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| Agenda item 7(H) |

7 to consider possible changes, and other options, in response to Resolution 86 (Rev. Marrakesh, 2002) of the Plenipotentiary Conference, an advance publication, coordination, notification and recording procedures for frequency assignments pertaining to satellite networks, in accordance with Resolution **86 (Rev.WRC‑07)** to facilitate rational, efficient, and economical use of radio frequencies and any associated orbits, including the geostationary‑satellite orbit;

7(H) Issue H – Using one space station to bring frequency assignments at different orbital locations into use within a short period of time

Introduction

Pursuant to the results of ITU-R studies on this Issue, the Arab States administrations consider it appropriate to continue the current practice which is to make an enquiry to an administration that brings into use frequency assignments at a given orbital location using an already in-orbit satellite and makes such information available via the BR IFIC and/or posts it on the webpage, as appropriate.

Within this framework, an administration would include, as part of the declaration of bringing into use of frequency assignments, the following information for those cases where an already in-orbit satellite is used to bring into use frequency assignments at a given orbital location and that same satellite was used to bring into use frequency assignments at another orbital location within a short period of time, and the previous orbital location has been left vacant.

a) On which orbital position did the in-orbit satellite stay previously?

b) Which satellite network was brought into use at the previous orbital location using the in-orbit satellite?

c) The reason for its relocation.

On receipt of the information sent under the procedure above, the Bureau shall make available this information as soon as possible and publish it in the BR IFIC and/or post it on the webpage as appropriate.

It is expected that the publication through the BR IFIC and/or the webpage will contribute to minimizing the cases of BIU which are not associated with “legitimate use” and will lead to the efficient use of spectrum/orbit resources.

The above procedure shall be recorded or endorsed in the minutes of the Plenary Meeting of WRC‑15.

Proposal

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