

RESOLUTION 7 (REV.WRC-19)

Development of national radio-frequency management

The World Radiocommunication Conference (Sharm el-Sheikh, 2019),

considering

- a) that the Radio Regulations contain, *inter alia*, procedures for the coordination, notification and registration of frequencies which specify the rights and obligations of Member States;
- b) that the application of the above-mentioned procedures necessitates an appropriate radio-frequency management unit in each Member State;
- c) that the existence of such a unit helps Member States to safeguard their rights and to discharge their obligations under the Radio Regulations;
- d) that the application of the Radio Regulations through the agency of such units is in the interest of the international community as a whole,

noting

that such a unit requires an adequate number of suitably qualified staff,

noting further

that the administrations of many developing countries need to create or to strengthen such a unit, appropriate to their administrative structure, with responsibility for the application of the Radio Regulations at the national and international levels,

resolves

- 1 that meetings shall be organized between representatives of the Radiocommunication Bureau and the personnel involved in frequency management matters from administrations of developing and developed countries;
- 2 that such meetings shall be aimed at designing standard structures suitable for administrations of developing countries and include discussions concerning the establishment and operation of radio-frequency management units;
- 3 that such meetings should also identify the particular needs of developing countries in establishing such units, and the means required to meet those needs,

recommends

that developing countries, when planning the use of funds, particularly those received from international sources, make provision for participation in these meetings as well as taking appropriate action for the introduction and development of such units,

invites the ITU Council

to take the necessary measures for the organization of such meetings,

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instructs the Secretary-General

- 1 to circulate this Resolution to all Member States, drawing their attention to its importance;
- 2 to circulate the results of such meetings, particularly to the developing countries;
- 3 to inform the developing countries of the types of assistance ITU can provide in setting up the desired structure,

instructs the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau

to include this activity in the Operational Plan, within existing budgetary resources of the Sector,

draws the attention of the next plenipotentiary conference

- 1 to the particular problems identified in this Resolution;
- 2 to the need for prompt and effective action to resolve them;
- 3 to the need to take all practicable measures to ensure that resources are made available for this purpose.