IFIC DVD and on the ITU website at http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-R/terrestrial/brific/BRIFIC/Preface/PREFACE_EN.pdf

Please note, the Bureau provides guidelines and examples of notice types on the ITU website at <http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-R/terrestrial/tpr/Pages/Notification.aspx>

A fixed or mobile frequency assignment is uniquely identified by the following data items:

- Assigned frequency
- Geographical coordinates (or area)
- Designation of emission (Necessary bandwidth and class of emission)
- Class of station
- Hours of operation

or by giving:

- the unique identification code of the assignment (t_adm_ref_id). This code is given and managed by the administration;

This means that these items must be unique.

In addition to the validation facility available in TerRaNotices, there is a comprehensive **online validation tool** accessible to **all TIES users** from the ITU web site at <http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/terrestrial/OnlineValidation/Login.aspx>. It is important to use this tool before submitting official submission to the Bureau as it would help to expedite the treatment of your notices. For any assistance, please contact brtpr_dp@itu.int.

FXM 01: Fixed service (point-to-point)

Prepare an electronic notice of frequency **22.10250 GHz** used for the operation of **fixed** link based on the information below, for its recording in the **Master Register**.

To prepare this notice we will use the “Wizard” functionality of TerRaNotices and we will select the administration of **SENEGAL (SEN)** as the notifying administration and “**FX**” for class of station

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| Class of Emission | D7W-- |
| Bandwidth | 3.0 MHz |
| Transmitting antenna site name | DAKAR |
| Coordinates of the transmitting antenna site | 17°15'23"W - 14°45'06"N |
| Nature of service | “Public correspondence” - Preface Chapter IV, Section 7 |
| Date of bringing into use | Max. 3 months in advance |
| Address code | Preface Chapter IV, Section 3 |
| Antenna | |
| Antenna directivity | Directional |
| Beamwidth | 2° |
| Azimuth of maximum radiation | 247° |
| Effective radiated power | 27 dBW |
| Power delivered to the antenna | -6 dBW |
| Maximum Gain relative to a half wave dipole | 33 dB |
| Name of the location of the receiving station | DKR020 |
| Coordinates of the receiving station | 17°26'21"W - 14°40'43"N |

FXM 02: Fixed service (Point-to-Multipoint) in shared bands

Prepare an electronic notice of frequency **11.5045 GHz**, which falls within the bands shared on equal basis with the space services, used for the operation of two **fixed** links based on the information below, for its recording in the **Master Register**.

The two links are originating from the same transmitting station associated with two antennas.

To prepare this notice we will use the “New File” functionality of TerRaNotices and the functionality to add many antennas to a single notice. We will select the administration of **GUINEA (GUI)** as the notifying administration.

As the assigned frequency falls within the bands shared on equal basis with space services, the following fields are mandatory: Altitude of site above sea level, Height of Antenna above ground level, Elevation angle and Polarization.

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| Class of Emission | D7W |
| Bandwidth | 28 MHz |
| Transmitting antenna site name | CONAKRY |
| Coordinates of the transmitting antenna site | 13°30'52"W - 9°42'01"N |
| Altitude of site above sea level | 92 m |
| Nature of service | “Public correspondence” - Preface Chapter IV, Section 7 |
| Date of bringing into use | Max. 3 years in advance |
| Address code | Preface Chapter IV, Section 3 |
| Antenna 1 | |
| Height of the Antenna above ground level | 28 m |
| Antenna directivity | Directional |
| Azimuth of maximum radiation | 65° |
| Beamwidth | 3° |
| Polarization | Vertical |
| Elevation angle | -0.6° |
| Maximum antenna gain relative to isotropic antenna | 35.4 dBi |
| Equivalent isotropically radiated power | 25.4 dBW |
| Power delivered to the antenna | -10 dBW |
| Name of the location of the receiving station | SANOYAH |
| Coordinates of the receiving station | 13°29'00"W - 9°42'52"N |
| Antenna 2 | |
| Height of the Antenna above ground level | 47 m |
| Antenna directivity | Directional |
| Azimuth of maximum radiation | 252° |
| Beamwidth | 3° |
| Polarization | Horizontal |
| Elevation angle | -0.6° |
| Maximum antenna gain relative to isotropic antenna | 35.4 dBi |
| Equivalent isotropically radiated power | 25.4 dBW |
| Power delivered to the antenna | -10 dBW |
| Name of the location of the receiving station | TAMOUTA |
| Coordinates of the receiving station | 13°33'49"W - 9°41'03"N |

FXM 03: Land mobile service (point-to-area/area-to-point)

1/ Prepare an electronic notice file of frequency **959.000 MHz** assigned to a **base station** having a circular receiving area of a radius of 10 km for the Administration of **ETHIOPIA ETH**, for its recording in the **Master Register**.

