

WRC-2003 Advisory Committee

IWG-7

DRAFT PRELIMINARY VIEWS ON WRC-03

WRC-2003 Agenda Item 1.1: requests from administrations to delete their country footnotes or to have their country footnotes deleted from footnotes, if no longer required, in accordance with Resolution **26 (Rev. WRC-97)**;

ISSUE: Deletion [or addition] of country names from [or to] existing country Footnotes to the Table of Frequency Allocations in Article **S5** of the Radio Regulations

BACKGROUND: Resolution **26 (Rev.WRC-97)** urges administrations to review footnotes periodically and to propose the deletion of their country footnotes or of their country names from footnotes, as appropriate.

In addition to the usual deletion of names from country footnotes called for under Resolution 26 (Rev.WRC-97) and standing Agenda Item 1.1, WRC-2000 allowed for consideration of proposals for the addition of country names to existing footnotes submitted by a firm deadline during the Conference. WRC-2000 disallowed consideration of proposals for new country footnotes.

U.S. VIEW: In dealing with this agenda item, WRC-2003 should follow the precepts of Resolution 26 and, if appropriate, the approach used at WRC-2000 in regard to addition of names to country footnotes (See WRC-2000 Document 299, attached).



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**Note from the Chairperson of the Conference to the
Chairperson of Committee 4**

ADDITION OF COUNTRY NAMES TO FOOTNOTES

The third Plenary Meeting agreed that requests to add country names to existing footnotes may be considered in accordance with Resolution 26 (Rev.WRC-97) on the basis that there are no objections from countries that may be affected. Such requests must be submitted within a deadline of 12 noon (Istanbul time) Monday, 22 May 2000.

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