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Abstract

This document summarizes the status of ongoing consultations and IEEE 802.18 documents required for approval.

**Status of ongoing consultations as of 6 March 2024**

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| Regulatory authority, consultation | Submission deadline /  802.18 approval | Document(s) for approval | Current status |
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| Norway Nkom  [Consultation on future use of free resources in the frequency band 87.5-108 MHz](https://nkom.no/hoeringer/horing-om-fremtidig-bruk-av-ledige-ressurser-i-frekvensbandet-87-5-108-mhz) | 20 March 2024 /  12 March 2024 | N/A | * Awaiting any IEEE 802 LMSC submission. |
| Brazil ANATEL  [Granting Subsidy on the demand for radiofrequency spectrum in Brazil](https://apps.anatel.gov.br/ParticipaAnatel/VisualizarTextoConsulta.aspx?TelaDeOrigem=2&ConsultaId=20211) | 25 March 2024 /  14 March 2024 | N/A | * Awaiting any IEEE 802 LMSC submission. |
| USA FCC  [6 GHz Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2024/02/26/2023-28620/unlicensed-use-of-the-6-ghz-band-and-expanding-flexible-use-in-mid-band-spectrum-between-37-and-24) | 27 March 2024 /  14 March 2024 | N/A | * Contribution, [18-24/0007](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/documents?is_dcn=7&is_group=0000&is_year=2024), is under reivew. |
| Canada RABC  [RSS-295 Issue 1: Licence-Exempt Radio Apparatus Operating in the Frequency Bands 116-123 GHz, 174.8-182 GHz, 185-190 GHz and 244-246 GHz](https://www.rabc-cccr.ca/ised-radio-standards-specification-rss-295-issue-1-licence-exempt-radio-apparatus-operating-in-the-frequency-bands-116-123-ghz-174-8-182-ghz-185-190-ghz-and-244-246-ghz/) | 5 April 2024 /  21 March 2024 | N/A | * Awaiting any IEEE 802 LMSC submission. |
| Thailand NBTC  [Draft amendment to technical standards for telecommunications equipment and equipment using the frequency 5.925 – 6.425 GHz](https://www.nbtc.go.th/News/publichearing/64952.aspx?lang=th-TH) | 1 May 2024 /  18 April 2024 | N/A | * Awaiting any IEEE 802 LMSC submission. |
| Canada RABC  [RSS-210 Issue 11: Licence-Exempt Radio Apparatus: Category I Equipment](https://www.rabc-cccr.ca/ised-radio-standards-specification-rss-210-issue-11-february-2024-licence-exempt-radio-apparatus-category-i-equipment/) | 3 May 2024 /  18 April 2024 | N/A | * Awaiting any IEEE 802 LMSC submission. |

