

BR IFIC and Preface

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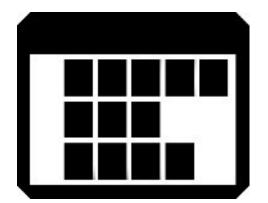






Before 2000

Papers and Microfiche for the publication of the Weekly Circular







- RESOLUTION 30 (WRC-97) instructs BR to initiate the introduction of a CD-ROM format for the publication of the Weekly Circular
- In Circular Letter CR/134 dated 22 December 1999, the Bureau informed administrations of the development of a new CD-ROM publication, the BR International Frequency Information Circular BR IFIC (Space services) as of BR IFIC 2410/11.01.2000
- Due to the substantial increase of the volume of information to be published, the technological progress and software evolution and to provide more relevant and useful information to administrations, the Bureau has changed the format of the BR IFIC (space services) from CD-ROM to DVD-ROM as of BR IFIC 2710/10.01.2012
- From 2014, a secure web based distribution of the BR IFIC (Space services), in a compressed ISO image file format, is offered by the Bureau

BR IFIC Description / 1

- The BR International Frequency Information Circular (Space services) (BR IFIC) is a service document in DVD-ROM format, published once every two weeks by the Bureau in accordance with provision Nos. 20.2 to 20.6 and No. 20.15 of the Radio Regulations (RR)
- As from BR IFIC 2410 of 11 January 2010, the BR IFIC (Space services) represents the sole publication format for Space services, for submissions under the relevant provisions and Resolutions of the Radio Regulations including Articles 9 and 11, and Appendices 30, 30A and 30B of the Radio Regulations
- The BR IFIC represents an official acknowledgement of receipt, in terms of No. 11.28 of the RR (PART I-S), as far as the frequency assignments to the Space services are concerned, as well as a statutory publication of the particulars of frequency assignments to the Space services which are recorded in the Master Register pursuant to the relevant provisions of the RR (PART II-S), or returned to administrations as a result of unfavorable findings (PART III-S)

BR IFIC Description / 2

- BR IFIC DVD-ROM (Space services) include the following data files:
 - ificxxxx.mdb
 - SPS_ALL_xxxx.mdb together with examination results
 - 30B_xxxx.mdb together with examination results
 - SpaceCom draft data
- The complete Space Radiocommunication Stations (SRS) reference database and the complete graphical data (GIMS) related to satellite networks are now available on the new BR IFIC DVD-ROM (Space services).
 - NOTE Users are no longer requested to make an incremental update of its "local" SRS and GIMS database using the ificxxx.mdb and gupdate.mdb
- The BR IFIC DVD-ROM (Space services) is also used to distribute software developed by the Bureau relating to the electronic notification and carrying out validation and technical examination, especially SpaceCap, SpaceVal, SpacePub, SpaceQry, SpaceCom, GIMS, Appendix 7, GIBC, SPS and SAM.

BR IFIC Main Features

 All publications are in 6 languages of the Union (originally from 10.01.2000 in English, French, Spanish and as of 01.01.2005 also in Arabic, Chinese and Russian language)

 Starting with BR IFIC 2548/12.07.2005, all BR IFIC publications (Parts and Special sections) contains a mark - ITU logo at the bottom right of each page - this mark shall identify an official ITU publication:



NOTE:

The only official regulatory reference for coordination/ consultation between the administrations is the corresponding Part or Special section contained in PDF format in the BR IFIC DVD-ROM

Ific.mdb

• The ificxxxx.mdb file (MS Access format), published on the BR IFIC, is located in the Databases\IFIC_data directory.

