Annex 5A: Membership needs related to Resolution 9

Abstract:

This document is annex 5 to document TDAG-25/6(Rev.1). It presents the final compilation of membership needs of ITU-D SG1 Questions related to the implementation of WTDC-22 Resolution 9, on spectrum management for developing countries, namely Questions 1/1, 2/1, 3/1, 4/1 and 5/1, as an input to help identify synergies between developing countries needs stated in Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) and both the scope of the questions under ITU-D Study Groups and the needs as identified by members in their contributions.

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1. Introduction

This contribution presents the final compilation of membership needs of ITU-D SG1 Questions related to the implementation of WTDC-22 Resolution 9, on spectrum management for developing countries, namely Questions 1/1, 2/1, 3/1, 4/1 and 5/1, as an input to help identify synergies between developing countries needs stated in Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) and both the scope of the questions under ITU-D Study Groups and the needs as identified by members in their contributions, as discussed previously in **Contributions** 1/197 and 1/329.

This work was performed under the leadership of Mr Roberto Hirayama, Vice-Chair of ITU-D SG1 and Co-Rapporteur for Question 2/1, and Mr Sunil Singhal, Vice-Chair of ITU-D SG1.

- Mapping of the Questions Terms of Reference to the topics of assistance on spectrum management as per annex 1 of WTDC-22 Resolution 9.
- Mapping of relevant contributions received by ITU-D SG1 Questions to the topics of assistance on spectrum management as per annex 1 of WTDC-22 Resolution 9.
- Mapping of BDT work, undertaken by the Future Network Services Division led by Mr Walid Mathlouthi, to the topics of assistance on spectrum management as per annex 1 of WTDC-22 Resolution 9.

Results are presented in the following sections.

2. Mapping of ITU-D Terms of Reference to topics of assistance on spectrum management

This section presents the evaluation of each question regarding the mapping of their activities and terms of reference to the work of assisting developing countries in spectrum management, as per WTDC-22 Resolution 9. The items of study Questions 1/1, 2/1, 3/1, 4/1 and 5/1 as pointed out by the Rapporteur team of the Questions, relate to spectrum management, as per the relationship with WTDC-22 Resolution 9:

ITU-D Question 1/1: Table 1 at **annex 2** summarizes the relationship between the Q1/1 terms of reference, as reflected by the abovementioned topics, and the related to spectrum management work

ITU-D Question 2/1: Table 2 at **annex 2** summarizes the relationship between the Q2/1 terms of reference and the related to spectrum management work, as pointed out by the Rapporteur team of the question and WTDC-22 Resolution 9

ITU-D Question 3/1: Table 3 at **annex 2** summarizes the relationship between the Q.3/1 terms of reference and the related to spectrum management work, as pointed out by the Rapporteur team of the question and WTDC-22 Resolution 9

ITU-D Question 4/1: Table 4 at **annex 2** summarizes the relationship between the Q.4/1 terms of reference and the related to spectrum management work, as pointed out by the Rapporteur team of the question and WTDC-22 Resolution 9

ITU-D Question 5/1: Table 5 at **annex 2** summarizes the relationship between the Q.5/1 terms of reference and the related to spectrum management work, as pointed out by the Rapporteur team of the question and WTDC-22 Resolution 9

3. Mapping of possible topics of interest and related developing countries needs in the work of WTDC Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) based on contributions received by ITU-D SG1 Questions

This mapping exercise has been completed by all (co) rapporteurs of Questions 1/1, 2/1, 3/1, 4/1 and 5/1 using all contributions received in ITU-D Study Group 1 meetings and ITU-D Study Group1 Rapporteur Group meeting held since 2022 until May 2024. The resulting mapping table is available at **annex 3.**

4. Mapping of BDT work to the topics of assistance on spectrum management as per annex 1 of WTDC-22 Resolution 9

This mapping exercise was undertaken since the BDT provides assistance to developing countries on spectrum management as per Resolution 9. The exercise was undertaken by the Future Network Services Division led by Mr Walid Mathlouthi. The result is available **at annex 4**.

5. Conclusion

These are the updates on the mapping tables for contributions (Annex 3) as the result of the work after ITU-D Study Group 1 November 2024 meetings and shared at the April-May 2025 meetings.

