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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>SWITZERLAND</u>

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible: Federal Office of Communications

Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:

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- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Telecommunication equipment, radio equipment and telecommunication terminal equipment
- 5. **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft revision of the Ordinance of the Swiss Federal Office of Communications on telecommunications installations (OOIT) (2 page(s), in German; 2 page(s), in French; 2 page(s), in Italian)
- 6. **Description of content:** The Ordinance of the Swiss Federal Office of Communications on telecommunications installations (OOIT) specifies the basic technical requirements with regards to telecommunications installations set out by the Swiss Federal Council. It regulates the use of radio interfaces in Switzerland.

For legal reasons, the version of each RIR was increased by 1. Nothing has changed in content except for the following RIRs:

Due to the replacement of ADS-95, 2 sub-bands of RIRO203-11 will be adjusted (new: 2170 - 2200 MHz and 2200 - 2400 MHz old: 2170 - 2208 MHz and 2290 - 2400 MHz).

Due to changes in ECC/DEC/(08)01 and EN 302 571, the frequency range of the RIR0510-01 will be extended to 5875 - 5925 MHz and the occupied bandwidth as well as the scope will be adapted.

Due to changes in ECC/DEC/(08)01 the RIR0510-03 in the frequency range of 5905 - 5925 MHz will be deleted and the corresponding applications will be covered by the RIR0510-01.

A new RIR0808-20 in the frequency range of 1980 - 2010 MHz will be created for the Mobile Satellite Service (MSS) to be used as Aircraft Earth Station (AES).

The technical and administrative regulations (PTA5.2, PTA5.3, PTA5.4) which apply to mobile jammers, fixed jammers, and other special electronics intended to be operated by

authorities to safeguard public security have been adapted. For PTA5.2 the scope has been extended. For all PTA, an assistance/guidance was added on how to find an accredited testing laboratory. These regulations impose the requirements on the products in order to get a type approval.

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The OOIT has to be updated to follow the latest frequency management in Europe.; Harmonization; Other

8. Relevant documents:

- Ordinance of 26 May 2016 of the Swiss Federal Office of Communications on telecommunications installations (OOIT; RS 784.101.21), available in <u>French</u>, <u>German</u> and <u>Italian</u>.
- <u>DRAFT RIR0808-20</u> (new), <u>DRAFT RIR0510-03</u> (to be abrogated), <u>DRAFT RIR0203-11</u>, <u>DRAFT RIR0510-01</u> (to be amended)
- Link to all Draft RIR: https://www.ofcomnet.ch/#/rirs/drafts
- **9. Proposed date of adoption**: 1 January 2021

Proposed date of entry into force: 1 January 2021

- 10. Final date for comments: 20 December 2020
- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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