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# 1 Introduction

WRC-15 revised Resolution **907** “Use of modern electronic means of communication for administrative correspondence related to advance publication, coordination and notification of satellite networks including that related to Appendices 30, 30A and 30B, earth stations and radio astronomy stations” and Resolution **908** “Electronic submission and publication of satellite network filings” to facilitate the use of modern electronic means in both the submission of satellite filings and the related administrative correspondence.

WRC-15 also instructed the Radiocommunication Bureau to develop and implement the tools and means described in the clauses “*instructs the Radiocommunication Bureau*” and “*instructs the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau*” of these two Resolutions, preferably by 1 January 2017 and no later than 30 June 2017 (see §1.10 of document CMR15/272 – Minutes of the fourth plenary meeting).

Section 3.2.4 of document RAG16/1(Rev.1) documents the status of the software development to implement these WRC-15 decisions:

– Resolution **907 (Rev. WRC-15)** – Status: In design phase (in collaboration with the IS department for security infrastructure aspects),

– Resolution **908 (Rev. WRC-15)** – Status: The SpaceWISC application has been in production since 1 March 2015 and has been used to submit and publish over 1600 APIs. WRC-15 decided to extend the scope of Res. 908 and also to change the way APIs are produced and published. Consequently, the BR is redesigning SpaceWISC to satisfy the new requirements. The system is expected to be in production in 2017.

# 2 Proposal

Considering the short timeframe before the 30th June 2017, France proposes that the RAG establishes a dedicated group, preferably in the form of a Rapporteur Group, to follow on the implementation of Resolutions **907 (Rev. WRC-15)** and **908 (Rev. WRC-15)**, especially regarding the necessary software developments. In the interval between the RAG meetings of 2016 and 2017, this group would allow administrations and the Bureau:

– to exchange on the user requirements and the detailed time plan of the implementation,

– to ensure that early feedback from administrations can be used in the development of, or integrated in, the tools that are called for by the two Resolutions,

– to set up a community of “beta-testers” that would increase the number of people testing the software before full production.

Concerning SpaceWISC, which first version is already operational, France also proposes that users from administrations and operating agencies are invited to submit their suggestions through the most convenient means for the Bureau to collect them (maybe the associated forum).

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