**Status of closed consultations as of 6 March 2024**

| Regulatory authority, consultation | Submission deadline /  802.18 approval | Document(s) submitted | Current status |
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| Brazil ANATEL  [Automated Frequency Coordination System (5.925-7.125 MHz band)](https://apps.anatel.gov.br/ParticipaAnatel/VisualizarTextoConsulta.aspx?TelaDeOrigem=2&ConsultaId=10088) | 24 February 2023 (extended) / 9 February 2023 (revised) | N/A | * No IEEE 802 LMSC submission. * [Received comments](https://apps.anatel.gov.br/ParticipaAnatel/RelContribuicoesConsultas.aspx?ControleProcesso=10088&TelaAnterior=1) posted online. * Awaiting decision. |
| China MIIT  [Proposed abolition of two normative documents re: 40-50 GHz band](https://www.miit.gov.cn/gzcy/yjzj/art/2023/art_e6287c7e461349d8893e57c6cd9e4457.html) | 9 September 2023 / 31 August 2023 | [18-23/0098r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0098-04-0000-draft-response-to-china-miit-s-consultation-on-the-proposed-abolition-of-two-normative-documents-re-40-50-ghz-band.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0099-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-31-august-2023.pptx) the document on 31 August 2023. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/23/ec-23-0164-01-00EC-05-sept-2023-802-ec-monthly-teleconference-minutes.pdf) the document on 5 September 2023. * Awaiting decision. |
| Colombia ANE  [6 GHz band coexistence study](https://www.ane.gov.co/SitePages/det-noticias.aspx?p=474) | 29 January 2024 / 17 January 2024 | [18-24/0006r8](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0006-08-0000-proposed-response-to-colombia-ane-s-consultation-on-6-ghz-band-coexistence-study.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0142-04-0000-2024-january-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 18 January 2024. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg29066.html) the document on 28 January 2024. * Awaiting decision. |
| Czech Republic CTU  [Call for comments on the update of the Radio Spectrum Management Strategy](https://www.ctu.eu/call-comments-update-radio-spectrum-management-strategy) | 31 August 2023 / 17 August 2023 | [18-23/0094r11](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0094-11-0000-draft-response-czech-spectrum-strategy-consultation.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0095-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-24-august-2023.pptx) the document on 24 August 2023. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/23/ec-23-0164-01-00EC-05-sept-2023-802-ec-monthly-teleconference-minutes.pdf) the document on 5 September 2023. * Awaiting decision. |
| European Commission RSPG  [Public consultation on RSPG Work Programme for 2024 and beyond](https://radio-spectrum-policy-group.ec.europa.eu/system/files/2023-10/RSPG23-045final-Draft_RSPG_WP24_and_beyond_proposal.pdf) | 15 December 2023 / 30 November 2023 | [18-23/0134r6](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0134-06-0000-draft-response-to-rspg-s-consultation-on-work-programme-for-2024-and-beyond.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0137-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-7-december-2023.pptx) the document on 7 December 2023. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg28986.html) the document on 21 December 2023. * [Received comments](https://radio-spectrum-policy-group.ec.europa.eu/document/download/f26f0a85-4bfc-4855-b45d-effef04cc4cc_en?filename=responses-PC-WP24-25.zip) posted online. * Awaiting decision. |
| France Arcep  [Preparing for the future of mobile networks](http://www.arcep.fr/actualites/les-communiques-de-presse/detail/n/frequences-230522.html) | 23 September 2022 /  8 September 2022 | [18-22/0111r7](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/22/18-22-0111-07-0000-proposed-response-to-france-arcep-on-preparing-for-the-future-of-mobile-networks.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/22/18-22-0109-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-8-september-2022.pptx) the document on 8 September 2022. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg27630.html) the document on 23 September 2022. * [Received comments](https://www.arcep.fr/actualites/les-consultations-publiques/p/gp/detail/preparer-le-futur-des-reseaux-mobiles-230522.html) posted on 19 December 2022. * Awaiting decision. |
| India TRAI  [Consultation Paper on Open and De-licensed use of Unused or Limited Used Spectrum Bands for Demand Generation for Limited Period in Tera Hertz Range](https://www.trai.gov.in/sites/default/files/CP_27092023_0.pdf) | Comments due:  29 November 2023 (extended) /  2 November 2023  Reply comments due:  13 December 2023 (extended) / 30 November 2023 | [18-23/0124r9](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0124-09-0000-draft-response-to-india-trai-s-consultation-re-terahertz.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0127-01-0000-rr-tag-agenda-9-november-2023.pptx) the document on 9 November 2023. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/23/ec-23-0180-00-00EC-nov-2023-plenary-802-ec-opening-mtg-minutes.pdf) the document on 13 November 2023. * [Received comments](https://www.trai.gov.in/consultation-paper-open-and-de-licensed-use-unused-or-limited-used-spectrum-bands-demand-generation) posted online. * Awaiting decision. |
| UK Ofcom  [Ofcom’s proposed Plan of Work 2024/25](https://www.ofcom.org.uk/consultations-and-statements/category-2/ofcoms-proposed-plan-of-work-2024-25) | 9 February 2024 / 25 January 2024 | N/A | * No IEEE 802 LMSC submission. * Awaiting decision. |
| USA FCC  [NoI: Advancing Understanding of Non-Federal Spectrum Usage (WT Docket No. 23-232)](https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-23-63A1.pdf) | Comments due:  3 October 2023 /  12 September 2023  Reply comments due:  2 November 2023 / 19 October 2023 | N/A | * No IEEE 802 LMSC submission. * Filings are posted in the [FCC ECFS](https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/search/search-filings/results?proceedings_name=23-232). * Awaiting decision. |
| USA FCC  [NPRM: Cybersecurity Labeling for Internet of Things (PS Docket No. 23-239)](https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2023/08/25/2023-18357/cybersecurity-labeling-for-internet-of-things) | Comments due:  6 October 2023 /  25 September 2023  Reply comments due:  10 November 2023 / 2 November 2023 | [18-23/0110r9](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0110-09-0000-proposed-comment-to-fcc-nprm-cybersecurity-labeling-for-internet-of-things.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/23/18-23-0109-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-28-september-2023.pptx) the document on 12 September 2023. * IEEE 802 EC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/23/ec-23-0176-01-00EC-03-oct-2023-802-ec-monthly-teleconference-minutes.pdf) the document on 4 October 2023. * Filings are posted in the [FCC ECFS](https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/search/search-filings/results?proceedings_name=23-239). * Awaiting decision. |
| USA NTIA  [Notice of National Spectrum Strategy Implementation Plan Request for Input](https://www.ntia.gov/federal-register-notice/2023/notice-national-spectrum-strategy-implementation-plan-request-input) | 2 January 2024 / 14 December 2023 | N/A | * No IEEE 802 LMSC submission. * Filings are posted [online](https://www.ntia.gov/issues/national-spectrum-strategy/stakeholder-engagement/received-comments/implementation-comments). * Awaiting decision. |

**Revision history**

| Revision | Date | Description |
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| 0 | 1 January 2024 | Initial version  NOTE – Please refer to [18-22/0035](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/documents?is_dcn=35&is_group=0000&is_year=2022) for the activities between March 2022 and December 2023. |
| 1 | 7 January 2024 | Added a new consultation from Colombia’s Agencia Nacional del Espectro (ANE). |
| 2 | 19 January 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 3 | 1 February 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 4 | 12 February 2024 | Added a new consultation from Norway Nkom.  Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 5 | 27 February 2024 | Added new consultations from Brazil ANATEL and Canada RABC.  Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 6 | 6 March 2024 | Added a new consultation from Thailand NBTC.  Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |