

## RESOLUTION ITU-R 38-1

## STUDY OF REGULATORY/PROCEDURAL MATTERS

(1995, 1997)

The ITU Radiocommunication Assembly,

*considering*

- a) that the ITU Convention includes among the functions of Radiocommunication Study Groups the study of technical, operational and procedural matters to be considered by World and Regional Radiocommunication Conferences (CV 156);
- b) that the Radiocommunication Assembly, 1995 (Resolution ITU-R 38) established a Special Committee to deal with matters relating to regulatory/procedural issues as part of preparations for World Radiocommunication Conferences;
- c) that the Special Committee has undertaken valuable work in preparation for the World Radiocommunication Conference, (Geneva, 1997) (WRC-97);
- d) that a significant body of work of a regulatory/procedural nature might be identified in preparation for a future WRC;
- e) that a mechanism should be put in place to facilitate such preparations,

*recognizing*

- a) that the activation of that mechanism shall be the responsibility of the relevant WRC or the first session of the Conference Preparatory Meeting (CPM),

*resolves*

- 1** to maintain the infrastructure of the Special Committee to address the review of regulatory/procedural matters, the results of which may be used by administrations in their preparation for the relevant WRC;
- 2** that a decision to activate this Special Committee should be taken by a WRC or the first session of the CPM authorized by the WRC;
- 3** that the results of the studies by the Special Committee shall be contained in reports as contributions to the work of the CPM in preparing its report to the relevant WRC;
- 4** that the Special Committee shall be open to all the membership of the ITU-R;
- 5** that the Special Committee shall adopt the working methods of the Radiocommunication Study Groups wherever applicable, and shall be task oriented;
- 6** that the Special Committee will have a Chairman and at least one Vice-Chairman appointed by a Radiocommunication Assembly,

*instructs the Director*

- 1** to draw the attention of the WRC-97 to this Resolution and invite the Conference or the first session of the CPM to identify whether there is likely to be a sufficient body of work of a regulatory/procedural nature in preparation for the next WRC to justify activating the Special Committee, and if so to task the Special Committee accordingly;
  - 2** to take the necessary measures to activate the Special Committee, if needed.
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