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Abstract

This document summarizes the status of ongoing consultations and IEEE 802.18 documents required for approval.

**Status of ongoing consultations as of 7 April 2025**

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| Regulatory authority, consultation | Submission deadline / 802.18 approval | Document(s) for approval | Current status |
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| Australia ACMA[Draft Five-year spectrum outlook 2025-30 and 2025–26 work program](https://www.acma.gov.au/consultations/2025-03/draft-five-year-spectrum-outlook-2025-30-consultation) | 17 April 2025 (extended) / 20 March 2025  | [18-25/0020r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0020-04-0000-draft-response-to-australia-acma-s-consultation-draft-five-year-spectrum-outlook-2025-30.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0022-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-20-march-2025.pptx) the document on 20 March 2025.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/email/stds-802-lmsc/msg00242.html) the document on 4 April 2025.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Lithuania RRT[Public survey on the prospects for the use of the radio frequency band 6425-7125 MHz](https://www.rrt.lt/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/20250228_Apklausa-6425-7125-MHz.pdf) | 18 April 2025 / 27 March 2025  | [18-25/0024r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0024-04-0000-draft-response-to-lithuania-rrt-s-consultation-re-the-upper-6-ghz-band.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0025-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-27-march-2025.pptx) the document on 27 March 2025.
* Under IEEE 802 LMSC’s 10-day letter ballot.
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| Canada RABC[Radio Standards Specification, RSS-247, issue 4, February 2025](https://www.rabc-cccr.ca/ised-radio-standards-specification-rss-247-issue-4-february-2025-digital-transmission-systems-frequency-hopping-systems-and-licence-exempt-local-area-network-devices-in-902-928-mhz-2400/)  | 5 May 2025 / 17 April 2025  |  | * Awaiting submission
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| UK Ofcom[Proposals for AFC in Lower 6 GHz and mobile / Wi-Fi sharing in Upper 6 GHz](https://www.ofcom.org.uk/spectrum/innovative-use-of-spectrum/consultation-expanding-access-to-the-6-ghz-band-for-commercial-mobile-and-wi-fi-services/?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Ofcom%20pioneers%20sharing%20of%20upper%206%20GHz%20spectrum%20between%20mobile%20and%20Wi-Fi%20services&utm_content=Ofcom%20pioneers%20sharing%20of%20upper%206%20GHz%20spectrum%20between%20mobile%20and%20Wi-Fi%20services+CID_da46313569d6a4b16cf1e52e941916c1&utm_source=updates&utm_term=published%20proposals) | 8 May 2025 / 17 April 2025  |  | * Awaiting submission
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| USA FCC[Promoting the Development of Positioning, Navigation, and Timing Technologies and Solutions (WT Docket No. 25-110)](https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-25-20A1.pdf) | Comments:28 April 2025 / 17 April 2025Reply comments:13 May 2025 / 1 May 2025 |  | * Awaiting submission
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| Australia ACMA[Remaking the low interference potential devices class licence](https://www.acma.gov.au/consultations/2025-03/remaking-low-interference-potential-devices-class-licence) | 16 May 2025 / 1 May 2025  |  | * A draft submission, [18-25/0030](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/documents?is_dcn=0030&is_group=0000&is_year=2025), is under review.
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| South Africa ICASA[Draft regulations on dynamic spectrum access and opportunistic spectrum management in the innovation spectrum 3800-4200 MHz and 5925-6425 MHz](https://www.icasa.org.za/legislation-and-regulations/draft-regulations-on-the-dynamic-spectrum-access) | 30 May 2025 / 13 May 2025  |  | * Awaiting submission
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| South Africa ICASA[Draft radio frequency plan 2025 (NRFP)](https://www.icasa.org.za/legislation-and-regulations/draft-radio-frequency-plan-2025-nrfp) | 30 May 2025 / 13 May 2025  |  | * Awaiting submission
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**Status of closed consultations as of 7 April 2025**