Requests for assistance by developing countries as per Resolution 9, are to be submitted to the BDT FNS Division via email fns@itu.int

Annex 1: Types of assistance related developing countries needs in the work of WTDC Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022)

Type of assistance:

- 1. Assistance in raising the awareness of national policymakers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development
- 2. Training and dissemination of available ITU documentation
- 3. Assistance in developing methodologies for establishing national tables of frequency allocations and spectrum redeployment
- 4. Assistance in setting up computerized frequency management and monitoring systems
- 5. Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management
- 6. Assistance with preparations for world radiocommunication conferences (WRC) and with follow-up and implementation of WRC decisions
- 7. Assistance with participation in the work of the relevant ITU-R study groups and their working parties
- 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting
- 9. Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend
- 10. Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum
- 11. Innovative ways of spectrum licensing
- 12. Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations
- 13. Assistance in resolving seasonal interference caused by anomalous propagation of radio waves

Annex 2: Mapping of ToRs and Final Report Tables of Content of Questions to Resolution 9 types of assistance

Table 1

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q.1/1 TOR and Final Report |
|-----|--|--|
| 1. | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policymakers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development | i. Best practices in spectrum management in order to make broadband access more available and affordable to lower-income populations, especially to bridge the digital divide in developing countries. iii. Recommendation on possible policy and structural options, promoting the development, expansion and operation of telecommunication networks. v. Different tools for spectrum management that allow for greater flexibility, efficiency and both economic and social benefits. |
| 2. | Training and dissemination of available ITU documentation | N/A |
| 3. | Assistance in developing methodologies for establishing national tables of frequency allocations and spectrum redeployment | ii. Effective use of radio frequency spectrum and dissemination of best practice. |
| 4. | Assistance in setting up computerized frequency management and monitoring systems | N/A |
| 5. | Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management | N/A |
| 6. | Assistance with preparations for world radiocommunication conferences (WRC) and with follow-up and implementation of WRC decisions | N/A |
| 7. | Assistance with participation in the work of the relevant ITU-R study groups and their working parties | iv. Activities across multiple ITU-R study groups to address spectrum sharing, which may have implications for national spectrum management, and which may be of particular interest to developing countries. |
| 8. | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting | N/A |
| 9. | Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend | N/A |
| 10. | Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum | vi. Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum which are intended to improve spectrum efficiency and cost-effectiveness |
| 11. | Innovative ways of spectrum licensing | N/A |
| 12. | Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations | N/A |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q.1/1 TOR and Final Report |
|-----|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 13. | Assistance in resolving seasonal | N/A |
| | interference caused by | |
| | anomalous propagation of | |
| | radiowaves | |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q2/1 TOR and Final Report |
|----|--|--|
| 1. | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policymakers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development | 2.5 Best practices and national experiences on spectrum- planning activities related to the implementation of video- centric converged service providers. |
| 2. | Training and dissemination of available ITU documentation | N/A |
| 3. | Assistance in developing methodologies for establishing national tables of frequency allocations and spectrum redeployment | N/A |
| 4. | Assistance in setting up computerized frequency management and monitoring systems | N/A |
| 5. | Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management | N/A |
| 6. | Assistance with preparations for world radiocommunication conferences (WRC) and with follow-up and implementation of WRC decisions | N/A |
| 7. | Assistance with participation in the work of the relevant ITU-R study groups and their working parties | N/A |
| 8. | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting | 2.1 Analysis of methods and issues for the transition from traditional digital broadcasting (sound and television) to video-centric converged service provisioning, including the deployment of new services and applications, such as UHDTV, AR/VR, interactive applications, for consumers/viewers in various environments. 2.2 Analysis of the effects for public broadcasting services in the developing countries of the rapid growth of traditional and online linear TV and video-on-demand subscription services. 2.3 National experiences on strategies for the introduction of new broadcasting technologies, emerging services and capabilities, including regulatory, economic and technical aspects, reflecting the need for massive investments to cope with the ever-growing demand for video content. 2.4 Analysis of the development of broadcasting systems using IP-based technologies throughout the broadcasting |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q2/1 TOR and Final Report |
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| | | chain, including the production, contribution and transmission parts. |
| | | 2.8 Analysis of possible innovations for broadcasting in the UHF band, proposed by new systems for broadcasting, such as 5G Broadcast, ATSC3.0 and other next-generation systems. |
| | | 2.9 Costs of the transition from traditional digital broadcasting (sound and television) to video-centric converged service providers, including sharing best practices of new innovative business models, derived from this transition, for the various players: broadcasters, operators, technology providers, Internet enterprises, manufacturers and distributors of receivers, and consumers, among others. |
| 9. | Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend | 2.10 The use of the digital-dividend frequency bands resulting from the transition to terrestrial digital broadcasting (sound and television), including technical, regulatory and economic aspects. |
| 10. | Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum | 2.7 Analysis of the gradual transition to digital sound broadcasting, study cases, sharing of experiences and strategies implemented, including the use of VHF Band III for DAB or DTT. |
| 11. | Innovative ways of spectrum licensing | N/A |
| 12. | Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations | N/A |
| 13. | Assistance in resolving seasonal interference caused by anomalous propagation of radio waves | 2.6 National experiences on interference mitigation measures in the context of the transition scenarios. |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q3/1 TOR and Final Report |
