Radiocommunication Bureau (BR)

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To Administrations of Member States of the ITU, Radiocommunication Sector Members, ITU-R Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 6 and ITU Academia

Subject: **Radiocommunication Study Group 6 (Broadcasting Service)**

– **Proposed adoption of 1 draft revised ITU-R Recommendations and its simultaneous approval by correspondence in accordance with § A2.6.2.4 of Resolution ITU-R 1-8 (Procedure for the simultaneous adoption and approval by correspondence)**

– **Proposed suppression of 9 ITU-R Recommendations**

At the meeting of Radiocommunication Study Group 6, held on 14 February 2020, the Study Group decided to seek adoption of 1 draft revised ITU-R Recommendation by correspondence (§ A2.6.2 of Resolution ITU-R 1-8) and further decided to apply the procedure for simultaneous adoption and approval by correspondence (PSAA, § A2.6.2.4 of Resolution ITU-R 1-8). The title and summary of the draft Recommendation are given in Annex 1. Any Member State who objects to the adoption of a draft Recommendation is requested to inform the Director and the Chairman of the Study Group of the reasons for the objection.

The consideration period shall extend for 2 months ending on 26 April 2020. If within this period no objections are received from Member States, the draft Recommendation shall be considered to be adopted by Study Group 6. Furthermore, since the PSAA procedure has been followed, the draft Recommendation shall also be considered as approved.

In addition, the Study Group proposed the suppression of 9 Recommendations listed in Annex 2. Any Member State who objects to the suppression of a Recommendation is requested to inform the Director and the Chairman of the Study Group of the reasons for the objection.

The consideration period shall extend for 2 months ending on 26 April 2020. If within this period no objections to the proposed suppressions are received from Member States, the Recommendations shall be considered to be suppressed.

After the above-mentioned deadline, the results of the above procedures will be announced in an Administrative Circular and the approved Recommendation will be published as soon as practicable (see http://www.itu.int/pub/R-REC).

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Any ITU member organization aware of a patent held by itself or others which may fully or partly cover elements of the draft Recommendation mentioned in this letter is requested to disclose such information to the Secretariat as soon as possible. The Common Patent Policy for ITU-T/ITU-R/ISO/IEC is available at http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-T/ipr/Pages/policy.aspx.

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Annex 1: Title and summary of the draft Recommendation

Annex 2: Recommendations proposed for suppression

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Annex 1

Title and summary of the draft Recommendation

Draft revision of Recommendation ITU-R BT.1306-7 Doc. 6/23

Error correction, data framing, modulation and emission methods for digital terrestrial television broadcasting

The proposed changes include:

1 Modification to Annex 1 to delete DTMB-A related information;

2 Deletion of Attachment 5 to Annex 1;

3 Renumbering Attachment 6 to 5 and removing the DTMB-A related information in this Attachment.

Annex 2

ITU-R Recommendations proposed for suppression

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Recommendation ITU-R	Title
BT.710	Subjective assessment methods for image quality in high-definition television
BT.812	Subjective assessment of the quality of alphanumeric and graphic pictures in Teletext and similar services
BT.1129	Subjective assessment of standard definition digital television (SDTV) system
BT.1382	Assessment of the picture quality of multi-programme services
BT.1663	Expert viewing methods to assess the quality of systems for the digital display of large screen digital imagery in theatres
BT.1788	Methodology for the subjective assessment of video quality in multimedia applications
BT.2021	Subjective methods for assessment of stereoscopic 3DTV systems
BT.2022	General viewing conditions for subjective assessment of quality of SDTV and HDTV television pictures on flat screen displays
BT.2095	Subjective assessment of video quality using Expert Viewing Protocol

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