This file contains TSUM data of:

- Part-IS, Part-IIS and Part-IIIS;
- Special Sections:
 - API/A (as of IFIC 2464/05.03.2002)
 - CR/C (as of IFIC 2460/24.01.2002)
 - CR/F (as of 1.6.2012)
 - RES49 (as of IFIC 2553/20.09.2005)

Of satellite networks which are present in the Table Of Contents of the BR IFIC.

http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-R/space/Pages/brificMain.aspx

SRS Database

- The srs.mdb file (MS Access format) published on the BR IFICxxxx (Space services) DVD-ROM is located in the Databases\SRS_Data directory
- This file contains complete alphanumeric information relating to satellite networks and Earth stations recorded in the Master International Frequency Register (MIFR) in accordance with Article 11 or in the process of coordination, in accordance with Section II of Article 9 or published under the advance publication of information procedure (API) in accordance with Section I of Article 9 of the RR as well as Administrative Due Diligence (Resolution 49)
- The information in the srs.mdb is a snapshot of the MIFR taken at the time the BR IFICxxxx DVD-ROM was produced
- The SRS database structure is described in detail in Section III, Chapter 1 of the Preface

GIMS Database

- The Bureau now publishes the complete GIMS reference database (REFDB) on each BR IFIC
- With the DVD-ROM (from 2013 onwards), the previous GIMS incremental update process is now obsolete
- GIMS users can choose whether to leave REFDB on the master folder, i.e. the DVD-ROM, or to work with a local copy on their PC
- REFDB Automatic Update
 - Every time GIMS needs to connect to a local REFDB copy it checks in the master folder to see if a newer version of REFDB is available.
 - If the master folder is not accessible, which can frequently happen when it is located on the BR IFIC DVD-ROM, the local copy is considered up to date.
 Otherwise GIMS compares the local and master copies to decide whether an update is required.

Space Plan Data

- Data for Planned Space Networks (Appendices 30, 30A & 30B)
- The technical characteristics and reference situation (EPM) for Planned networks can be found in the
 - /data/SpacePlans/SPS/ directory for AP30&30A
 - /data/SpacePlans/AP30B/ directory for AP30B
- The MSPACEg output database for each network can be found in the /data/SpacePlans/MSPACEg_results/ directory. This database (MS-Access) contains the detailed results of MSPACE calculation.

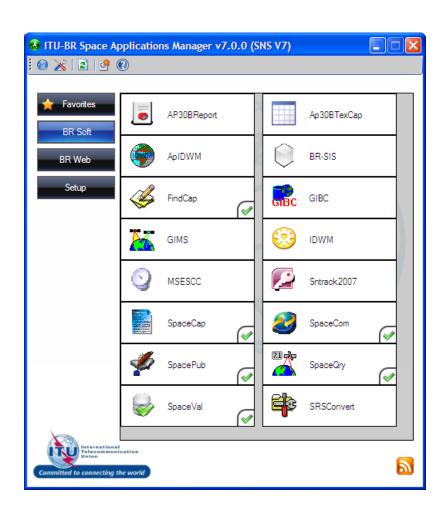
List of information "as received"

- Resolution 55 (rev WRC-12) instructs the Radiocommunication Bureau
- to make available coordination requests and notifications, "as received", on its BR IFIC DVD-ROM, within 30 days of receipt, and also on its website - SNL Part C
 - http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/space/snl/
- Note: This advance version of the information received from the Administrations is not to be confused with the official publication of the relevant Part or Special section, which is yet to occur.

Space Networks List - SNL Quarterly Report

- The Space Network List (SNL) is a list of basic information concerning planned or existing space stations, Earth stations and radio astronomy stations.
- On a quarterly basis, the complete Space Networks List (SNL) is annexed to the BR IFIC (Space Services) DVD-ROM.
- It contains 14 sections and has been prepared with a view to informing Administrations in a comprehensive manner of planned or existing space stations and Earth stations giving
- information on the use of the frequency spectrum;
- the occupancy of the geostationary orbit, as well as; on non-geostationary orbits.
- To facilitate further technical analysis, each Section is also provided as a delimited text file (*.CSV)
- SNL online http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/space/snl/

