

Cyprus

QUESTIONNAIRE - PART II
(To be completed by Administrations only)

General Questions on National Spectrum Management

Describe succinctly the problems that your administration is currently experiencing
in national spectrum management
(for example subject areas in national spectrum management).

Country CYPRUS

Focal point _____

The following general questions on national spectrum management are based in part on the functional requirements of spectrum management described in the handbook on "National Spectrum Management." If you need additional space to answer the questions please continue on a separate sheet of paper.

1. Do you have a national law governing spectrum management? YES NO
- Last date this law was changed or modified? 1994
- Are any actions planned to change this law? YES NO

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

The current legislation needs modification in order to comply with new technological innovations.

2. Have you published regulations and procedures for national spectrum management (e.g. radio services, license requirements etc.)? YES NO

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

Detailed regulations for new applications is needed e.g. VSAT

3. Do you have a national radio frequency spectrum allocation table? YES NO

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

A Software Database is needed to be created for the national frequency allocations.

4. Do you have technical specifications for national spectrum use?

YES ___ NO

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

We need assistance on Type Approval procedures and technical specifications to be established under the current Wireless Act.

5. Do you have a need for any spectrum redeployment*?

YES NO ___

* The term "redeployment" is used here to refer to a process of national scope in which an assessment is conducted 1) to determine if portions of spectrum can be identified that are in limited use; and 2) to determine if such spectrum segments can be reallocated for use in delivering radiocommunication services that have expanding spectrum requirements.

- If so, do you have a strategy for achieving this redeployment in respective frequency bands and for given radiocommunication services?

YES ___ NO

- Please define the established strategy and describe the nature of the consultation, if any, with users regarding the potential costs resulting from the planned redeployment.

A study on spectrum pricing policy is planned to be conducted in the year 2000

6. What is the total cost of national spectrum management functions performed by your Government (expressed in Swiss francs)?

- What is the source of the funding required to accomplish these spectrum management functions?

Government Budget

7. Do you have a method for establishing spectrum users' fees?

YES NO ___

- If so, please give a brief description of the method used in establishing those fees.

Only for PMR users. Each handset cost for the user \$ 70 per year as a standard fee.

8. Do you maintain centralized databases for spectrum management?

YES ___ NO

- What is the approximate size of your database (expressed in number of records)?

- Do you have a computerized data base management system (DBMS)?

YES ___ NO

- What DBMS system do you use?

- Are these frequency assignment records available to public?

YES ___ NO ___

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

9. Do you notify frequency assignments to the ITU?

YES NO ___

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

We notify only Broadcasting station assignments.

10. Do you have a policy and planning function for national spectrum management (i.e. a national strategy for future use of the spectrum)?

YES NO ___

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

A survey is expected to be conducted during the 2000.

11. Do you perform technical analyses of frequency assignment requests? YES NO ___

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

The function needs to be more comprehensive to include all radiocommunication services.

12. Do you perform radio monitoring?

YES NO ___

- number of fixed monitoring stations

N/A

- facilities available at fixed monitoring stations

-- monitoring up to ___ MHz

-- direction finding up to ___ MHz

- number of mobile monitoring stations 1

- facilities available at mobile monitoring stations

-- monitoring up to 2700 MHz

-- direction finding up to 1000 MHz

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

Cyprus suffers from interference especially during the summer period from neighbouring countries.

13. Do you perform technical analyses of radio frequency interference complaints?

YES NO

- Do you have an established consultation process, involving Government and non-government organization, for resolving these complaints?

YES NO

Have any problems been identified? and if so, do you need any assistance from the ITU in solving them?

14. What computers and operating systems are in use for national spectrum management?

Type of computers

PC

Operating system(s)

WIN NT 4.0

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We are in process of installing a LAN in our premises

15. Number of technical/professional staff in national spectrum management? 7

16. Number of support staff in national spectrum management? 4

17. Describe your country's spectrum management structure (Please enclose a copy of organization chart).

18. Do you use the ITU-R Handbooks and Reports on:

- a) National Spectrum Management, version 1995 ?
- b) Spectrum Monitoring¹, version 1995?
- c) Computer-aided Techniques for Spectrum Management, version 1999?
- d) HF Broadcasting System Design, version 1999?
- e) Report SM.2012, Economic Aspects of Spectrum Management, version 1997²?
- f) Windows Basic Automated Spectrum Management System (WinBASMS) Software Version 1997, Manual Version 1997

What additional information/handbooks do you need from the ITU?

All relevant windows based software for
Spectrum management plus training of personnel

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

¹ The Spectrum Monitoring Handbook is currently being updated, therefore, you are urged to contact Mr Jan Verduijn (NL), the designated Rapporteur from ITU-R Study Group 1, Working Party 1C if you have any comments that you wish included in a future version of this Handbook.

² This Report SM.2012 was updated during the ITU-R Study Group I meeting in August 1999. This new version is expected to be available in the three working languages by January 2000.

