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RECEIVERS**

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NOTES

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2 In this Recommendation, the expression “Administration” is used for conciseness to indicate both a telecommunication administration and a recognized operating agency.

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1 There are no objections in principle to the lease of transmitters or receivers to users interested only in sending or receiving spoken messages or pictures, provided of course that such arrangements are compatible with the responsibilities which Administrations have accepted by their adherence to the International Telecommunication Convention and associated Regulations.

2 Charges for the lease of such equipment should be determined by the Administration concerned and they would not appear in international accounts.

3 Conditions to be met by lessees of transmitters or receivers should in principle be as follows:

- a) the radiocommunications in question must not contain any advertisement or message of a private character;
- b) names and addresses of senders and intended recipients must be made known to all Administrations, each one of which shall decide, in respect of recipients in its own territory, whether or not to permit participation. Any alterations should also be notified promptly;
- c) the Administrations concerned shall take all practicable steps to ensure that communications shall only be used by authorized recipients and that the provisions of the Convention as regards secrecy of telecommunications are observed;
- d) transmissions shall be at fixed times and, in the case of spoken messages, in pre-arranged languages;
- e) such other conditions as may be required by national law.

4 Where the lease of a transmitter in one country and a receiver in another country is required to provide a unidirectional circuit, or even where a multi-destination service is envisaged, Administrations concerned, although retaining the right to determine the charges for equipment leased in their own country may nevertheless, if they think it desirable, consult with each other in order to ensure that overall charges do not prejudice public service tariff scales.

Reference

- [1] CCITT Recommendation *Operation of intercontinental telephone services (initial system)*, White Book, Vol. II-A, Rec. E.142, Section H, ITU, Geneva, 1969.

¹⁾ Formerly a part of the Recommendation cited in [1].