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> Addendum 2 to Circular Letter 5/LCCE/2

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### To Administrations of Member States of the ITU, Radiocommunication Sector Members and ITU Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 5

**Subject:** Availability of approved Reports related to the invitation for submission of proposals for candidate radio interface technologies for the terrestrial components of the radio interface(s) for IMT-Advanced and invitation to participate in their subsequent evaluation

# 1 Introduction

The first invitation for the submission of proposals for candidate radio interface technologies (RITs) or a set of RITs (SRITs) for the terrestrial components of IMT-Advanced was issued with Circular Letter 5/LCCE/2 on 7 March 2008. The Circular Letter initiated an ongoing process to evaluate the candidate RITs or SRITs for IMT-Advanced, and invited the formation of independent evaluation groups and the subsequent submission of evaluation reports on these candidate RITs or SRITs. On 13 August 2008, Addendum 1 to Circular Letter 5/LCCE/2 announced the availability of further information associated with the IMT-Advanced submission and evaluation process.

This Addendum to Circular Letter 5/LCCE/2 announces the availability of three ITU-R Reports, recently approved by ITU-R Study Group 5, that provide details of the IMT-Advanced requirements, evaluation criteria and submission templates.

# 2 Requirements, evaluation criteria and submission templates

The overall requirements, evaluation criteria, and submission templates, along with the minimum technical system performance information and the specific guidelines to be used for evaluation of IMT-Advanced candidate technologies can be found in:

- Report ITU-R M.2133 *Requirements, evaluation criteria, and submission templates for the development of IMT-Advanced.*
- Report ITU-R M.2134 *Requirements related to technical system performance for IMT-Advanced Radio interface(s).*
- Report ITU-R M.2135 Guidelines for evaluation of radio interface technologies for *IMT-Advanced*.

These Reports are available through the normal ITU-R publication office. For convenience, links to these Reports are also provided on the ITU-R IMT-Advanced webpage.

#### **3** Updates to the ITU-R IMT-Advanced web page

Any future changes to the submission and evaluation process will be announced in Addenda to this Circular Letter. Other information, such as evaluation group contact information, details of received submissions of candidate radio interface technologies, etc., will be updated dynamically on the IMT-Advanced web page (<u>http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/go/rsg5-imt-advanced/</u>). Consequently, participants in the IMT-Advanced development and evaluation activities are kindly requested to periodically check the website.

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