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| Attachement 5.5 to Document 5D/530  (Source: Document 5D/TEMP/255(Rev.1)) |  |
| **21 February 2017** |
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| Liaison statement to external organizations[[1]](#footnote-1) on the schedule for updating recommendation ITU-R M.1457 to revision 14 | |
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Introduction

ITU-R Working Party 5D (WP 5D) thanks the relevant External Organizations for their successful work in regards to the course of action to be taken towards the completion of Revision 13 of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457 – “*Detailed specifications of the terrestrial radio interfaces of International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)”* which was sent to Study Group 5 and will be available as a published ITU-R Recommendation.

WP 5D wishes to inform the relevant External Organizations that it is commencing the cycle for the development of the Revision 14 update of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457 and provides its detailed schedule.

Background

This liaison provides guidance to External Organizations regarding updates of the terrestrial radio interfaces in the development of Revision 14 of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457 “*Detailed specifications of the terrestrial radio interfaces of International Mobile Telecommunications-2000 (IMT-2000)”.*

Confirmed meeting dates of WP 5D for 2017 and 2018 will be published on the ITU website (<http://www.itu.int/events/upcomingevents.asp?sector=ITU-R&lang=en>).

Procedure

The procedure outlined in Document [IMT-2000/3(Rev.2)](http://www.itu.int/md/R12-IMT.2000-C-0003/en) “*Procedure for the development of draft revisions**of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457”* applies to the development of Revision 14.

Schedule

For the Revision 14 update of RecommendationITU-R M.1457 a completion date of the WP 5D meeting #31, currently planned for October 2018, has been chosen.

WP 5D announces that the first formal meeting in the meeting cycle (“Meeting X”) of the update development of Revision 14 of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457 will be WP 5D meeting #27, which is scheduled for 13-21 June 2017. It should be noted that the contribution deadline for WP 5D meeting #27 is also the cut-off date for the submission of new candidate RIT and SRIT proposals for inclusion in Revision 14.

The detailed timeline for the Revision 14 update of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457 which accommodates the currently planned/anticipated schedule of meetings for WP 5D and Study Group 5 through the 2017 and 2018 time frame and some milestone activities/actions may be found in Document [IMT-2000/7](https://www.itu.int/md/R12-IMT.2000-C-0007/en) “*Schedule for the Revision 14 Update of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457”.*

The dates in Document IMT-2000/7 were developed considering not only the WP 5D and Study Group 5 dates but also with a view towards coordinating with the understood planned dates of the relevant External Organizations to the extent they were known.

Some adjustment of these dates might be required to accommodate availability of facilities at specific venues in conjunction with the scheduling of the ITU-R WP 5D and Study Group 5 meetings. Every effort will be made to keep these dates as listed. Please check the ITU website in case meeting details have changed (<http://www.itu.int/events/monthlyagenda.asp?lang=en>).

As appropriate Document IMT-2000/7 will be updated to accommodate such date changes and further correspondence with the External Organization could be forthcoming throughout the update cycle as warranted by the circumstances.

External Organizations are encouraged to consult the ITU-R IMT-2000 web page (<http://www.itu.int/md/R12-IMT.2000-C>) which may be updated dynamically to provide additional information.

Working Party 5D looks forward to the continued cooperation with the External Organizations in the on-going work on the IMT-2000 terrestrial radio interfaces.

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1. Including currently identified ***GCS Proponents*** and ***Transposing Organizations*** for Recommendation ITU-R M.1457.  
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