

**Draft agreement between
the National Post and Telecommunications Authorities of
Sweden and Norway
concerning the use of the frequency bands 890-915/935-
960 MHz south of 61°N**

Section 1 - Cancellation of previous agreement (1996)

The agreement between the National Post and Telecommunications Authorities of Sweden and Norway concerning the use of the frequency bands 890-915/935-960 MHz from 1996 shall not be valid south of 61°N from the date when this agreement comes into force.

Section 2 - Use of channels south of 61°N from dd.mm.yy.

The frequency band will not be divided into preferential frequencies and preferential frequency bands south of 61°N. Instead, the field strength of every single carrier produced by a base station shall be co-ordinated with the neighbouring country when the level exceeds **23 dB μ V/m** at the border, on the neighbouring countries territorial or in neighbouring waters.

The background for this is that operators do experience a need for more spectrum than already assigned through the agreement (1996). This can be obtained through detailed frequency planning directly among the operators concerned (section 3).

The operation of channels 120 - 124 is intended for cordless telephone system CT-1.

Section 3 - Delegation of responsibility of frequency co-ordination.

This agreement delegates the responsibility of frequency co-ordination to the operators concerned.

The operators should appoint a contact person who is responsible for the co-ordination, and provide the administrations with contact details.

The co-ordination should as far as possible be carried out without assistance from the administrations. When agreement is not reach assistance might be sought by the administrations.

Neither reporting of preliminary co-ordination results to the administrations nor final approval by administrations is required.

The background for this is to make the co-ordination process more time saving for the operators, by reducing their burden of reporting results from preliminary co-ordination to the administration, and to reduce the co-ordination burden for the administrations as well.

Section 4 - Interference

- 4.1 A complaint in case of interference shall be based on measurements of field strength. The median values of measurements performed at 1.5 m receiving antenna height should be used. The measurements shall be carried out on at least two different occasions on different days. The measurement area should cover a range of at least 100 m of the tangent of the wave propagation from an interfering base station.

- 4.2 Any case of interference should (as far as) possible be resolved among the operators concerned. If not resolved, or in case of unequal access to the frequency band (e. g. one operator being inhibited from planning coverage in a certain area) assistance might be sought by the administrations.

Section 5 - Revision and cancellation

- 5.1 This agreement may be revised or cancelled as desired by one of the administrations with a notice of one year.
- 5.2 In case this agreement is cancelled and a new one is not concluded, the co-ordination procedure will be based on CEPT Recommendation T/R 20-08.

This agreement shall come into force from dd.mm.yy.

This agreement has been drawn up in two identical copies, one for Sweden and one for Norway.

Oslo, dd.mm.yy

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