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9 to consider and approve the Report of the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau, in accordance with Article 7 of the Convention:

9.1 on the activities of the Radiocommunication Sector since WRC‑12;

9.1(9.1.3) Resolution **11 (WRC-12)** − Use of satellite orbital positions and associated frequency spectrum to deliver international public telecommunication services in developing countries

Introduction

WRC-12 adopted Resolution 11 (WRC-12) which resolves that ITU-R continue to collaborate with, and provide information when requested by ITU-D, on satellite technologies and applications as defined in ITU-R Recommendations and Reports and on satellite regulatory procedures in the Radio Regulations that will help developing countries with development and implementation of satellite networks and services.

In addition, Resolution 11 (WRC-12) resolves that ITU-R undertakes studies to determine whether it might be necessary to apply additional regulatory measures to enhance the availability of public international telecommunication services delivered through satellite technology.

Proposal

The SADC member states support the revision of Resolution 11 (WRC-12) in order to continue with the studies as it may be required for resolves 2 of Resolution 11 (WRC-12) to continue even after WRC-15.

**Reasons:** The provisioning of high quality, reliable and affordable international public telecommunications services are of critical importance to developing countries. This proposal will maintain the continuity of the provision of international public telecommunications service.

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