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> Circular Letter 5/LCCE/25

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To Administrations of Member States of the ITU, Radiocommunication Sector Members and ITU-R Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 5

Subject: Meetings of Working Parties 5A, 5B and 5C

- WP 5A: Land mobile service above 30 MHz (excluding IMT); wireless access in the fixed service; amateur and amateur-satellite services
- WP 5B: Maritime mobile service including Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDSS); aeronautical mobile service and radiodetermination service
- WP 5C: Fixed wireless systems; HF and other systems below 30 MHz in the fixed and land mobile services

Introduction

By means of this Circular Letter, we wish to announce that meetings of ITU-R Working Parties 5A, 5B and 5C will take place in the ITU Headquarters in Geneva from 13 to 24 June 2011 (see the table below).

Groups	Meeting dates	Deadline for contributions 16:00 hours UTC	Opening session
Working Party 5A	13 - 22 June 2011	Monday, 6 June 2011	13 June at 11:00 hours
Working Party 5B	13 - 24 June 2011	Monday, 6 June 2011	13 June at 09:30 hours
Working Party 5C	13 - 23 June 2011	Monday, 6 June 2011	13 June at 14:00 hours

Programme of the meetings

Draft agendas for these meetings are contained in Annex 1. The Questions assigned may be found on: <u>http://www.itu.int/publ/R-QUE-SG05/en</u>. The Working Parties will conduct their work in English.

Contributions

Contributions in response to the work of Working Parties 5A, 5B and 5C are invited. These will be processed according to the provisions laid down in Resolution ITU-R 1-5 and posted on http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/go/rsg5/en (see "contributions" of each relevant Working Party). The deadline for submission of contributions is specified in the table above. Submissions received later than these deadlines cannot be accepted. Resolution ITU R 1-5 provides that contributions which are not available to participants at the opening of the meeting shall not be considered.

Participants are requested to submit contributions by electronic mail to: rsg5@itu.int. A copy should also be sent to the Chairmen of the relevant Working Parties and to the Chairman and Vice-Chairmen of Study Group 5. The pertinent addresses can be found on:

http://www-br/cgi-bin/htsh/compass/cvc_wptg_list.sh

http://www.itu.int/cgi-bin/htsh/compass/cvc.param.sh?acvty_code=sg5

Participation/Visa requirements

Delegate/participant registration for the meetings will be carried out online via the ITU-R website. Each Member State/Sector Member/Associate was requested to designate a focal point to be responsible for the handling of all registration requests for his/her administration/organization. Individuals wishing to attend should contact the focal point designated for all Study Group activities for his/her entity directly. The list of designated focal points (DFPs) and detailed information regarding visa requirements is available on the **ITU-R Member Information and Delegate Registration** webpage at:

http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/go/delegate-reg-info/en.

The Delegate Registration desk will open at 08:30 hours on the first day of each meeting at the entrance of the Montbrillant building. Please note that the confirmation of registration sent to each delegate/participant by e-mail must be presented, together with photo identification, in order to receive a badge.

Information regarding hotel accommodation for meetings held in Geneva is available at <u>http://www.itu.int/travel/index.html</u>.

François Rancy Director, Radiocommunication Bureau

Annex: 1

Distribution:

- Chairman and Vice-Chairmen of Radiocommunication Study Group 5

Administrations of Member States of the ITU and Radiocommunication Sector Members participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 5

⁻ ITU-R Associates participating in the work of Radiocommunication Study Group 5

Secretary General of the ITU, Director of the Telecommunication Standardization Bureau, Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau

Annex 1

Draft agenda for the 7th meeting of Working Party 5A

(Geneva, 13 - 22 June 2011)

- 1 Opening remarks
- 2 Adoption of the draft agenda
- **3** Report on the 6th meeting of Working Party 5A (Document <u>5A/601</u>)
- 4 Report from Correspondence Groups
- 5 Working structure and document assignment
- **6** Any other business

J. COSTA Chairman, Working Party 5A

Draft agenda for the 7th meeting of Working Party 5B

(Geneva, 13 - 24 June 2011)

- **1** Opening of the meeting
- 2 Approval of the agenda
- **3** Report on the 6th meeting of Working Party 5B (Document <u>5B/617</u>)
- 4 Consideration of input documents
- 5 Establishment of Working Groups and attribution of input documents
- 6 Reports from Rapporteurs and Correspondence Groups:

Radar Unwanted Emissions

WP 6A

IEC-TC80 on test standards for GMDSS equipment

ISO

7 Any other business

J. METTROP Chairman, Working Party 5B

Draft agenda for the 7th meeting of Working Party 5C

(Geneva, 13 - 23 June 2011)

- 1 Opening remarks
- 2 Adoption of the draft agenda
- 3 Report on the 6^{th} meeting of Working Parties 5C (Document <u>5C/461</u>)
- 4 Reports from Rapporteurs and Correspondence Groups
- 5 Working structure and document assignment
- **6** Any other business

C. GLASS Chairman, Working Party 5C