# RESOLUTION 67 (WRC-12)

# Updating and rearrangement of the Radio Regulations

The World Radiocommunication Conference (Geneva, 2012),

#### considering

*a)* that the radio spectrum is a finite resource, and there is continuing evolution and demand for frequency requirements and an increasing multiplicity of radiocommunication applications;

*b)* that the Radio Regulations are founded on the principles outlined in their Preamble;

c) that subsequent to the ITU reorganization at APP-92, several attempts have been made to review, simplify and update the Radio Regulations;

d) that the majority of agenda items for past WRCs concern frequency allocations, currently contained in Article **5** and associated regulations;

*e)* that regulatory procedures should be continually assessed in order to meet the demands of administrations,

#### recognizing

*a)* that the rights of administrations to deploy, operate and protect services should be the guiding principle, without affecting other administrations;

b) that the studies for review to simplify the Radio Regulations may take more than one study cycle,

### noting

*a)* that one of the purposes of the Radio Regulations is the effective management and use of spectrum;

b) that ITU-R Recommendations incorporated by reference as they would appear in Volume IV of the Radio Regulations may be limited to a list of titles and their cross-references in the Radio Regulations,

### resolves to invite ITU-R

1 to initiate studies for possible updating, review and possible revision of outdated information, and rearrangement of certain parts of the Radio Regulations, except for Articles 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23 and 59 and those parts which are being revised on a regular basis, as appropriate,

2 to submit the results of these studies for consideration by a future world radiocommunication conference in accordance with this Resolution,

### invites ITU-R members

to participate actively in the studies by submitting contributions to ITU-R,

### instructs the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau

to report the status of the studies to WRC-15.