



Radiocommunication Bureau (BR)

Circular Letter CCRR/63

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To Administrations of Member States of the ITU

Subject:

Draft Rule of Procedure concerning RR No. 5.458

At its 81st meeting (15 – 19 July 2019), the Radio Regulations Board agreed on the need to develop a rule of procedure on No. **5.458** to clarify that there is no frequency allocation to the Earth exploration-satellite (passive) and space research (passive) services in the frequency bands 6 425-7 075 MHz and 7 075-7 250 MHz. This draft rule of procedure is contained in Annex 1.

In accordance with No. **13.17** of the Radio Regulations, the draft Rules of Procedure are made available to administrations for comments before being submitted to the RRB pursuant to No. **13.14**. As indicated in No. **13.12A** d) of the Radio Regulations, any comments that you may wish to submit should reach the Bureau not later than **16 September 2019**, in order to be considered at the 82nd meeting of the RRB, scheduled for 14 – 18 October 2019. Comments should be sent either by telefax to +41 22 730 5785 or by email to brmail@itu.int.

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Annex: 1

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ANNEX 1

Rules concerning

ARTICLE 5 of the RR

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5.458

There is no allocation to the Earth exploration-satellite (passive) and space research (passive) services in the frequency bands 6 425-7 075 MHz and 7 075-7 250 MHz. Notification of frequency assignments to Earth exploration-satellite (passive) and space research (passive) services in the band 6 425-7 075 MHz and 7 075-7 250 MHz will be considered by the Bureau not to be in conformity with the Table of Frequency Allocations.

Reasons: to clarify that there is no frequency allocation to the Earth exploration-satellite (passive) and space research (passive) services in the bands 6 425-7 075 MHz and 7 075-7 250 MHz and that such use will not be in conformity with the Table of Frequency Allocations. Similar clarification can be found in the Rule of Procedure of No. **5.149** for radio astronomy in certain frequency bands.

Effective date of application of this Rule: immediately after approval.