



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 the Radiocommunication Study Group 1
and ITU Academia**

Subject: **Meeting of Radiocommunication Study Group 1 (Spectrum management),
Geneva, 21 June 2017**

1 Introduction

By means of this Administrative Circular, I wish to announce that a meeting of ITU-R Study Group 1 will take place in Geneva on 21 June 2017, following the meetings of Working Parties 1A, 1B and 1C (see Circular Letter 1/LCCE/[100](#)).

The Study Group meeting will be held in the ITU Headquarters, Geneva. The opening session will take place at 0930 hours.

Group	Meeting date	Deadlines for contributions	Opening session
Study Group 1	21 June 2017	Wednesday, 14 June 2017 at 1600 hours UTC	Wednesday, 21 June 2017 at 0930 hours (local time)

2 Programme of the meeting

The draft agenda for the meeting of Study Group 1 is contained in Annex 1.

The texts of the Questions assigned to Study Group 1 may be found on:

<http://www.itu.int/publ/R-QUE-SG01/en>

The status of the texts assigned to Study Group 1 and its Working Parties is available in Document [1/1](#), at:

<http://www.itu.int/md/R15-SG01-C-0001/en>

2.1 Adoption of draft Recommendations at the Study Group meeting (§ A2.6.2.2.2 of [Resolution ITU-R 1-7](#))

One draft revision of Recommendation is proposed for adoption by the Study Group at its meeting in accordance with § A2.6.2.2.2 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7.

In accordance with § A2.6.2.2.2.1 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7, the title and summary of the draft Recommendation are given in Annex 2.

2.2 Adoption of draft Recommendations by a Study Group by correspondence (§ A2.6.2.2.3 of [Resolution ITU-R 1-7](#))

The procedure described in § A2.6.2.2.3 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7 concerns draft new or revised Recommendations that are not specifically included in the agenda of a Study Group meeting.

In accordance with this procedure, draft new and revised Recommendations prepared during the meetings of Working Parties 1A, 1B and 1C held prior to the Study Group meeting will be submitted to the Study Group. After due consideration, the Study Group may decide to seek adoption of these draft Recommendations by correspondence. In such cases, the Study Group shall use the procedure for simultaneous adoption and approval (PSAA) by correspondence of the draft Recommendation as described in § A2.6.2.4 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7 (see also § 2.3 below), if there is no objection to this approach by any Member State attending the meeting and if the Recommendation is not incorporated by reference in the Radio Regulations.

In accordance with § A1.3.1.13 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7, Annex 3 to this Circular contains a list of topics to be addressed at the meetings of the Working Parties held just prior to the Study Group meeting, and for which draft Recommendations may be developed.

2.3 Decision on approval procedure

At the meeting, the Study Group shall decide on the eventual procedure to be followed for seeking approval for each draft Recommendation in accordance with § A2.6.2.3 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7, unless the Study Group has decided to use the PSAA procedure as described in § A2.6.2.4 of Resolution ITU-R 1-7 (see § 2.2 above).

3 Contributions

Contributions in response to the work of Study Group 1 are processed according to the provisions laid down in Resolution ITU-R 1-7.

The deadline for reception of contributions not requiring translation* (including Revisions, Addenda and Corrigenda to contributions) is 7 calendar days (1600 hours UTC) prior to the start of the meeting. **The deadline for reception of contributions for this meeting is specified in the table above.** Contributions received later than this deadline cannot be accepted. Resolution ITU-R 1-7 provides that contributions which are not available to participants at the opening of the meeting shall not be considered.

Participants are requested to submit contributions by electronic mail to:

rsg1@itu.int

A copy should also be sent to the Chairman and Vice-Chairmen of Study Group 1. The pertinent addresses can be found on:

<http://www.itu.int/go/rsg1/ch>

* Where translation is required, contributions should be received at least three months prior to the meeting.

4 Documents

Contributions will be posted “as received” within one working day on the webpage established for this purpose: <http://www.itu.int/md/R15-SG01.AR-C/en>.

The official versions will be posted on <http://www.itu.int/md/R15-SG01-C/en> within 3 working days.

In accordance with Resolution 167 (Rev. Busan, 2014), **the Study Group meeting will be completely paperless**. Wireless LAN facilities will be available for use by delegates in the meeting rooms. Printers are available in the cyber café of the 2nd basement of the Tower building and on the ground floor and first floor of the Montbrillant building for delegates who wish to print documents. In addition, the Service Desk (servicedesk@itu.int) has prepared a limited number of laptops for those who do not have one.

5 Remote participation

In order to follow the proceedings of ITU-R meetings remotely an audio webcast of the Study Group Plenary meetings in all languages will be provided through the ITU Internet Broadcasting Service (IBS). Participants do not need to register for the meeting to use the webcast facility, however, an ITU [TIES account](#) is required to access the webcast.

