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## **UEFA Euro 2020**

Wembley Stadium, London

Hampden Park, Glasgow

13<sup>th</sup> June – 11<sup>th</sup> July 2021

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## Introduction

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UEFA Euro 2020 has been designated as a Major Event, where careful control of frequency assignments will need to be implemented in order to establish a successful working system.

The event, originally planned to be held in the summer of 2020, was postponed due to the effects of COVID-19 and lockdown, and will now be held across June and July of 2021.

This year the Event will be coordinated by Gregory Smith, who will also be onsite for London based matches and Des Vitalis will be available for Glasgow matches.



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# 1. Application Process



Spectrum is predicted to be in high demand for the Euro Event, so applicants are asked to submit their requests at the earliest possible opportunity. All applications can be submitted directly on the UEFA frequency management web portal <https://frequencies.uefa.ch/>.

It is advisable to submit frequency applications by **30<sup>th</sup> April 2021**, as applications submitted later than this may not be accommodated as required.

As Euro 2020 is designated as a Major Event, applications for frequencies will not be subject to Ofcom PMSE's usual three day turnaround rule. All frequency applications will be collated and worked on at the same time in order to achieve the best frequency plan.

## 2. Coordination and Licensing

### General Information

For us to plan the frequencies in an effective and efficient way, it is vital, from a coordination perspective, that the locations or the general operational area of wireless radio systems & mobile or fixed base station antenna positions are made known. If the locations of antennas are not made known, you will be contacted to obtain this information, which may delay the process.

Information key to the coordination process includes:

- The number of wireless microphones, in ear monitors and wireless communications/talkback systems and wireless cameras required
- The frequency range that equipment will tune across (greater flexibility will aid the coordination process)
- The dates and times that frequencies are needed
- The position of fixed wireless base station antennas within the stadium

When the planning process of the frequency plan is complete, you will be contacted by UEFA and payment will be required for the licence. Once confirmation of payment has been received, your frequencies will be communicated to the applicant.

### Payment and Licence Documents

It is imperative that payment is received in advance of the tournament.

## 3. Event Time

During the Event it is imperative that all frequencies are used within the terms and conditions of the Licence held. This includes transmission of frequencies only during the times and date stated on the Licence, not exceeding the designated maximum power, transmitting frequencies only from the location specified on the Licence or as communicated with UEFA.

If interference is experienced during the event, please notify the personnel supporting the event and they will be able to assist.

## 4. Useful Contacts

### Event Coordinator Details

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Our office hours are 9:00 – 17:00 Monday to Friday

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For help outside of these hours, please contact our out of hours Emergency Coordinator (Please note there is a £55 premium charge per schedule for our out of hours service) on emergency contact number: **+44 (0) 7866 423619**.