

Recommendation T/R 01-02 (Interlaken 1968, revised at The Hague 1971)

MONITORING OF EMISSIONS WHERE SPACE-SERVICE STATIONS ARE INVOLVED

Recommendation proposed by the "Radiocommunications" Working Group T/WG 3 (R)

Text of the Recommendation adopted by the "Telecommunications" Commission:

"The European Conference of Postal and Telecommunications Administrations,

considering

that the introduction of space services may require an extension of national monitoring services to assist in cases of harmful interference where space stations are involved,

taking into account

1. that in view of the limited spectrum resource available, an increase in the number of space stations could lead to growing interference problems, both between space services and between space and earth services,
2. that the European network of monitoring stations should not normally be required to make checks upon installations owned/operated by INTELSAT, which already has adequate facilities for this purpose,
3. that European satellite systems should include, for operational purposes, installations for control and monitoring of their own emissions,

recommends

- (a) that the task of monitoring should be carried out by central national offices with their own checking stations and that, in consequence, no joint European monitoring centres need to be created,
- (b) that the European network of monitoring stations should establish liaison with the INTELSAT monitoring stations wherever necessary, particularly with a view to locating sources of harmful interference,
- (c) that the European network should play the same role as outlined in (b) above, in respect of European satellite systems,
- (d) that monitoring stations, as far as possible, should co-operate in cases of interference involving stations in the space service,
- (e) that Administrations with facilities for assisting in resolving cases of harmful interference where stations in the space service are involved should forward information on their available facilities to all CEPT member Administrations,
- f) that the principles of Article 20 of the Radio Regulations regarding exchange of information on measures taken shall be fully applied in the case of checks on space service emissions."