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| Agenda item 1.8 | |

1.8 to review the provisions relating to earth stations located on board vessels (ESVs), based on studies conducted in accordance with Resolution **909 (WRC‑12)**;

Introduction

WRC-03 adopted provisions allowing the use of earth stations on board vessels (ESVs) operating in frequency bands 5 925-6 425 MHz and 14-14.5 GHz with the aim of ensuring adequate protection for terrestrial service stations operating in those frequency bands. Resolution 902 (WRC‑03) established minimum distances from the low-water mark, as well as technical limits applicable to ESVs transmitting in the bands in question.

Analyses undertaken in relation to this issue have taken into account the evolution of technology and the growth in traffic involving vessels using this service, and have come to different conclusions as regards the need to reduce or increase the distances referred to in Resolution 902.

In the light of this situation, and the fact that many aspects still require consideration and more detailed study, including elements pertaining to procedures and regulatory issues, the Cuban Administration considers that it is not appropriate to modify the current conditions under Resolution 902 (WRC-03) and accordingly proposes the following:

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RESOLUTION 902 (WRC-03)

Provisions relating to earth stations located on board vessels which operate in fixed-satellite service networks in the uplink bands 5 925-6 425 MHz and 14-14.5 GHz

**Reasons:** To maintain the current provisions of Resolution 902 (WRC‑03) in force.

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RESOLUTION 909 (WRC‑12)

Provisions relating to earth stations located on board vessels   
which operate in fixed-satellite service networks in the   
uplink bands 5 925-6 425 MHz and 14-14.5 GHz

**Reasons:** No longer necessary.

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