BR IFIC (Space Services) - BRsoft



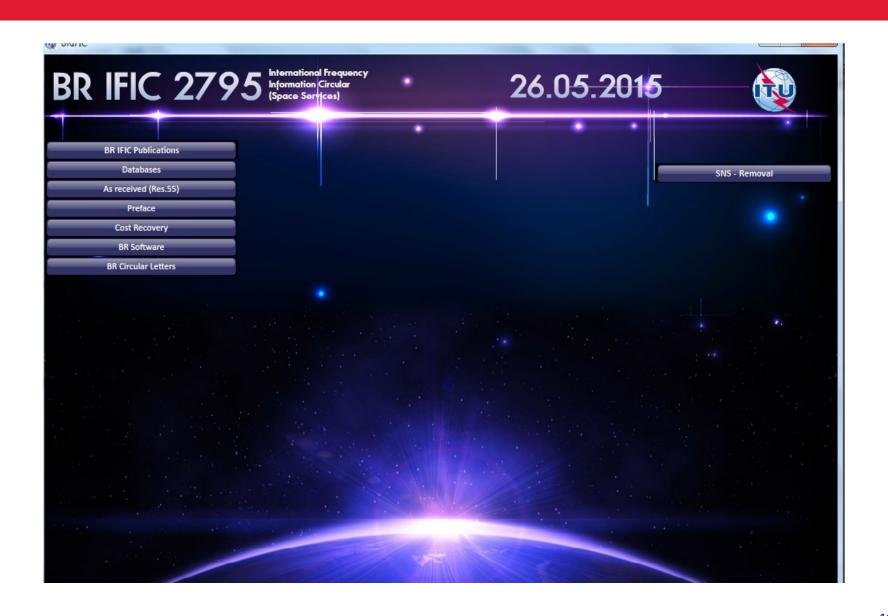
Annual BR WIC and BR IFIC (Space services) Collection on DVD

- ALL reference Special Sections and PARTs related to Space services in PDF format as of WIC 639/16.02.1965 (SAT 1 Special section)
- It contains PART I-S published from the year 2000
- It contains all PART II-S and PART III-S published from the year 1993
- It contains CR/C publication with the TSUM accessible by the bookmark of the correspondir ution

Annual BR WIC and BR IFIC (Space services) on DVD-ROM

- From year 2005 this DVD-ROM is issued once a year (next one in March 2014)
- New features
 - 6 Language option (E/F/S/A/C/R)
- Quarterly update of the Annual publication database (SNL Quarterly Report - Part B)
- For more information see: CR/235
- Sales info Publication notice 373
- The complete collection 1965 to 2007 5 082 CHF
- Annual collection 500 CHF

BR IFIC (Space Services) Main Menu



BR IFIC Publications (Main)



BRIFIC (Space Services) for download from the web – ISO image

- From 2014, BR offers a secure web based distribution of the BR IFIC (Space services) in a compressed ISO image file format.
- URL: http://www.itu.int/pub/R-SP-LN.IS
- Provides access to the BR IFIC (Space services) publications and data after download, without any delay, on the BR IFIC publication date and offers a secure local reproduction of the BR IFIC (Space services) DVD-ROM
- ISO image will be the <u>exact copy</u> of the BR IFIC (Space services) on DVD-ROM
- a SHA-1 checksum file will also be posted to provide to all users an unambiguous verification that the downloaded BR IFIC (Space services)
- This is a <u>complementary service</u> to the current publication and distribution of the BR IFIC (Space services) on DVD-ROM (Publication Notice No. 283-13, edition 2014).

What to do with the BR IFIC DVD?





What to do on issue of a BR IFIC?

How to see details on publications when my Administration is concerned?

- Is my Administration identified as affected by the Bureau's examination in publications?
- Are my Administration's networks published?
- Are my Administration's new submission published "As received"?



What to do on issue of a BR IFIC?

You wish to view a document published?





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What to do on issue of a BR IFIC?

You wish to analyze data published?



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Preface

Cost Recovery

BR Software

BR Circular Letters

What may my Administration do?

