WRC-03 ADVISORY COMMITTEE Informal Working Group 6

WORK PROGRAM

IWG Public Protection and Other Issues

The Elements of the Work Program are:

- 1. The working group will review the agenda for WRC-03, in particular its agenda items 1.2, 1.3, 1.7, 1.7.1, 1.7.2, 1.7.3, 1.12, 1.23, 1.36, and 1.38 with a view to recommending to the Advisory Committee, relevant U.S. proposals for the 2003 World Radiocommunication Conference.
- 2. The working group will coordinate its work among the U.S. government agencies and U.S. private industry parties with interests in the recommendations being developed.
- 3. The working group will take into account the work underway in other domestic or international fora preparing for WRC-03, including ITU-R Sector Study Groups, Working Parties, Task Groups, Joint Working Parties, and the CPM; CITEL Permanent Coordinating Committees; CEPT; ICAO; IMO; and other established groups developing either proposals for, or supporting positions for the WRC-03.
- 4. The working group will closely coordinate with all other Informal Working Groups, Ad Hoc Groups, and the Committee as a Whole, to ensure no overlap of work and that all items on the established WRC-03 agenda are considered. All issues that have impact on regulatory/procedural matters shall be coordinated with IWG-7.
- 5. The working group, in collaboration with the Advisory Committee, will reassess its work program in the event any changes are made by the ITU Council to the WRC-03 agenda to ensure that all appropriate U.S. proposals for the 2003 conference are developed.
- 6. After U.S. proposals are drafted by the IWG, a range of positions for use in negotiating the proposals shall be developed. Recommendations for proposals and positions shall be supported and justified by narrative text, as appropriate.
- 7. A strategy for gaining international acceptance of U.S. proposals shall be developed.
- 8. As WRC-03 proposals or comments relevant to the IWG-6 work program are received or are made available from international organizations and countries, or groups of countries, the IWG shall discuss and develop U.S. positions on them for use in bilateral discussions or negotiations, as appropriate.

- 9. Reports shall be made to the Committee as scheduled and required.
- 10. IWG-6 shall make recommended changes, additions or deletions to IWG-7 concerning Resolution **801 (WRC-2000)** *Preliminary Agenda for the 2005/2006 World Radiocommunication Conference.*