| Regulatory authority, consultation | Submission deadline / 802.18 approval | Document(s) submitted | Current status |
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| Cayman Islands OfReg[ICT 2024 – 1 – Consultation Short Range Licence Exempt Devices](https://www.ofreg.ky/viewPDF/documents/2024-05-25-10-26-22-Consultation-Paper-on-Proposed-Short-Range-Device-Regulation.pdf) | 27 June 2024 / 13 June 2024 | [18-24/0055r8](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0055-08-0000-proposed-response-to-cayman-islands-ofreg-s-consultation-on-proposed-short-range-device-regulation.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0059-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-13-june-2024.pptx) the document on 13 June 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg29503.html) the document on 28 June 2024.
* [Received comments](https://www.ofreg.ky/viewPDF/documents/2024-07-08-10-21-54-ICT-2024---1---Responses-to-Consultation-on-Short-Range-Licence-Exempt-Devices.pdf) posted online.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Colombia ANE[Regulatory proposal for the 6 GHz outdoor frequency band](https://www.ane.gov.co/SitePages/det-noticias.aspx?p=566) | 9 October 2024 / 3 October 2024  | N/A | * No IEEE 802 LMSC submission.
* Received comments are [posted](https://www.ane.gov.co/SitePages/Gesti%C3%B3n%2520t%C3%A9cnica/index.aspx?p=5609) on 6 November 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Czech Republic CTU[Call for comments on the draft Radio Spectrum Management Strategy](https://ctu.gov.cz/navrh-strategie-spravy-spektra) | 11 November 2023 / 7 November 2024 | [18-24/0109r5](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0109-05-0000-draft-response-to-czech-ctu-s-consultation-on-draft-radio-spectrum-management-strategy.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0111-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-7-november-2024.pptx) the document on 7 November 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0241-03-00EC-nov-2024-plenary-802-lmsc-opening-minutes.pdf) the document on 11 November 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| EC RSPG[Questionnaire on long-term vision for the upper 6 GHz band](https://radio-spectrum-policy-group.ec.europa.eu/document/download/c87dc40a-3221-4842-98af-eb625d3557d2_en?filename=Questionnaire_U6GHz-2024.pdf) | 20 August 2024 / 8 August 2024 | [18-24/0072r8](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0072-08-0000-draft-response-to-eu-rspg-s-questionnaire-on-long-term-vision-for-the-upper-6-ghz-band.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0075-01-0000-rr-tag-agenda-8-august-2024.pptx) the document on 8 August 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg29676.html) the document on 22 August 2024.
* [Received comments](https://radio-spectrum-policy-group.ec.europa.eu/document/download/58f40db3-ce1a-4a22-bdfb-1bbccb21b2bc_en?filename=responses_questionnaire-U6GHz-rev1.zip) posted online.
* Awaiting decision.
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| 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](https://www.arcep.fr/uploads/tx_gspublication/consultation-projdec-frequences-UWB_dec2024.pdf) | 21 January 2025 / 14 January 2025  | [18-24/0129r2](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0129-02-0000-proposed-response-to-france-arcep-s-consultation-on-uwb.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0124-03-0000-2025-january-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 14 January 2025.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/25/ec-25-0029-02-LMSC-04-feb-2025-802-lmsc-monthly-teleconference-minutes.pdf) the document on 5 February 2025.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Japan MIC[Call for opinions on the proposed ministerial ordinance to amend part of the Radio Law Enforcement Regulations: Addition of systems and bands to the special exemption system for non-technical equipment](https://www.soumu.go.jp/menu_news/s-news/01kiban12_02000163.html) | 18 November 2024 / 11 November 2024  | [18-24/0118r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0118-04-0000-draft-response-to-japan-mic-s-consultation-re-special-exemption-system.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0097-02-0000-2024-november-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 12 November 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0242-00-00EC-nov-2024-plenary-802-lmsc-closing-minutes.pdf) the document on 15 November 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Oman TRA[Public consultations on the draft regulation for the Ultra-Wide Band technology](https://www.tra.gov.om/En/ViewPublicConsultations.jsp?code=63) | 2 September 2024 / 29 August 2024 | [18-24/0085r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0085-04-0000-proposed-response-to-oman-tra-s-consultation-on-uwb-regulation.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0087-01-0000-rr-tag-agenda-29-august-2024.pptx) the document on 29 August 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0209-02-00EC-03-sept-2024-802-ec-monthly-teleconference-minutes.pdf) the document on 3 September 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Qatar CRA[Public Consultation - Position Paper on IoT and M2M in the State of Qatar](https://www.cra.gov.qa/en/document/position-paper-on-iot-and-m2m-in-the-state-of-qatar)  | 26 September 2024 / 10 September 2024  | [18-24/0091r5](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0091-05-0000-proposed-response-to-qatar-cra-s-consultation-on-iot-and-m2m-position-paper.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0080-04-0000-2024-september-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 12 September 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg29764.html) the document on 27 September 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Saudi Arabia CST[Spectrum Outlook for Commercial and Innovative Use 2024-2027](https://eparticipation.my.gov.sa/en/e-consultations/consultations/legal/legal-consultation-47594/) | 7 October 2024 / 3 October 2024  | [18-24/0095r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0095-04-0000-proposed-response-to-saudi-arabia-cst-s-consultation-on-spectrum-outlook-2024-2027.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0094-02-0000-rr-tag-agenda-3-october-2024.pptx) the document on 3 October 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://www.ieee802.org/secmail/msg29829.html) the document on 21 October 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| Saudi Arabia CST[Light Licensing Regulations Annex for the 6 GHz Frequency Band](https://regulations.citc.gov.sa/en/Pages/PublishedPublicConsultations.aspx#/PublishedPublicConsulationDetails/62) | 20 November 2024 / 11 November 2024  | [18-24/0112r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0112-04-0000-proposed-response-to-saudi-arabia-s-cst-consultation-re-6-ghz-afc.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0097-02-0000-2024-november-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 12 November 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0242-00-00EC-nov-2024-plenary-802-lmsc-closing-minutes.pdf) the document on 15 November 2024.
* Awaiting decision.
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| UAE TDRA[UAE Spectrum Outlook 2026 -2031](https://tdra.gov.ae/en/Participation/consultations/details?id=3814) | 31 March 2025 / 11 March 2025  | [18-25/0017r4](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0017-04-0000-draft-response-to-uae-tdra-s-consultation-uae-spectrum-outlook-2026-2031.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0011-04-0000-2025-march-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 13 March 2025.
* IEEE 802 LMSC approves the document on 14 March 2025.
* Awaiting decision.
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| UK Ofcom[Updating Wireless Telegraphy Licence Exemptions](https://www.ofcom.org.uk/spectrum/radio-equipment/consultation-updating-wireless-telegraphy-licence-exemptions/) | 28 March 2025 / 11 March 2025  | [18-25/0016r6](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0016-06-0000-draft-response-to-the-uk-ofcom-s-consultation-updating-wireless-telegraphy-licence-exemptions.pdf) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/25/18-25-0011-03-0000-2025-march-rr-tag-supplementary-materials.pptx) the document on 11 March 2025.
* IEEE 802 LMSC approves the document on 14 March 2025.
* Awaiting decision.
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| USA FCC[NextNav’s petition for rulemaking (WT Docket No. 24-240)](https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DA-24-776A1.pdf) | Comments:5 September 2024 / 22 August 2024Reply comments:20 September 2024 / 5 September 2024 | [18-24/0082r8](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0082-08-0000-draft-response-to-us-fcc-nextnav-petition-for-rulemakeing.docx) | * RR-TAG [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0087-01-0000-rr-tag-agenda-29-august-2024.pptx) the document on 29 August 2024.
* IEEE 802 LMSC [approves](https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0209-02-00EC-03-sept-2024-802-ec-monthly-teleconference-minutes.pdf) the document on 3 September 2024.
* Received comments are available on [ECFS](https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/search/search-filings/results?q=(proceedings.name:(%2224-240%22))).
* Awaiting decision.
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**Revision history**

