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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 ITU Convention;

9.2 on any difficulties or inconsistencies encountered in the application of the Radio Regulations;[[1]](#footnote-1)1 and

Section 2.2.3 of Addendum 2 to the Report of the Director to WRC-23

Introduction

The 2020 edition of the RR contains several provisions, which make reference to past dates. The concerned provisions are now obsolete. Table 3 contains a list of some texts of the Radio Regulations (RR) that may require updates and they are brought to the attention of WRC‑23, for consideration and for undertaking appropriate updates, where required.

*Considering* *a)* of Resolution **716 (Rev.WRC-12)** specified that WARC-92 allocated the bands 1 980-2 010 MHz and 2 170-2 200 MHz for the mobile-satellite service (MSS) with a date of entry into force of 1 January 2005, these allocations being co-primary with fixed and mobile service allocations;

RR No. **5.389F** refers to the two frequency bands 1 980-2 010 MHz and 2 170-2 200 MHz in RR Article **5** and indicates that: *“In Algeria, Cape Verde, Egypt, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Mali, Syrian Arab Republic and Tunisia, the use of the frequency bands 1 980-2 010 MHz and 2 170-2 200 MHz by the mobile-satellite service shall neither cause harmful interference to the fixed and mobile services, nor hamper the development of those services prior to 1 January 2005, nor shall the former service request protection from the latter services*.     (WRC‑19)”.

Proposal

As this provision is already outdated, the Bureau invites the Conference to review the footnote with respect to the development of the services concerned.

This proposal supports alternative modifications to the Radio Regulations by reviewing RR No. **5.389F**.

ARTICLE 5

Frequency allocations

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

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1. 1 This agenda sub-item is strictly limited to the Report of the Director on any difficulties or inconsistencies encountered in the application of the Radio Regulations and the comments from administrations. Administrations are invited to inform the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau of any difficulties or inconsistencies encountered in the Radio Regulations. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)