- My Administration has networks submitted under process.
- I'm a "NOTIF ADM"

- My Administration has networks already published and/or plans to be protected.
- I can be an "AFFECTED ADM"

Resolution 55 (Rev. WRC-07)

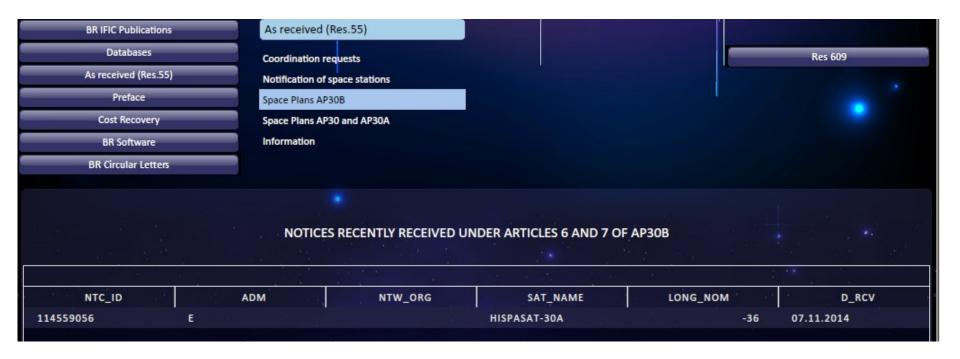
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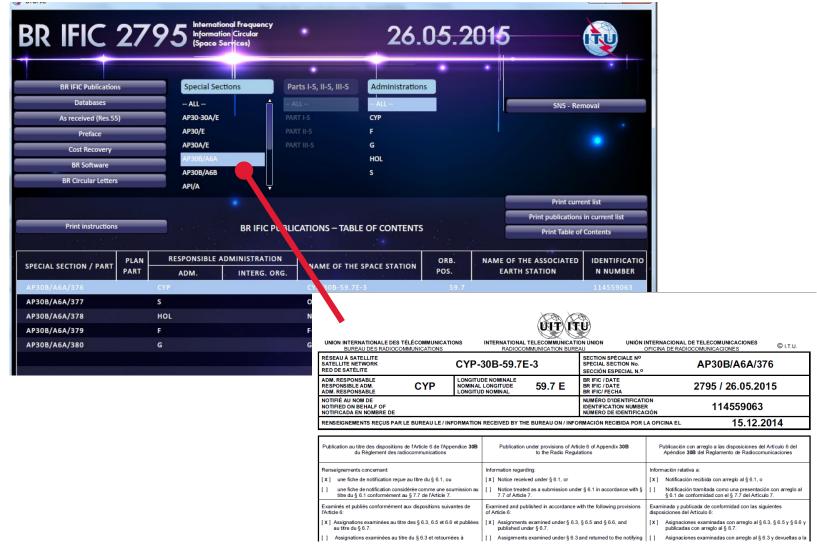
to make available coordination requests and notifications referred to in *resolves* 1, "as received", on its BR International Frequency Information Circular CD-ROM, within 30 days of receipt, and also on its website;

Recommended actions:

For NOTIF ADM → is my submission received?

For AFFECTED ADM → taking note of new submissions



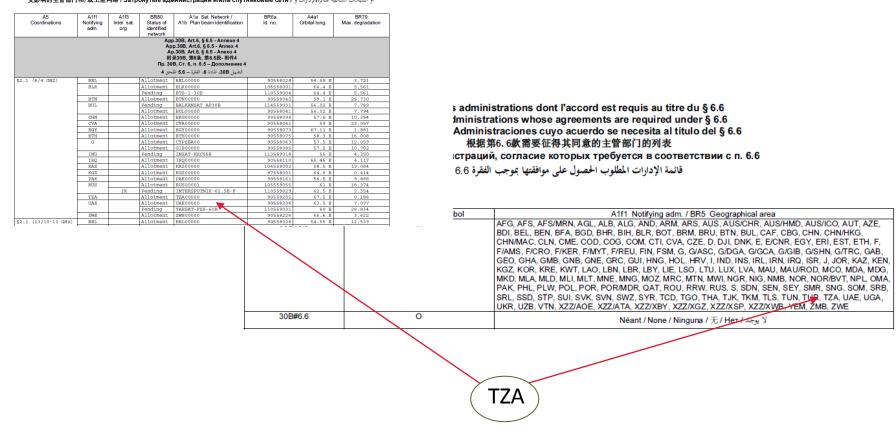


For NOTIF ADM → checking TSUM, findings, exam results, BR Notes...

