

RESOLUTION PCC.III/RES.8 (II-95)

HARMONIZATION OF FREQUENCY USAGE AND PROCEDURES IN THE AMERICAS

The Second Meeting of Permanent Consultative Committee III: Radiocommunications,

CONSIDERING:

- 1) That CITEL is the regional telecommunications body with the broadest participation and representation of countries in the American Continent;
- 2) That CITEL is the ideal body for discussion and implementation of telecommunications issues and ideas which are common to a number of its Members;
- 3) That CITEL will be strengthened as it helps Members in better understanding its problems and fostering Regional cooperation for solving them;
- 4) That the rapid and continuous development of telecommunications call for more and diversified equipment to satisfy user's needs;

RECOGNIZING:

- 1) That telecommunications is an efficient instrument to integrate the Region;

CONSIDERING FURTHER:

- 1) That similar procedures for equipment certification among the several CITEL Members will accelerate introduction of new services and improve existing ones;
- 2) That the use of similar philosophies in the organization and provision of services will foster Regional development and integration,

RESOLVES:

- 1) To invite all CITEL participants to submit to the next PCC.III Meeting ideas/proposals to facilitate/simplify equipment certification in the Region, including considerations on common procedures and the possibility of promoting multilateral agreements whereby certification of certain types of equipment in one country can be recognized/accepted in others; in conducting these activities PCC.III should work in coordination with PCC.I, in order to avoid duplication of efforts.
- 2) To invite all CITEL participants to share their experiences of the concept of itinerant frequencies and its application, with an aim of eventually harmonizing frequencies and procedures in the Region.

NOTE: Itinerant frequencies are, for example, those used by road construction companies that move as the construction of the road progresses; the use of the frequencies are permitted in the road region during the time of the construction, without need for new licenses or permissions as the construction progresses and the base station moves.

3) To invite all CITEL participants to share their experiences of the TRUCKING services in the bands of 800 and 900 MHz, including experience with channel plans, use for private and public services, reserves for public safety, etc., and consider the possibility of eventually harmonizing frequency usage and procedures.

4) To invite all CITEL participants to share their plans and ideas regarding the regulation and implementation of the Narrow-Band PCS services, below 1 Ghz, and consider the possibility of eventually harmonizing frequency usage and procedures.

5) PCC.III will work in coordination with PCC.I for purposes of avoiding duplication and identifying issues of common interest concerning equipment certification.

INSTRUCTS:

The Executive Secretary of CITEL to bring this Resolution to the attention of all Members of PCC.III, urging them to participate in the processes referred to in Resolves 1), 2), 3) and 4. above.