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Dear Thomas,

Chairmanship of CPG-15

I am writing in response to your call for nominations for the chairman of the Conference Preparatory Group for WRC-15.

The UK would like to nominate Steve Bond for chairmanship of CPG-15, a brief CV is attached to this letter.

Steve has been involved in international representation for the UK since 1994 during which time he has gained wide experience across a range of international spectrum issues, especially in CEPT and ITU-R including participation in three WRCs. He has held a number of key roles in the ECC family, starting as the secretary of WG SE and going on to chair a number of important SE project teams and one joint SE/FM project team. Steve has participated in ECC and CPG for many years, including being a CEPT co-ordinator for a major issue in WRC-03 and holding the vice-chairmanship of CPG for WRC-07 and WRC-12.

If Steve is selected to chair the CPG, Ofcom undertakes to provide all the necessary resources to enable him to carry out this role, including secretariat support. We have also put forward Steve as a possible Rapporteur of the RSPG Working Group that will be established to focus on preparations for WRC-15 from a European Union perspective.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation of the work of ECC in the preparatory work for WRC-12 and in particular to Eric Fournier who performed such an excellent role as the Chairman of CPG-12.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Woolford".

Chris Woolford

CV - Stephen Bond

Qualifications

Summer 1983 TEC Higher Certificate in Communications
Engineering

Relevant recent experience:

International Activities

UK Radiocommunications Agency / Ofcom (December 1993 to present)

- Deputy head of UK delegation to WRC-07 and WRC-12
- UK lead in ECC and CPG since 2007
- Vice-chairman CPG-07 and CPG-12
- Chairman of SE42, JPT5G (and previous related groups)
- Participation in WGSE and various project teams before 2007

Previous relevant experience:

Mobile Monitoring and Quality Assurance Manager

Radiocommunications Agency (Baldock Monitoring station)

(September 1991 to December 1993)

- Management of specialist measurement and mobile monitoring facilities.

Investigation Officer

Radiocommunications Agency, Radio Investigation Service

(March 1985 to September 1991)

- Responsible for enforcement work and resolving interference cases.