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| Agenda item 8 | |

8 to consider and take appropriate action on requests from administrations to delete their country footnotes or to have their country name deleted from footnotes, if no longer required, taking into account Resolution **26 (Rev.WRC‑07)**;

Introduction

In accordance with Resolution26 (Rev.WRC-07), the Administration of New Zealand has reviewed the country footnotes in Article 5 of the Radio Regulations.

Due to the changes within national allocations, the first part (i.e. 50-51 MHz) of New Zealand-specific footnote RR No. 5.166 is no longer valid. New Zealand considers that it is appropriate to delete the New Zealand-specific footnote RR No. 5.166 while the second part (i.e. 53-54 MHz) of RR No. 5.166 could be amalgamated into another New Zealand-specific footnote RR No. 5.170.

As demonstrated in the graphical illustration below, the effect of these proposed changes would only result in reduced allocation to fixed and mobile, while allowing New Zealandto better align with regional allocation to amateur service:

50

MHz

53

51

FIXED

MOBILE

5.166

54

52

AMATEUR

5.166 5.170

FIXED

MOBILE

5.166

AMATEUR

*Region 3*

*Current NZL*

*Proposed NZL*

FIXED

MOBILE

*MOD 5.170*

AMATEUR

FIXED

MOBILE

5.170

Proposals

New Zealand proposes the following modifications to Article 5 of the Radio Regulations.

ARTICLE 5

Frequency allocations

Section IV – Table of Frequency Allocations  
(See No. 2.1)

MOD NZL/53/1

5.170 *Additional allocation:*in New Zealand, the band 51-54 MHz is also allocated to the fixed and mobile services on a primary basis. (WRC‑15)

**Reasons:** Amalgamation of a portion of existing RR No. 5.166 with RR No. 5.170in order to allow the existing RR No. 5.166to be suppressed.

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5.166

**Reasons:** Suppression due to consequential changes within national allocations which result in the band 50-51 MHz will no longer be used for fixed and mobile services, while the band 53-54 MHz will be allocated to amateur, fixed and mobile services on a co-primary basis. The latter part of RR No. 5.166 can be amalgamated into the amended RR No. 5.170.

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