

ASIA-PACIFIC TELECOMMUNITY

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Ref: APT/2018/AWG-23/CL-4 30 April 2018

Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Circulation of the new Draft APT Recommendations Developed at the 23rd Meeting of the APT Wireless Group (AWG-23)

I would like to refer to the 23rd Meeting of the APT Wireless Group (AWG-23) which was held from 9 to 13 April 2018 in Da Nang, Viet Nam. AWG-23 reconsidered the two following Draft APT Recommendations:

- 1. Draft APT Recommendation on Licensed Shared Access (LSA); and
- 2. Draft APT Recommendation on Frequency Arrangement in the Range 694-894 MHz for Broadband Public Protection and Disaster Relief (PPDR)

The above two Draft Recommendations were developed during AWG-21 and circulated to members for adoption. However, they did not get sufficient endorsement and AWG-23 decided to recirculate these Recommendations. Please note that the texts on Draft APT Recommendation on *Licensed Shared Access (LSA)* has been modified whereas the texts on Draft APT Recommendation on *Frequency Arrangement in the Range 694-894 MHz for Broadband Public Protection and Disaster Relief (PPDR)* remains unchanged.

According to Section 3.2 "Criteria for APT Recommendation" of the APT Documents Framework approved by the 35th Session of the Management Committee of the APT in 2011, the APT Secretariat shall circulate to APT Members all draft documents proposed for adoption. Following the consultation period, the Recommendation shall be considered adopted and will be submitted to the Management Committee for approval if the specified conditions are met.

In this connection, I would like to request your Administration to review the attached Draft APT Recommendations in accordance with Section 3.2 of APT Documents Framework. Once the criteria mentioned in Section 3.2.2 are met, the Draft Recommendations will be submitted to the 42nd Session of the Management Committee of the APT for approval. Please fill in the attached "APT Recommendation Adoption Form" and submit it to the APT Secretariat preferably by e-mail to aptawg@apt.int or fax: +66 2 5737479 by 4 June 2018.

I thank you in advance for your cooperation and look forward to your timely response.

Yours sincerely,

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Encls: Two Draft APT Recommendations as stated, and APT Recommendation Adoption Form

To: APT Members