|----|--|--|
| 1. | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policymakers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development | ToR: a) Continue examination of terrestrial, space-based and integrated telecommunications/ICTs to assist affected countries in utilizing relevant applications for disaster prediction, detection, monitoring, early warning, response, relief and recovery, including consideration of best practices/guidelines for implementation, and in ensuring a favourable regulatory environment to enable rapid deployment and implementation. b) Continue gathering and examining national experiences |
| | | and case studies in the use of telecommunications/ICTs for disaster preparedness, mitigation, response and recovery, including response to pandemics like COVID-19, and analysing lessons learned and common themes between them. |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q3/1 TOR and Final Report |
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| | | e) Gather national experiences and case studies and develop best practices for the elaboration, implementation and refinement of national and regional disastermanagement plans or frameworks for the use of telecommunications/ICTs in natural and man-made disaster and/or emergency situations including pandemics, working in coordination with the relevant BDT programmes, regional offices and other partners. |
| 2. | Training and dissemination of available ITU documentation | ToR: f) Continue updating the online toolkit with relevant information and materials collected during the study period. Final Report: Chapter 3: summarizes the guidelines for preparing and |
| | | conducting disaster communication exercises and drills. Chapter 7: discusses the best practices and lessons learned identified, together with the guidelines suggested during the study period. |
| 3. | Assistance in developing methodologies for establishing national tables of frequency allocations and spectrum redeployment | N/A |
| 4. | Assistance in setting up computerized frequency management and monitoring systems | N/A |
| 5. | Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management | This theme is transversal to all questions: The free and availability of telecommunications/ICT tools must be promoted in the event of disasters. |
| 6. | Assistance with preparations for world radiocommunication conferences (WRC) and with follow-up and implementation of WRC decisions | N/A |
| 7. | Assistance with participation in the work of the relevant ITU-R study groups and their working parties | ToR: c) Examine the role that administrations and Sector Members and other expert organizations and stakeholders share in collaboratively addressing disaster management and the effective use of telecommunications/ICTs, particularly in the areas of disaster response and recovery |
| 8. | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting | ToR: a) Continue examination of terrestrial, space-based and integrated telecommunications/ICTs to assist affected countries in utilizing relevant applications for disaster prediction, detection, monitoring, early warning, response, relief and recovery, including consideration of best practices/guidelines for implementation, and in ensuring a favourable regulatory environment to enable rapid deployment and implementation. d) Examine the enabling environment for more resilient communication networks and for the deployment of |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q3/1 TOR and Final Report |
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| | | emergency communication systems and the latest digital communication technologies, which includes, but is not limited to, emergency preparedness, response and recovery. |
| 9. | Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend | N/A |
| 10. | Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum | <u>Final report</u> : Chapter 5 discusses disaster communication technologies. |
| 11. | Innovative ways of spectrum licensing | N/A |
| 12. | Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations | N/A |
| 13. | Assistance in resolving seasonal interference caused by anomalous propagation of radio waves | N/A |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q4/1 ToR |
|----|--|--|
| 1. | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policymakers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development | Indirect to T8 Framework for establishing the contribution of telecommunications/ICTs to a country's GDP. |
| 2. | Training and dissemination of available ITU documentation | this topic is broad, so every item on the ToR could be counted in or out here. |
| 3. | Assistance in developing methodologies for establishing national tables of frequency allocations and spectrum redeployment | N/A |
| 4. | Assistance in setting up computerized frequency management and monitoring systems | N/A |
| 5. | Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management | T1 New charging methods (or models, if applicable) for services provided over NGN networks, including Methods for determining the costs of wholesale services, |
| | | T4 Trends in the development of virtual mobile operators and their regulatory framework, T9 Economic incentives and mechanisms for bridging the digital divide |
| 6. | Assistance with preparations for world radiocommunication conferences (WRC) and with follow-up and implementation of WRC decisions | N/A |
| 7. | Assistance with participation in the work of the relevant ITU-R study groups and their working parties | N/A |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q4/1 ToR |
|-----|---|--|
| 8. | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting | N/A |
| 9. | Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend | T9 Economic incentives and mechanisms for bridging the digital divide |
| 10. | Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum | N/A |
| 11. | Innovative ways of spectrum licensing | T1 New charging methods (or models, if applicable) for services provided over NGN networks, including Methods for determining the costs of wholesale services, T9 Economic incentives and mechanisms for bridging the digital divide |
| 12. | Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations | N/A |
| 13. | Assistance in resolving seasonal interference caused by anomalous propagation of radio waves | N/A |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q5/1 TOR and Contributions to Q5/1 |
|----|--|--|
| 1. | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policymakers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development | TOR: strategies for rural and remote areas |
| 2. | Training and dissemination of available ITU documentation | N/A |
| 3. | Assistance in developing methodologies for establishing national tables of frequency allocations and spectrum redeployment | N/A |
| 4. | Assistance in setting up computerized frequency management and monitoring systems | N/A |
| 5. | Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management | N/A |
| 6. | Assistance with preparations for world radiocommunication conferences (WRC) and with follow-up and implementation of WRC decisions | N/A |
| 7. | Assistance with participation in the work of the relevant ITU-R study groups and their working parties | N/A |
| 8. | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting | N/A |
| 9. | Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend | N/A |

| | Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) | Q5/1 TOR and Contributions to Q5/1 |
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| 10. | Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum | TOR: Integration and implementation of ICT services in rural and remote areas, including new and emerging technologies |
| | | A number of presentations were made regarding HAPS system and Satellite constellations during Joint Workshop "Transformative connectivity: Satellite Workshop" between Q1/1, Q3/1 and Q5/1. |
| 11. | Innovative ways of spectrum licensing | N/A |
| 12. | Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations | |
| 13. | Assistance in resolving seasonal interference caused by anomalous propagation of radio waves | N/A |

Annex 3: Mapping of possible topics of interest and related developing countries needs in the work of WTDC Resolution 9 (Rev. Kigali, 2022) based on contributions received by ITU-D SG1 Questions

| ITU-D Question | Title | Source | Contribution | | | | | (| | | STAN lanati | | | | | Topic ² : |
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| | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 1 |
| Q.1/1 | NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Q.2/1 | Sharing experience from South Africa on the licensing process for the International Mobile Telecommunications (IMT) in respect of the provision of mobile broadband wireless access services for urban and rural areas using the complementary bands, IMT700, IMT800, IMT2600 AND IMT3500 | South Africa (Republic of) | SG1RGO/115 | | | | | | | | | | X | | | 11.Innovative ways of spectrum licensing |
| Q.2/1 | Introduction of Digital Terrestrial Television in Bosnia and Herzegovina | Bosnia and Herzegovina | SG1RGQ/87 | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Advancements in the Digital Switchover in Brazil - Digital Television | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | SG1RGQ/38 | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Brazilian Next-Generation Digital Terrestrial Television - TV 3.0 Project | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | SG1RGQ/37 | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Advancements in the Digital Switchover in Brazil - Digital Radio | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | SG1RGQ/36 | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.2/1 | Update on the process of migration from analogue to digital broadcasting and outlook | Cameroon (Republic of) | SG1RGQ/14 (Rev.1) | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Progress made in the digital switchover in Guinea - Digital broadcasting | Guinea (Republic of) | 1/250 | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | EU Regulatory approach to digital services - DSA and DMA | Bosnia and Herzegovina | 1/232 | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Analogue TV interference in the 700 MHz band | Bosnia and Herzegovina | <u>1/201</u> | | | | | | | Х | Х | | | | | Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |

¹ Select the topics from those of the Annex 1 of WTDC Resolution 9 that related to the contributions' themes.

