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| **Radiocommunication Bureau (BR)** | | |
| Administrative Circular  **CACE/1012** | | 22 December 2021 |
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| **To Administrations of Member States of the ITU, Radiocommunication Sector Members, ITU-R Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 5 and ITU Academia** | | |
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| Subject: | **Radiocommunication Study Group 5 (Terrestrial services)**  **– Proposed adoption by correspondence of 1 draft revised ITU-R Recommendation** | |
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At the meeting of Radiocommunication Study Group 5, held on 16 December 2021, the Study Group decided to seek adoption of 1 draft revised ITU-R Recommendation in accordance with § A2.6.2.2.3 of Resolution ITU‑R 1-8 (Adoption by a Study Group by correspondence). The title and summary of the draft Recommendation is given in the Annex to this letter.

The consideration period shall extend for two months ending on 22 February 2022. If within this period no objections are received from Member States, the approval by consultation procedure of § A2.6.2.3 of Resolution ITU‑R 1‑8 will be initiated.

Any Member State which objects to the adoption of the draft Recommendation is requested to inform the Director and the Chairman of the Study Group of the reasons for the objection.

Any ITU member organization aware of a patent held by itself or others which may fully or partly cover elements of the draft Recommendation mentioned in this letter is requested to disclose such information to the Secretariat as soon as possible. The Common Patent Policy for   
ITU-T/ITU-R/ISO/IEC is available at <http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-T/ipr/Pages/policy.aspx>.

Mario Maniewicz  
Director

**Annex:** Title and summary of the draft Recommendation

**Document:** Document [5/72](https://www.itu.int/md/R19-SG05-C-0072/en)

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Annex  
  
Title and summary of the draft Recommendation

Draft revision of Recommendation ITU-R M.585-8 Doc. 5/72

Assignment and use of identities in the maritime mobile service

To provide a numbering scheme for autonomous maritime radio devices (AMRD) in Annex 2 and increase the readability on the use of manufacturer IDs for devices using a freeform number identity in Annex 3, by placing the related information directly in Annex 2, section 2. Furthermore, some editorial updates have been taken on board.

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