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What additional details do you want to keep confidential?:

No

If you want part of your response kept confidential, which parts?:

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No

I confirm that I have read the declaration:

Yes

Additional comments:

Question 1:Do you agree with the proposed approach for spectrum management?:

Partially

Question 2:Do you agree with the proposed approach for Business Radio assignments?:

No opinion

Question 3:Do you agree with the proposal to allocate spectrum for Maritime and/or Land Search and Rescue use? :

No opinion

Question 4:Do you agree with the proposal to make some spectrum not currently assigned to other applications available on a temporary for Amateur Radio use with these restrictions?:

It has been suggested that 146 to 147 MHz may be released to the Amateur Service; I would like to propose that 147 to 148 is released in addition. This would make hte two metre band 144-148 MHz which is the same as the USA and Canada. Pressure for frequencies in the existing allocation (144 to 146 MHz) have reached the overwhelming stage and an additional 2MHz would solve thi