

IEEE 802.18 Regulatory Opening Report for 2025 March plenary

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RR-TAG at a glance

Membership as of 24 January 2025

- 64 voters (including 10 on LMSC)
- 3 nearly voters
- 13 aspirants

Officers

- Chair: Edward Au (Huawei Technologies)
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Progress since the 2025 January wireless interim

- Reviewed the [latest ongoing consultations](#)
- **Approved the following IEEE 802 LMSC submissions:**
 - France ARCEP: [Draft decision repealing decision no. 2007-0683 of 24 July 2007 as amended and setting the conditions for use of radio frequencies for equipment operating using ultra-wideband technology](#)
 - UK Ofcom: [Ofcom's Plan of Work 2025/26](#)
- **Approved the following liaison statements:**
 - [Response to ITU-R Working Party 5C on technical and operational characteristics of their systems operating in the range 450 GHz to 1000 GHz](#)
 - [Information to ITU-R Working Parties 5A and 5C on IEEE Std 802.15.3™-2023](#)
- **Discussed the latest topics related to spectrum and regulation in Europe, North America, and Asia Pacific.**

Objectives this week (1)

- **Review and approve draft responses to the following consultations:**
 - UK Ofcom: [Updating Wireless Telegraphy Licence Exemptions](#)
 - UAE TDRA: [UAE Spectrum Outlook 2026 – 2031](#)
- **Discuss the latest topics related to spectrum and regulation in Europe, North America, and Asia Pacific, including**
 - ETSI BRAN update

Objectives this week (2)

- **Invited presentation**

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- Document: [18-25/0007](#)