For AFFECTED ADM → is my Adm identified as affected?

→ is my territory in the Service area...

Administrations et/ou réseaux à satellite affectés / Affected administrations and/or satellite networks / Administraciones y/o redes de satélite afectadas 受影响的主管部门和/或卫星网络 / Затронутые администрации и/или спутниковые сети أو الشبكات السائية للتأزيات و / المحالات السائية التأزيات و / المحالات السائية التأزيات و / المحالات السائية التأزيات و / كالمحالات المحالات المحالا

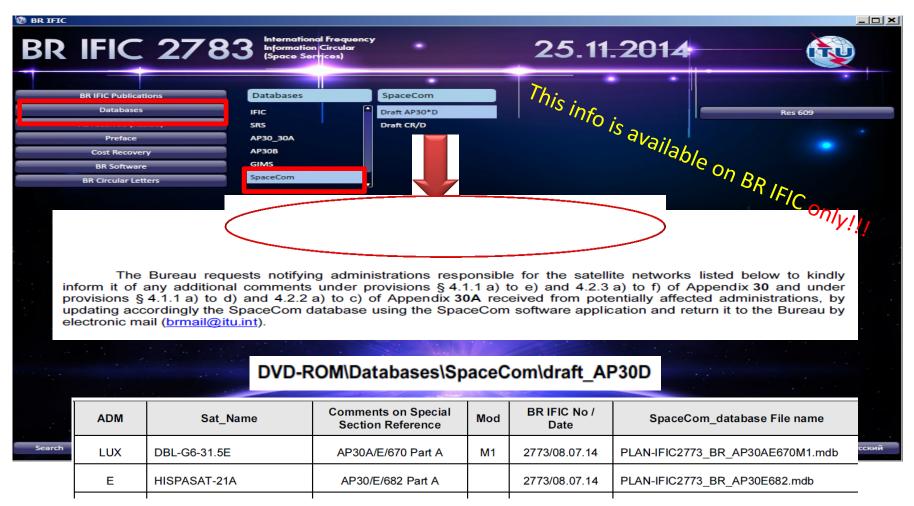


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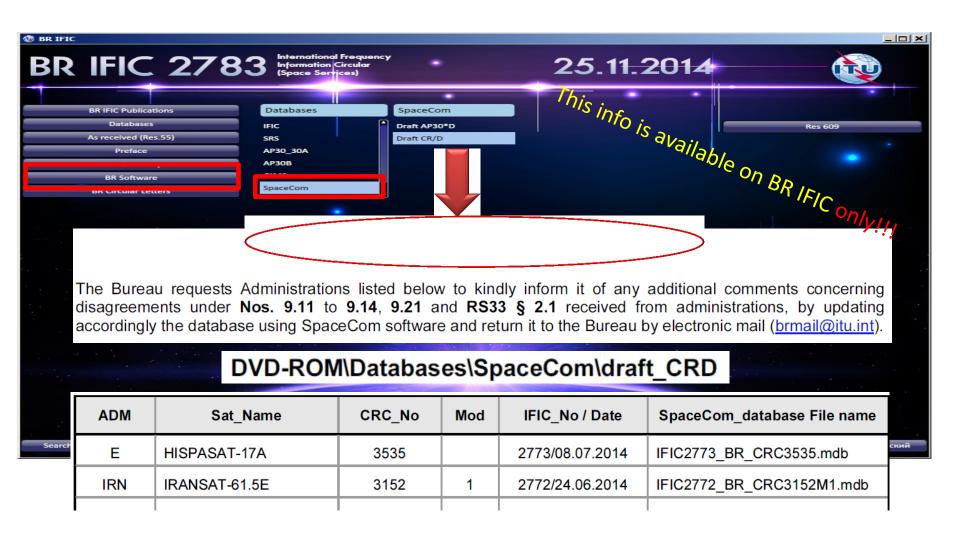
For NOTIF ADM → analyzing findings and identification for coordination process!

