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Circular Letter  
**CR/323**

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## To Administrations of Member States of ITU

- Subject:** Implementation of Resolution 647 (WRC-07) - Emergency communications database
- Reference:** Resolution **647 (WRC-07)**: Spectrum management guidelines for emergency and disaster relief radiocommunication  
BR Circular Letter CR/281 (13 March 2008)  
BR Circular Letter CR/283 (6 May 2008) and its Corrigendum 1 (13 May 2008)  
BR Circular Letter CR/288 (17 July 2008)  
BR Circular Letter CR/291 (9 October 2008)

### To the Director-General

Dear Sir/Madam,

- 1 In response to Resolution 647 (WRC-07), the Radiocommunication Bureau established a database containing terrestrial and space related frequencies/frequency bands made available by administrations for use in emergency situations. This database may be consulted at <http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/go/res647>.
- 2 At this stage, however, the Bureau only received data from the following administrations: Argentina, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Myanmar, Brunei Darussalam, Canada, Spain, Egypt, Italy, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, New Zealand, Oman, Seychelles, Syria, Thailand, UAE, Uzbekistan for terrestrial services, and Canada, Czech Republic, United Kingdom, Malaysia and Romania for space services.
- 3 In order to achieve the objectives of Resolution 647 (WRC-07), I would like to reiterate my invitation to administrations to communicate to the BR, as soon as possible, the available frequencies and information about their spectrum management practices for use in an event of disaster or emergency situations.
- 4 All submissions are to be provided in electronic format<sup>1</sup> and addressed to:

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<sup>1</sup> See details in Circular Letters CR/288 for terrestrial services and CR/291 for space services.

5 The Bureau remains at the disposal of your Administration for any clarification you may require regarding the subjects covered in this Circular Letter.

Yours faithfully,

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