² Theme in the contribution submitted that relates to the topics of Annex 1 of Resolution 9, to be considered as input for the work to be conducted in the implementation of the Resolution.

| ITU-D | Title | Source | Contribution | | | | | | TY | PE O | F ASS | ISTA | NCE | | | | Topic ² : |
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| Question | | | | (see above explanation) ¹ | | | | | | | | | | | торіс . | | |
| | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | | | | | 1 | 1 12 | 13 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Assistance in identifying the most efficient ways to utilize the digital dividend |
| Q.2/1 | Case studies utilizing TV platform to enable inclusive communication | Korea (Republic of) | <u>1/153</u> +Ann.1 | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Satellite Broadcasting - Receiver distribution for low-income population | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | <u>1/143</u> | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Brazilian public policies on the Next-Generation Digital Terrestrial Television - TV 3.0 | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | <u>1/142</u> | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Migration of Radio Stations from AM to FM - Brazilian case study | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | <u>1/140</u> | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.2/1 | Strategies: Deployment of broadband in Bhutan | Bhutan (Kingdom of) | <u>1/48</u> | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.2/1 | Focus on the migration to DTT in the case of Madagascar | Madagascar (Republic of) | <u>1/40</u> | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Digital Television Switchover in Brazil - updates on the current policies for the Analogue Switch-off in the remaining cities | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | <u>SG1RGQ/240-E</u> | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | App-based television paradigm - new perspectives for next generation TV in Brazil | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | SG1RGQ/239-E | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Regional activities in digital broadcasting and spectrum management | Brazil (Federative Republic of) | SG1RGQ/238-E | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Innovative technologies for new broadcasting services and applications: 5G and beyond | China Institute of Communications | SG1RGQ/229-E | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | 5G Broadcast | Qualcomm, Inc. | SG1RGQ/219-E | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Introduction of Digital Audio Broadcasting (DAB) | Bosnia and Herzegovina | SG1RGQ/214-E | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.2/1 | A paper on digital development in Syria and the current reality | Syrian Arab Republic | SG1RGQ/199-E | | | | | | | | Х | | | | | | 8. Transition to digital terrestrial television broadcasting |
| Q.2/1 | Extension of the use of FM from 76 MHz to 108 MHz, for African countries in general and Cameroon in particular | Cameroon (Republic of) | SG1RGQ/152-E | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |

| ITU-D Question | Title | Source | Contribution | | | | | | | | ISTAN lanat | | | | | Topic ² : |
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| , | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | 8 | | | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| Q.2/1 | Update on the process of migration from analogue to digital broadcasting | Cameroon (Republic of) | SG1RGQ/151-E | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Q 3/1 | NO CONTRIBUTIONS RELATED TO WTDC-22 RESOLUTION 9 IDENTIFIED | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Q.4/1 | Spectrum Auctions with In-kind payment obligations, Cross-Country Digital Transformation Collaboration and Lesson Learned | Brazil | <u>1/206-E</u> | | | | | Х | | | | | | | | 5. Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management |
| Q.4/1 | Investment commitments to bridge the digital divide | Colombia and United States- | <u>1/358-E</u> | | | | | Х | | | | | | | | 5. Economic and financial aspects of spectrum management |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Q.5/1 | Expanding rural connectivity through innovative technologies and regulatory frameworks | South Africa | SG1RGQ/249-E | X | | | | | | | | | | | | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policy-makers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development |
| Q.5/1 | Expanding rural connectivity through innovative technologies and regulatory frameworks | Saudi Arabia | SG1RGQ/224-E | Х | | | | | | | | | | | | Assistance in raising the awareness of national policy-makers as to the importance of effective spectrum management for a country's economic and social development |
| Q.5/1 | Inclusive communication to support fishermen with non-SOLAS fishing vessel in remote areas 3 | Indonesia | <u>1/195-E</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | Х | 12. Assistance with interference caused by devices in derogation of national spectrum allocations. |
| Q.5/1 | High Altitude Platform Station (HAPS) systems for bridging the digital divide and disaster recovery4 | Softbank Corporation, Japan | SG1RGQ/205-E | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |

Indonesian fishermen's unauthorized usage of Aeronautical Mobile Service Frequencies from 2014 to 2021 which has also effected other nearby countries. Indonesian government has run an "Inclusive Communication for Fishermen" in 2019 to resolve this issue.

⁴ Contribution from Softbank Corporation (Japan) mentions High Altitude Platform Station (HAPS) systems for bridging the digital divide and disaster recovery that provides an overview of HAPS systems, emphasizing the stability, coverage capabilities, and spectrum expansion achieved through international agreements.

| ITU-D | (see above explanation) | | | | | | | | | E OF | ASSI | STAN | Topic ² : | | | | |
|----------|--|------------------------|---------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|------|------|------|----------------------|----|----|----|---|
| Question | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| Q.5/1 | The case of the Rural Mobile Infrastructure Operator (RMIO) model in Peru -KISDI consultation on network infrastructure sharing policy in Peru5. | Korea (Republic of) | SG1RGQ/26-E | | | | | | | | | | X | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.5/1 | Updated information on the global status of 5G. | Intel | SG1RGQ/8-E | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.5/1 | Using 3GPP technology for satellite communication. | Ericsson | <u>1/238-E</u> | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.5/1 | The Ericsson Mobility Report Feb 2023. | Ericsson | SG1RGQ/114-E | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.5/1 | Satellite Communications and their role in enabling 6G 6. | GSOA | <u>SG1RGQ/109-E</u> | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.5/1 | Satellite Communications and the Future of Agriculture. | GSOA | <u>SG1RGQ/111-E</u> | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |
| Q.5/1 | Impact of Satellite Communications. | GSOA | SG1RGQ/112-E | | | | | | | | | | Х | | | | 10.Emerging technologies and approaches in using spectrum |

⁵ Rural Mobile Infrastructure Operator (RMIO) model of Peru also shows usage of different licensed spectrum (2G, 3G, 4G and satellite) in rural/remote Peru.

⁶ GSOA provided several contributions related to Satellite to rural/remote areas.

Annex 4: Mapping of BDT work to the topics of assistance on spectrum management as per annex 1 of WTDC-22 Resolution 9

| No | Country of Assistance | Time of Assista nce | Subject of Assistance | Status (done/o ngoing/ postpon ed) | Type of Assistance (according to Annex 1 of Resolution 9) |
|-----|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|---|
| | I. REGIO | NAL INITIA | ATIVES | | 31 |
| 1. | CEPT Member States | 2022 | ITU Regional Radiocommunication Seminar 2022 for Europe (RRS-22-Europe), Online meeting, 30 August - 8 September 2022 | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 2. | Arab Group Member States | 2022 | ITU Regional Radiocommunication Seminar 2022 for the Arab States (RRS-2022 Arab States), Online meeting, 13- 24 March 2022 | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 3. | ASP Member States | 2022 | ITU Regional Radiocommunication Seminar 2022 for Asia-Pacific, Nadi, Fiji, 15-20 December 2022 | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 4. | ASP Member States | 2024 | ITU Regional Radiocommunication Seminar 2024 for Asia and the Pacific (RRS-24-Asia&Pacific), Apia, Samoa, 16-21 September 2024 | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 5. | ASP Member States | 2024 | ITU Workshop on National Tables of Frequency Allocation (NTFA) for Region 3 (RR), Shanghai, China, 28-31 May 2024 | Done | Type 3 and Type 6 |
| 6. | ASP Member States | 2024 | The 10th Asia-Pacific Spectrum Management Conference, 23 – 24 April 2024 | Done | Type 6 |
| 7. | ASP Member States | 2023 | ITU-NBTC Training on Emerging Technologies for Resilient Digital Transformation, 2 - 5 October 2023 | Done | Type 10 and type 11 |
| 8. | Arab Group Member States | 2023 | ITU Regional Development Forum for the Arab States (RDF-ARB), 6-7 November 2023, Bahrain | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 9. | CEPT Member States | 2023 | ITU Regional Development Forum for Europe (RDF-EUR), 22-23 May 2023, Timisoara, Romania | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 10. | Americas Member States | 2023 | ITU Regional Development Forum for Americas (RDF-AMS), 16-18 August, San Salvador, El Salvador | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 11. | African Member States | 2023 | ITU Regional Development Forum for Africa 2023, 3-5 October 2023, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia | Done | Type 1 |
| 12. | African Member States | 2023 | Workshop on Satellite Broadband and RLANS (Usage and Internet Services), 20-23 June 2023 Brazzaville, Congo | Done | Type 1 |
| 13. | ASP Member States | 2024 | Masterclass on inclusive and resilient broadcasting development, 1-2 September 2024, Malaysia | Done | Type 10 and 8 |
| 14. | ASP Member States | 2023 | ITU Pre-Summit Masterclass on Technologies defining the New Broadcast Media Approaches, 21-22 May 2023, Indonesia | Done | Type 10 and 8 |

| No 15. | Country of Assistance | Time of Assista nce | Subject of Assistance Regional workshop on Satellite Services, National | Status (done/o ngoing/ postpon ed) | Type of Assistance (according to Annex 1 of Resolution 9) Type 10 |
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| | Member States | | Regulatory Frameworks, and partnership, from 1 to 2 October 2024, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia | | and type 6 |
| 16. | CIS Member States | 2024 | ITU Regional Radiocommunication Seminar 2024 for CIS Countries (RRS-24-CIS), 15-19 April 2024, Astana, Kazakhstan | Done | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 17. | African Member States | 2023 | PRIDA workshop on Spectrum Monitoring, Aeronautical and Maritime Communication Services for Africa, 25 to 27 April 2023 Zanzibar, Tanzania | Done | Type 4 |
| 18. | African Member States | 2022 | ITU/PRIDA workshop on Spectrum Monitoring, Cape Town, South Africa 1 - 2 November 2022 | Done | Type 4 |
| 19. | African Member States | 2023 | ITU PRIDA capacity building workshop on the implementation of the HCM4A, 28 February - 04 March 2023, Nairobi, Kenya | Done | Type 4 |
| 20. | APT and CIS Member States | 2023 | The workshop of ITU and International Think Tank for Landlocked Developing Countries (ITTLLDC) on the common challenges of the Landlocked Developing Countries from Asia and CIS for efficient policy making in the continuously growing Digital Sector | Done | Type 2, Type 10 |
| 21. | APT Member States | 2024 | Regional Policy and Regulatory Webinar Series on 5G Engagement and Experience in partnership with Member Administrations of APT Region | Ongoing | Type 1, Type 10 |
| 22. | APT Member States from Pacific SIDs | 2024 | SMS4DC Training for Pacific, 30 April - 02 May 2024, Vanuatu | Done | Type 4 |
| 23. | African Member States | 2023 | SMS4DC Training for African region, Livingstone, Zambia, 24-26 July 2023 | Done | Type 4 |
| 24. | Arab Group Member States | 2022 | SMS4DC Training for Arab states | Done | Type 4 |
| 25. | All Member States | 2024 | Guidance on creation of a National Spectrum Management System (NSMS) including the online toolkit on providing national Administrations with the required information. | Ongoing | Type 1, Type 3, Type 5 |
| 26. | Arab Group Member States | 2024 | ITU Regional Workshop on EMF Harmony: Balancing Connectivity, Safety and Tower Location Selection in the Arab Region, 13-16 May 2024 Muscat, Sultanate of Oman | Done | Type 4, Type 12 |
| 27. | Arab Group Member States | 2023 | Training of Trainers on Quality of Services Training Program (QoSTP) and Spectrum Management training program (SMTP), October 2023, Jordan | Done | Type 1, Type 3, Type 4, Type 10 |

