

**WRC-07 ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
INFORMAL WORKING GROUP 4  
IWG-4, Broadcasting and Amateur Issues**

**TERMS OF REFERENCE**

**IWG-4**

**Broadcasting and Amateur Issues**

Using the Charter for the WRC-07 Advisory Committee as a basic document, the Terms of Reference for IWG-4 is to develop Preliminary Views and Proposals on all matters concerning the WRC-07 Agenda Items assigned to it. These Preliminary Views and Proposals are for consideration by the Advisory Committee as a whole, on the following WRC-07 Agenda Items:

1.6 to consider additional allocations for the aeronautical mobile (R) service in parts of the bands between 108 MHz and 6 GHz, in accordance with **Resolution 414 (WRC-03)**;

1.11 to review sharing criteria and regulatory provisions for protection of terrestrial services, in particular the terrestrial television broadcasting service, in the band 620-790 MHz from BSS networks and systems, in accordance with **Resolution 545 (WRC-03)**;

1.13 taking into account **Resolution 729 (WRC-03)**, **351 (WRC-03)** and **544 (WRC-03)**, to review the allocations to all services in the HF bands between 4 MHz and 10 MHz, excluding those allocations to services in the frequency range 7 000–7 200 kHz and those bands whose allotment plans are in **Appendix 25, 26 and 27** and whose channeling arrangements are in **Appendix 17**, taking account of the impact of new modulation techniques, adaptive control techniques and spectrum requirements for HF broadcasting;

1.15 to consider a secondary allocation to the amateur service in the frequency band 135.7-137.8 kHz;

4 in accordance with **Resolution 95 (Rev.WRC-03)**, to review the Resolutions and Recommendations of previous conferences with a view to their possible revision, replacement or abrogation;

7.1(Rec. 723) to consider and approve the report of the Director of the Radiocommunications Bureau on activities related to Electronic News Gathering (ENG);

7.2 to recommend to the Council items for inclusion in the agenda for the next WRC, and to give its views on the preliminary agenda for subsequent conference and on possible agenda items for future conferences, taking into account Resolution 803 (WRC-03),

Where appropriate, IWG-4 Preliminary Views and Proposals shall address the International Radio Regulations, their Appendices, Resolutions and Recommendations, including additions, modifications or suppressions that may be required. IWG-4's Proposals to WRC-07 shall be supported by narrative text indicating:

- the basis of the need for any changes that may be required including any rationale that may be useful to promoting and negotiating the recommendation; and
- the relationship or dependency upon preparatory work and/or recommendations of other domestic and international groups outside the terms of reference of this group.

Any relevant papers and/or studies developed in IWG-4 shall be input to the WRC-07 Advisory Committee (WAC-07).

The Designated Federal Official (DFO) or the Advisory Committee Chair may modify the terms of reference of this Informal Working Group.