For AFFECTED ADM → Analyzing, COMMENTING, sending decision ...

Within 4 months!



For NOTIF ADM → Completing/Validating the draft List
For AFFECTED ADM → Checking your comments are included

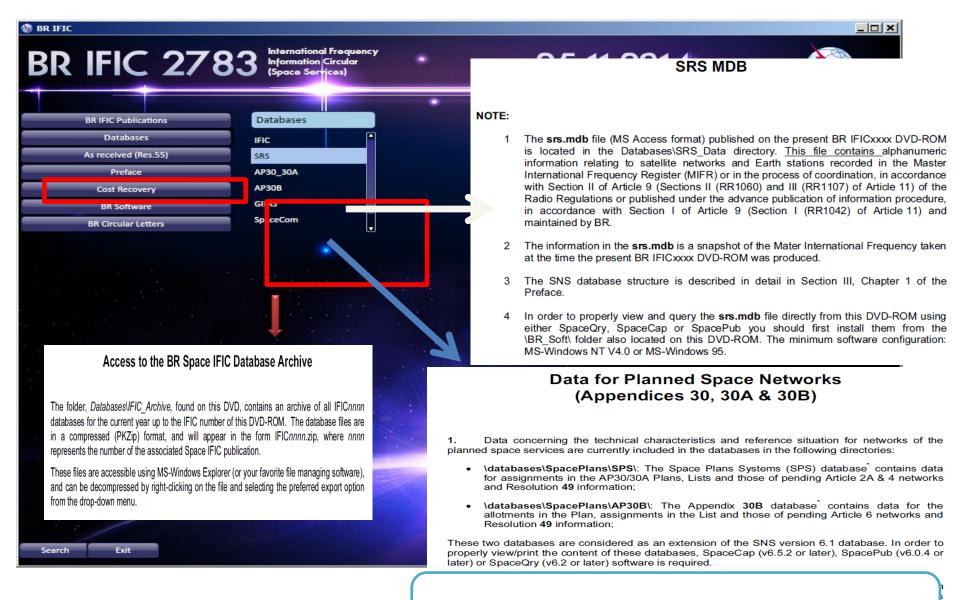


For NOTIF ADM → Completing/Validating the draft List
For AFFECTED ADM → Checking your comments are included



For NOTIF ADM → contacting ITU for payment...

