

ASIA-PACIFIC TELECOMMUNITY

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Dear Sir/Madam,

## Subject: Treatment of APT View on regulatory provisions that could apply to Earth Stations on Mobile Platforms

As you may recall the 5<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the APT Conference Preparatory Group (APG15-5) was held successfully from 27 July to 1 August 2015 in Seoul, Republic of Korea. The Meeting developed and approved an APT View on 'Regulatory provisions that could apply to Earth Stations on Mobile Platforms'. The Meeting asked the APT Secretary General to submit this view to the Director of ITU Radiocommunication Bureau and request him to bring this APT View to the attention of WRC-15 by including it into the Director's Report to WRC-15.

Based on the decision taken at APG15-5, myself in conjunction with Chairman of APG and Chairman of the Editorial Committee communicated with the Director of ITU Radiocommunication Bureau. The Director advised that under the existing procedure, it would not be possible for him to include APT View into the Director's Report to WRC-15. However, Bureau suggested that being a Sector Member of the Union, the APT would be able to submit Information Paper to WRC-15.

Considering the advice from the ITU Radiocommunication Bureau, myself in consultation with Chairman of APG decided to submit the document as an Information Paper to WRC-15. It is now available as an Information Paper in WRC-15 Document Number 29. Please be informed that according to the provisions in ITU Conventions, the APT will be able to participate in an advisory capacity when the document is being considered at the Conference.

Yours sincerely,

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To: APT Members