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| 1. | The Gambia | 2023- | Assistance 1 | Done | Type 1, |
| | | 2024 | Establishing the strategy of spectrum utilization and | | Type 5 |
| | | | management. Recommendations on policy objectives in | | |
| | | | spectrum management. | | |
| | | | Assistance 2 | Done | Type 1, |
| | | | Spectrum usage inventory and recommendations on | | Type 3, |
| | | | spectrum regulatory frameworks (incl. NFTA and | | Type 10 |
| | | | spectrum planning) to facilitate deployment of the | | |
| | | | advanced wireless technologies | | |
| 2. | The | 2024- | Assistance 1 | Ongoing | Type 1, |
| | Republic of | 2025 | Reviewing of legal and operational framework in the field | | Type 5 |
| | Djibouti | | of spectrum management, policy objectives, | | |
| | | | responsibilities of regulatory institutions, decision-making | | |
| | | | processes | | |
| | | | Assistance 2 | Ongoing | Type 1, |
| | | | Recommendations on optimizing administrative practices | | Type 3 |
| | | | in spectrum management, inclusion of new regulatory | | |
| | | | procedures, and development of an Action plan including | | |
| | | | activities, projects, programs, plans, and capacity building | | |
| | | | of the spectrum regulatory institutions of the Republic of | | |
| 3. | The Union | 2024- | Djibouti. | Ongoing | Tuno 1 |
| 5. | of the | 2024- | Development of an Action Plan on the improvement of | Ongoing | Type 1, |
| | | 2025 | the national Spectrum Management and Radio | | Type 5 |
| | Comoros | | Monitoring System, recommendations on legislative instruments, projects, programs, plans, as well as | | |
| | | | practices of their implementation in the Union of the | | |
| | | | Comoros . | | |
| 4. | The | 2024 | Development of the specifications of future radio | Ongoing | Type 4 |
| ٦. | Republic of | 2024 | monitoring equipment/network, taking into account the | Ongoing | Type 4 |
| | Seychelles | | demands within the existing and future spectrum bands. | | |
| | ocycnenes | | Recommendations on improvement of national spectrum | | |
| | | | management regulatory frameworks stemming from the | | |
| | | | evolution of the radio monitoring system | | |
| 5. | Azerbaijan | 2024 - | Development of new digital sound broadcasting | Ongoing | Type 8 |
| | and South | 2025 | frequency assignment plan in the band 174 – 230 MHz | | '' |
| | Caucasus | | for the countries of the South Caucasus ensuring | | |
| | | | interference-free operation of the existing broadcasting | | |
| | | | services of the neighboring Administrations as well as to | | |
| | | | give due account of national strategies in future | | |
| | | | utilization of this band. | | |
| 6. | Sri Lanka | 2023 | Assistance in developing regulatory frameworks with | Done | Type 1, |
| | | | regard to implementation of active infrastructure sharing | | Type 11 |
| | | | including spectrum sharing | | |

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| 7. | Saudi Arabia | 2022- 2023 | Advisory Services to Saudi Communications & Information Technology Commission (CITC) on spectrum management and digital broadcasting | Done | Type 1, Type 3, Type 5 |
| 8. | Arab states | 2022 - 2024 | Assistance in Telecommunication/ICT in Arab countries including spectrum management issues | Ongoing | Type 1, Type 3, Type 5 |
| 9. | India | 2023 | SMS4DC training for India | Done | Type 4 |
| 10. | Mongolia | 2023 | Assessment of market readiness for National Roaming | Done | Type 11 |
| 11. | Fiji | 2023- 24 | Assessment of Digital Terrestrial Television Model in Fiji | Done | Type 8,9,10 |
| 12. | ASP – ASEAN subregional | 2024 | CONVERGED TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY AND REGULATIONS (CTPR) MASTER CLASS | Done | Type 10,11 |
| 13. | Cambodia | 2022 | National Radio Frequency Spectrum Charging Regime: Opportunities and Options for Reform | Done | Type 5 |
| 14. | Indonesia and ASEAN | 2024 | ITU as invited speaker in Workshop on Advanced Spectrum Monitoring Guidance on Mobile Broadband Technology for ASEAN Member States (Mon MBT) | ongoing | Type 12 |
| 17. | Malaysia | 2024 | ITU as invited speaker in Digital Outlook Series on WRC- 27 satellite related issues | ongoing | Type 6 |