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| Bandwidth | 200 kHz |
| Class of emission | G7W-- |
| Transmitting antenna site name | DIRE DAWA |
| Location of transmitting station | 41°50'47"E - 9°35'26"N |
| Nature of service | Preface Chapter IV, Section 7 |
| Date of bringing into use | Not earlier than 3 months |
| Address code | Preface Chapter IV, Section 3 |
| Effective radiated power | 30 dBW |
| Antenna directivity | Omnidirectional |

2/ Prepare an electronic notice file of frequency **914.000 MHz** assigned to the associated receiving **land mobile station** (handset) of the above base station, for its recording in the **Master Register**.

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| Bandwidth | 200 kHz |
| Class of emission | G7W-- |
| Name of the location of the receiving station | DIRE DAWA |
| Coordinates of the receiving station | 41°50'47"E - 9°35'26"N |
| Nature of service | Preface Chapter IV, Section 7 |
| Date of bringing into use | Not earlier than 3 months |
| Address code | Preface Chapter IV, Section 3 |
| Radius | 10 km |
| Effective radiated power | 3 dBW |
| Antenna directivity | Omnidirectional |

To prepare these notices we will first use “New File” functionality of TerRaNotices and then we will use “Insert new notice”. This functionality enables to have more than one notice in a file.

FXM 04: Maritime mobile Service (point-to-area)

Prepare an electronic notice, for the recording in the Master Register of frequency **161.35 MHz** assigned to a **coast station** open exclusively to correspondence of a private agency situated in **ANGOLA (AGL)** having a circular receiving area of a radius of 3 km.

For coast stations, “Call sign” or “Station identification” is mandatory. Station identification can be composed of any printable character (max. 20). However, if Call sign is notified then it shall be in conformity with the provisions of Article 19 and Appendix 42.

To prepare this notice we will use “New File” functionality of TerRaNotices.

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| Bandwidth | 11 kHz |
| Class of emission | G3E-- |
| Transmitting antenna site name | LUANDA |
| Coordinates of the transmitting antenna site | 13°13'00"E - 8°49'00"S |
| Station identification | PORT 03 |
| Nature of service | “Exclusively to correspondence of a private agency”- Preface Chapter IV, Section 7 |
| Date of bringing into use | Max. 3 months in advance |
| Address code | Preface Chapter IV, Section 3 |
| Power delivered to the antenna | 2 dBW |
| Maximum Gain relative to a half wave dipole | 3 dB |
| Effective radiated power | 5 dBW |
| Antenna directivity | Omnidirectional |

FXM 05: Typical transmitting station

Prepare an electronic notice, for the recording in the Master Register of frequency **916 MHz** used by **several base stations** in your country using the information below.

Frequency assignments having the same technical characteristics operating within a given area can be notified in a single notice as a typical transmitting station under (RR.11.17). This provision does not apply to all service types (see RR 11.18-11.21B)

To prepare this notice we will use the “Wizard” functionality of TerRaNotices.

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| Necessary Bandwidth | 200 kHz |
| Class of emission | G7W-- |
| Transmitting geographical area | Enter the country code to notify |
| Nature of service | “Official correspondence exclusively” - Preface Chapter IV, Section 7 |
| Date of bringing into use | Max. 3 months in advance |
| Address code | Preface Chapter IV, Section 3 |
| Power to the antenna | 10 dBW |
| Radiated Power | 25 dBW |

FXM 06: Modify a frequency assignment

Prepare an electronic notice to modify a frequency assignment which is already recorded in the **Master register**.

For this exercise, we will select the Administration of **SENEGAL (SEN)** as the notifying administration, and Unique identification code given by Administration **SEN_T11_FH_1100100** to modify the assigned frequency **7.7477 GHz** to **7.8959 GHz**

To prepare this notice we will use “Open a Notice from the database ” functionality of TerRaNotices.

FXM07: Validating the file with frequency assignment notices

Validate the electronic notice file “FXM 07.txt” using the web online validation tool. This validation tool is accessible to **all TIES users** from the ITU web site at <http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/terrestrial/OnlineValidation/Login.aspx>.