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By ~~JACOARE~~ Date 25-11-99

SGM-852-55

29 November 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN, EUROPEAN RADIO FREQUENCY AGENCY

SUBJECT: Frequency Allocation Plan for the 225-400 Mc/s Band

References: a. S.G. 55/11, with Corrigendum
b. Belgian Mil Rep ltr No. 283 of 23 Jun 55

1. Attached is a copy of S.G. 55/11, with Corrigendum, which has been prepared by the Standing Group. This paper has been circulated to all Member Nations under reference MRM-67-55 for their comment before final approval. All Nations agree to the Standing Group paper with the exception of Belgium who has submitted the comment attached at Enclosure "B".

2. The Standing Group is most anxious for S.G. 55/11 to be issued as soon as possible.

3. The purpose of S.G. 55/11 is to show the plan for the allocation of the band 225-400 Mc/s and it is undesirable, therefore, to insert more reservations in the remarks column than are absolutely necessary. Such reservations as are at present included indicate only temporary usage of the band.

4. It is requested that you will consider this matter in ERFA with a view to overcoming the Belgian objections to the issue of S.G. 55/11.

FOR THE STANDING GROUP:

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C. H. Sampson
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Deputy Secretary

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(Encl "A" to ERFA only)

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ENCLOSURE "B"

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NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION
BELGIAN MILITARY REPRESENTATIVE

Washington D.C.
23 June 1955

No. 283

Major General A. E. L. Bigwood
Military Representative

to

The Standing Group
Pentagon

SUBJECT: Plan for Allocating Frequencies - 225-400 Mc Band

REFERENCE: MRM-67-55 dated 16 May 1955

1.- I have the honor to inform you of certain comments by the Belgian authorities concerning the document cited in reference.

2.- The Belgian authorities feel that this Plan does not fully take into account the changes set forth in corrigendum of 5 January 1955 to SGM-1321-53, nor of the changes requested by my No. 119 of 11 March 1955.

3.- Consequently they feel that they are unable to approve MRM-67-55 in its present form.

4.- They propose the following changes:

- a. Appendix to Enclosure "B", pages 4 and 5:
In the column of remarks concerning set bands.

225 - 300
300.2 - 328.4
335.6 - 364.2
364.4 - 378.6
378.8 - 385.6
385.8 - 400

Add the following general remark (proposed English text):

"In Belgium military multi-channel radio relays will operate in this band mainly for 'tactical communications'."

- b. Annex to Enclosure "B", page 4"
Add at an appropriate place: "280-328.6 Mc's" followed by the general remark given above.

- c. Annex to Enclosure "B", page 5:
Replace the text appearing twice - the remark column under titles 325.4 - 420 Mc's by the text of the remark in a. above.

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5.- The Belgian authorities emphasize the importance in the remarks of the words "Multi-Channel" which are regarded as indispensable.

FOR: A.E.L. BIGWOOD
Major-General

BY: Colonel BEM Baron del Marmol

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Enclosure "B"

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