

GENERAL NOTICES • ALGEMENE KENNISGEWINGS

INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

NOTICE 980 OF 2017



PURSUANT TO SECTION 4 (1) OF THE ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS ACT 2005,
(ACT NO. 36 OF 2005)

HEREBY ISSUES A NOTICE REGARDING AN INVITATION FOR FURTHER COMMENTS
ON THE DRAFT RADIO FREQUENCY SPECTRUM ASSIGNMENT PLANS PUBLISHED
FOR CONSULTATION.

1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority"), hereby publishes a notice inviting further comments on the **Draft Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plans on Specific Services for consultation** in terms of sections 2 (d), (e) and 4, read with sections 30, 31(4), and 33 of the Electronic Communications Act (Act No. 36 of 2005) and read with Regulation 3 of the Radio Frequency Spectrum Regulations 2015 and read with the Frequency Migration Plan 2013.
2. The Authority in 2017, published the Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plans as illustrated below:

Item	Frequency Band	Gazette No.	Notice No.	Published	Closed
1.	75.2 to 87.5 MHz	41164	781 of 2017	06/10/2017	27/10/2017
2.	138 to 143.6 MHz	41164	785 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017
3.	150.5 to 153 MHz	41164	786 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017
4.	156.4785 to 156.5625 MHz			22/12/2017	26/01/2018
5.	380 to 400 MHz	41164	787 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017
6.	1518 to 1525 MHz	41164	784 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017
7.	2025 to 2110 MHz	41164	782 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017
8.	2285 to 2300 MHz	41164	783 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017

9.	440 to 441 MHz	41164	788 of 2017	06/10/2017	01/12/2017
10.	IMT850	41082	648 of 2017	01/09/2017	20/10/2017

3. Interested persons are hereby invited further to submit written representations and or supplementary comments, including an electronic version of the representation in Microsoft Word, of their views on the **Draft Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plan for Specific Services in accordance with the invitations in Notices 781 to 788 of 2017 and Notice 648 of 2017**, by later than 16h00 on Friday 26 January 2018.
4. Written representations or enquiries may be directed to:

The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa (ICASA)

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164 Katherine Street

South Africa

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Mr Manyapelo Richard Makgotlho

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5. All written representations submitted to the Authority pursuant to this notice shall be made available for inspection by interested persons from 31 January 2018 at the ICASA Library or website and copies of such representations and documents will be obtainable on payment of a fee.

Where persons making representations require that their representation, or part thereof, be treated confidentially, then an applications in terms of section 4D of the ICASA Act, 2000 (Act No. 13 of 2000) must be lodged with the Authority. Such an application must be submitted simultaneously with the representation on the draft regulations and plan. Respondents are requested to separate any confidential material into a clearly marked confidential annexure. If, however, the request for confidentiality is refused, the person making the request will be allowed to withdraw the representation or document in question.


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CHAIRPERSON