

Director General, Engineering
Planning and Standards Branch (JETN, Room 1943B)
Industry Canada
235 Queen Street
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0H5

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Re: Canada Gazette, Part I, June 29, 2013, Notice Ref. No. SMSE-004-13: Consultation on Proposed Revisions to the Canadian Table of Frequency Allocations

At its September 3, 2013 meeting, the 17 members of the West Carleton Amateur Radio Club voted to submit to Industry Canada the following comments regarding the above cited notice, specifically those sections concerning the Amateur Service.

B1 (AI 1.15) - Radiolocation Service Allocations for Oceanographic Radar Applications in the 3 to 50 MHz Range:

Concerning 5250-5450kHz, the Club opposes this revision as it omits any reference to an Amateur Service allocation in this band. This is a matter which was the subject of a previous consultation in May, 2012 (Gazette Notice SMSE-010-12) on which Industry Canada has taken no action. The Club urges the inclusion of the Amateur Service as a secondary service in this band.

B3 (AI 1.23) - Secondary Amateur Allocation in the 415 to 526.5 kHz Range:

The Club supports the revision as presented in the consultation paper.

**F2 - Other Footnotes Modified at WRC-12 and Relevant to the Canadian Table
MOD 5.142:**

The Club supports the revised wording.

Sincerely,

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