For AFFECTED ADM → for info only

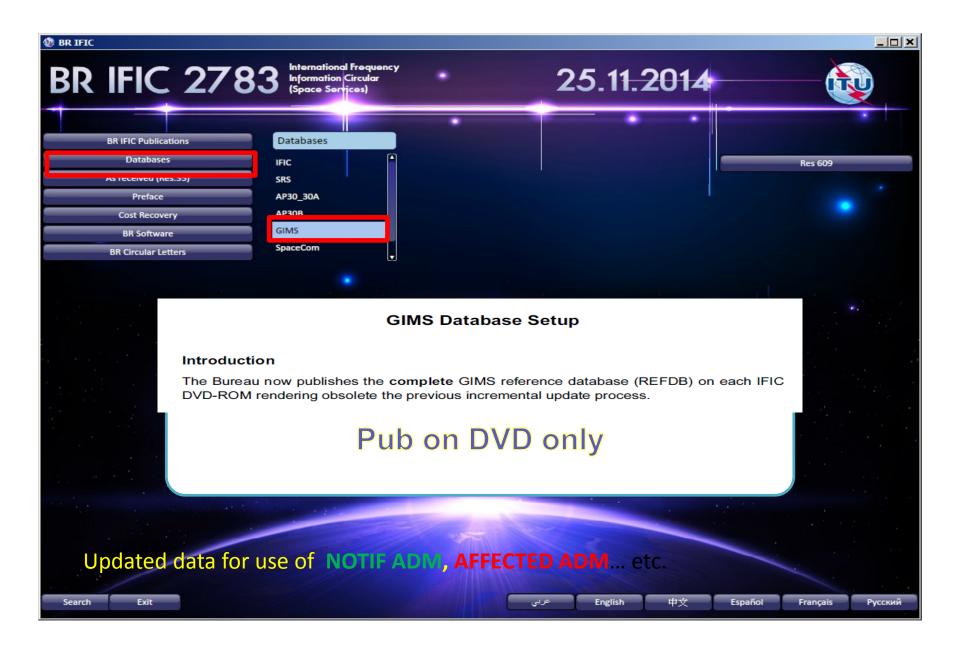


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Recommended actions:

For NOTIF ADM / AFFECTED ADM

→ Updating Database & checking detailed examinations results



Distributed in the BRIFIC DVD is the **Preface** (Space Services) in **six** languages (English, French, Spanish, Arabic, Chinese and Russian) or download it from:

http://www.itu.int/ITU-R/go/space-preface/en



Radiocommunication Sector (ITU-R)

RADIOCOMMUNICATION BUREAU

PREFACE

TO THE BR INTERNATIONAL FREQUENCY INFORMATION CIRCULAR BR IFIC (Space Services)

Contains 4 Sections

- Section I General
- Section II Description of the BR IFIC and the Space Radiocommunication Stations (SRS)
- Section III Description of the Space Networks System (SNS)
- Section IV Reference Tables

SECTION II - Description of the BR IFIC and the Space Radiocommunication Stations (SRS) on DVD

- Chapter 1 BR IFIC (Space Services)
 - Definition of the BR IFIC
 - Part I-S, Part II-S and Part III-S
 - Appendix and Annex to the BR IFIC
 - The Special Sections currently in use
 - The Special Sections discontinued
- Chapter 2 Cover pages of the Part I-S, II-S, III-S and the Special Sections currently in use
- Chapter 3 SRS description

SECTION III - Space Networks System (SNS)

 Chapter 1 - Details relating to the contents of the SNS data items published in Part I-S, II-S, III-S and the Special Sections of the BR IFIC

SECTION IV - Reference Tables

- Table 1A Codes Designating Notifying Administrations
- Table 1B Codes Designating Countries or Geographical Areas
- Table 2 Intergovernmental satellite organizations
- Table 3 Class of Station (data item C4a)
- Table 4 Nature of Service (data item C4b)
- Table 5 Symbols used to indicate the polarization (data item *C6a*)
- Table 6 Radio astronomy station antenna characteristics (data item B6)

SECTION IV - Reference Tables continues

- Table 7 Antenna radiation reference pattern (data item *B3e/B4a/B4b* or *B5c2* or *C10c4a*)
- Tables 8 10 Numbers not used
- Table 11A Symbols used for coordination and agreement (data item A5/A6) (coordination phase)
- Table 11B Symbols used for coordination and agreement (data item A5/A6) (notification phase)
- Table 12A/12B Responsible administrations (data item *A3b*), operating agencies (data item *A3a*) and postal and telegraphic addresses of the administrations responsible for the stations

SECTION IV - Reference Tables continues

- Table 13A1 Finding reference Conformity with the Radio Regulations - symbols used in column 13A1
- Table 13A2 Finding reference Conformity with the procedures relating to coordination with other administrations or conformity with a Plan (world or regional) - symbols used in column 13A2
- Table 13A3 Finding reference Technical examination symbols used in column 13A3
- Table 13A4 Finding reference Conformity with RES-49 symbols used in column 13A4

SECTION IV - Reference Tables continues

- Table 13B1 Reference to a provision of the Radio Regulations or an Appendix thereto, or a Resolution of a World Radio Conference or a Regional Agreement - symbols used in column 13B1
- Table 13B2 Remarks concerning Findings symbols used in column 13B2
- Table 13B3 Date relating to a review to be made symbols used in column 13B3
- Table 13C Remarks symbols used in column 13C

Questions?

BRIFIC (space services) website:

http://www.itu.int/en/ITU-R/space/Pages/brificMain.aspx

