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| **World Radiocommunication Conference (WRC-19) Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, 28 October – 22 November 2019** |  |
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| PLENARY MEETING | **Addendum 4 to Document 16(Add.21)-E** |
|  | **7 October 2019** |
|  | **Original: English** |
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| European Common Proposals | |
| Proposals for the work of the conference | |
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| Agenda item 9.1(9.1.4) | |

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-15;

9.1 (9.1.4) Resolution **763 (WRC-15) -** Stations on board sub-orbital vehicles

Introduction

Studies in ITU-R Study Group 5 is considering the definition of suborbital flight and its consequence on the regulatory framework in particular it is envisaged that for the purpose of flight under aeronautical regulation in upper atmosphere, the station on board suborbital vehicle may also be considered as a terrestrial station or an earth station even if a part of the flight occurs in space.

It is expected that the draft Report ITU-R M.[SUBORBITAL VEHICLES] will be adopted by Study Group 5 before WRC19[[1]](#footnote-1)\*.

Furthermore it can be concluded that it is not necessary to request specific action at WRC-19, therefore no changes to the Radio Regulations are necessary at this stage.

Proposals

NOC EUR/16A21A4/1

ARTICLE 5

Frequency allocations

**Reasons:** Based on the work conducted at ITU-R Study Group 5, only the method no change to Article **5** of the Radio Regulations is contained in the CPM Report.

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RESOLUTION 763 (WRC‑15)

Stations on board sub-orbital vehicles

**Reasons:** This Resolution is considered no longer necessary after WRC-19.

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1. \* Note by the Secretariat: This Report was approved by ITU-R Study Group 5 at its meeting in September 2019. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)