6 Participation/Visa requirements/Accommodation

Advance registration for ITU-R events is mandatory and carried out exclusively online through Designated Focal Points (DFPs). Each ITU-R Member has been requested to designate a DFP responsible for the handling of all registration formalities, including visa support requests that should also be submitted by the DFP during the on-line registration process. Individuals wishing to be registered for an ITU-R event should directly contact the DFP for their entity. The list of ITU-R DFPs (TIES protected) as well as detailed information on event registration, visa support requirements, hotel accommodation, etc. can be found at:

www.itu.int/en/ITU-R/information/events



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- Secretary-General of the ITU, Director of the Telecommunication Standardization Bureau, Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau

Annex 1

Draft agenda for the meeting of Radiocommunication Study Group 1

(Geneva, 21 June 2017)

- 1** Opening of the meeting
- 2** Approval of the agenda
- 3** Appointment of the Rapporteur
- 4** Summary Record of the June 2016 meeting (Document [1/36](#))
- 5** Report on the RAG 2017 meeting
- 6** Preparation for CPM 19-2, RA-19 and WRC-19
- 7** Executive Reports from the Working Party Chairmen
 - 7.1** Working Party 1A
 - 7.2** Working Party 1B
 - 7.3** Working Party 1C
- 8** Consideration of the revised Recommendation where notice of intention to seek adoption was given (see Resolution ITU-R 1-7, §§ A2.6.2.2.2, A2.6.2.3)
 - 8.1** Working Party 1B (Document [1/47](#))
- 9** Consideration of new and revised Recommendations where notice of intention to seek adoption was not given (see Resolution ITU-R 1-7, §§ A2.6.2.2.3, A2.6.2.3 and A2.6.2.4)
 - Decision to seek adoption
 - Decision on eventual approval procedure to be followed
 - 9.1** Working Party 1A
 - 9.2** Working Party 1B
 - 9.3** Working Party 1C
- 10** Consideration of new and revised Reports
- 11** Consideration of new and revised Questions
- 12** Suppression of Recommendations, Reports and Questions
- 13** Status of Recommendations, Reports, Handbooks, Questions, Opinions, Resolutions and Decisions
- 14** Liaison with other ITU-R Study Groups, ITU Sectors and international organizations
- 15** Consideration of other contributions
- 16** Consideration of future work programme and schedule of meetings
- 17** Any other business
- 18** Closing

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Chairman, Radiocommunication Study Group 1

Annex 2

Title and summary of the draft revision of the Recommendation proposed for adoption at the Study Group 1 meeting

Draft revision of Recommendation ITU-R SM.1413-3

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Radiocommunication Data Dictionary (RDD)

The draft revision in the embedded document takes into account changes arising from:

- revisions to Appendix 4 of the Radio Regulations at WRC-15;
- revisions to take into account new information provided by ITU-R Working Party 4A liaison statement (see Document 1B/71);
- additional information from Article 5 of the Radio Regulations 2016; and
- editorials identified in the Radio Regulations 2016.

This document shows the changes as applied to sections 1 to 8 of the RDD.

Section 9 contains BR reference data. Section 10 (data item indexes) is not included.

Neither section 9 or 10 need approval and in the case of section 10 it can only be updated after the revision marking is removed following adoption and approval of the document.

Note: there are a series of editorial changes to fonts in the text and as these cannot be shown using revision marking they are highlighted in green.

Annex 3

Topics to be addressed at meetings of Working Parties 1A, 1B and 1C held prior to the meeting of Study Group 1 and for which draft Recommendations may be developed

Working Party 1A

- 1** Sharing between the broadcasting service and the fixed and/or mobile services in the VHF and UHF bands (Preliminary Draft Revision (PDR) of Rec. ITU-R SM.851-1 - See Annex 4 to Document [1A/144](#)).
- 2** Frequency ranges for operation of non-beam Wireless Power Transmission (WPT) systems (Draft New (DN) Rec. ITU-R SM.[WPT] - See Annex 5 to Document [1A/144](#)).

Working Party 1B

- 1** Guidelines for narrow-band wireless home networking transceivers specification of spectrum related components (Preliminary Draft New (PDN) Rec. ITU-R SM.[G.WNB-FREQ] - See Annex 12 to Document [1B/123](#)).
- 2** Global harmonization of SRD categories (PDN Rec. ITU-R SM.[SRD-CATEGORIES] - See Annex 14 to Document [1B/123](#)).
- 3** Definition of spectrum use and efficiency of a radio system (working document towards a (WD) PDR Rec. ITU-R SM.1046-3 - See Annex 16 to Document [1B/123](#)).
- 4** Frequency ranges for global or regional harmonization of short-range devices (WDPDR Rec. ITU-R SM.1896-0 - See Annex 17 to Document [1B/123](#)).

Working Party 1C

- 1** Spectrum occupancy measurements and evaluation (PDR Rec. ITU-R SM.1880-1 - See Annex 1 to Document [1C/39](#))
 - 2** Performance evaluation of Mobile DF units (WDPDN Rec. ITU-R SM.[MOB DF PERF] - See Annex 2 to Document [1C/39](#))
 - 3** Essential requirements for a spectrum monitoring system for developing countries (PDR Rec. ITU-R SM.1392-2 - See Annex 8 to Document [1C/39](#))
 - 4** DVB-T/T2 coverage measurements and verification of planning criteria (WDPDR Rec. ITU-R SM.1875-2 - See Annexes 14 and 15 to Document [1C/39](#))
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