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As Chairman of the European Committee for Telecommunications Regulatory Affairs (ECTRA), I hereby confirm that this recommendation was approved in Madrid on 3 March 1999 at the XXVIIIth ECTRA Plenary Meeting.

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The European Conference of Postal and Telecommunications Administrations,

CONSIDERING

- 1) that harmonised conditions for authorisations of 1.5/1.6 GHz S-PCS, are stipulated in ECTRA/DEC(99)01 of 3 March 1999,
- 2) that the granting of authorisations is the sovereign right of states, i.e. the responsibility of National Regulatory Authorities (NRAs), and that NRAs may require individual licenses for such authorisations,
- 3) that the use of radio spectrum is subject to multilateral agreement (1.5/1.6 GHz band Memorandum of Understanding (1.5/1.6 GHz band MoU)) under the provisions of the ITU Radio Regulations;
- 4) that a Milestone Review Procedure has been implemented under the provisions of the 1.5/1.6 GHz-Band MoU to determine if the milestones are met by satellite network operators;

RECOMMENDS

1. that CEPT administrations consider that the satellite networks listed below at A) and B) in this Recommendation have brought their satellite networks into full operation;
2. that the satellite networks listed below at A) and B) have satisfied all the milestones specified in the 1.5/1.6 GHz band MoU according to the Annex 2 of ECTRA/DEC(99)01 of 3 March 1999, and should not be subject to further CEPT milestone compliance requirements.

Satellite networks in compliance with all milestones

A) Inmarsat Network(s)
INM-AORE 15.5W, 17W
INM-IOR 64E, 65E
INM-POR 178E, 179E
AOR-W 54W , 55W

B) ITALSAT Network
16.4E, 10.2E, 13.2E