

PCC.III/RES. 121 (XVIII-01)¹

**NOMINATION OF A LIAISON RAPPORTEUR TO FOLLOW
THE PROCESS COORDINATED BY ITU TO FACILITATE
THE GLOBAL CIRCULATION OF IMT-2000**

The XVIII Meeting of the Permanent Consultative Committee III: Radiocommunications,

CONSIDERING:

- a) That ITU, together with national regulatory authorities and industry, has done considerable work towards the introduction of IMT-2000 systems in the coming years;
- b) That a successful deployment of IMT-2000 has to include the ability of users to carry their terminals when they go from one country to another, and to use those terminals, if accepted and connected by the network operator, in other third-generation networks than their home network, or to simply carry them even if they are not able to use them;
- c) That IMT-2000 terminals are likely to embody a family of "modes", or different radio interfaces, some of which may not be supported in all countries, and may also incorporate a satellite mode;
- d) That global circulation in the majority of countries is not a problem today for terminals of worldwide systems,
- e) That IMT-2000 technologies provide network operators with the possibility to identify the type of terminal equipment attached to their networks; and
- f) That national and regional authorities should further study and co-operate where necessary in order to remove any obstacles hindering global circulation of IMT-2000 terminals,

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT:

- a) That ITU-R Working Party 8F is developing the technical basis for global circulation of IMT-2000, and
- b) That ITU Secretary-General is discussing the development of arrangements for global circulation of IMT-2000 terminals with various Administrations and representatives of regional bodies and interested stakeholders; and that those discussions could lead to a simple and globally harmonized mechanism based on the technical basis approved in ITU-R,

¹ document PCC.III/doc.1987/01

RESOLVES:

1. To appoint Charles Breig of the Administration of United States of America as the liaison rapporteur to follow the consultation process coordinated by the ITU General Secretariat towards the development of arrangements to facilitate global circulation of IMT-2000 terminals.
2. To establish as the liaison rapporteur mandate:
 - a) To follow the discussions related to the development of arrangements for global circulation of IMT-2000 terminals that could lead to a simple and globally harmonized mechanism based on the technical basis approved in the ITU;
 - b) To follow the work of ITU, especially ITU-R Working Party 8F that is developing the technical basis for global circulation of IMT-2000, by working in cooperation with the ITU IMT-2000 Project Manager.
 - c) To submit a final report to the XIX PCC.III Meeting.

INSTRUCTS THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY:

To request the CITELE Member States to participate actively in the consultation process of the General Secretariat of the ITU and more specifically to send their comments in reply to ITU Circular Letter No. 97 regarding the principles for global circulation