

## RESOLUTION 957 (WRC-12)

### **Studies towards review of the definitions of *fixed service, fixed station and mobile station***

The World Radiocommunication Conference (Geneva, 2012),

*considering*

- a) that the current technological environment for some applications is substantively different from the one which prevailed when the current definitions were established;
- b) that in the study period leading up to WRC-12, studies were undertaken to address fixed and mobile convergence, and that one method proposed to address this was revisions to the definitions of *fixed service, fixed station and mobile station*;
- c) that regulatory procedures should be continually assessed in order to meet the demands of administrations;
- d) that the review of the definitions in *considering b)* should aim to support the implementation of efficient spectrum management practices and spectrum use,

*recognizing*

- a) that No. **1003** of the Convention defines *mobile service*;
- b) that Article **1** of the Radio Regulations defines *fixed service, fixed station and mobile station*,

*resolves*

- 1 to review the definitions of *fixed service, fixed station and mobile station* contained in Article **1** for possible modification;
- 2 to study the potential impact on regulatory procedures in the Radio Regulations (coordination, notification and recording) and the impact on current frequency assignments and other services resulting from possible changes to the definitions referred to in *resolves 1*,

*invites ITU-R*

to conduct the necessary studies described in *resolves 1 and 2* in time for consideration by WRC-15, as referred to in *instructs the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau* below,

*invites administrations*

to participate actively in the ITU-R studies,

*instructs the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau*

to provide the results of these studies in his report to WRC-15 for consideration under agenda item 9.1 (see Resolution **807 (WRC-12)**) and appropriate action.