| Revision | Date | Description |
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| 0 | 1 January 2024 | Initial versionNOTE – Please refer to [18-22/0035](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/documents?is_dcn=35&is_group=0000&is_year=2022) for the activities between March 2022 and December 2023. |
| 1 | 7 January 2024 | Added a new consultation from Colombia’s Agencia Nacional del Espectro (ANE). |
| 2 | 19 January 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 3 | 1 February 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 4 | 12 February 2024 | Added a new consultation from Norway Nkom. Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 5 | 27 February 2024 | Added new consultations from Brazil ANATEL and Canada RABC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 6 | 6 March 2024 | Added a new consultation from Thailand NBTC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 7 | 16 March 2024 | Added a new consultation from CEPT (Draft ECC Report 355).Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 8 | 24 March 2024 | Added a new consultation from CEPT (Draft ECC Report 357).Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 9 | 30 March 2024 | Added a new consultation from Australia ACMA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 10 | 6 April 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 11 | 13 April 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 12 | 21 April 2024 | Added a new consultation from South Africa ICASA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 13 | 1 May 2024 | Added two new consultations from Korea MIST.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 14 | 11 May 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 15 | 4 June 2024 | Added new consultations from Cayman Islands OfReg, Qatar CRA, and Australia ACMA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 16 | 4 July 2024 | Added a new consultation from CEPT and Canada RABC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 17 | 9 July 2024 | Added a new consultation from EC RSPG. |
| 18 | 29 July 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 19 | 9 August 2024 | Added a new consultation from US FCC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 20 | 19 August 2024 | Added a new consultation from Oman TRA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 21 | 30 August 2024 | Added new consultations from Mexico IFT and Qatar CRA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 22 | 8 September 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 23 | 22 September 2024 | Added new consultations from Colombia ANE and Saudi Arabic CSA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 24 | 1 October 2024 | Added new consultations from Japan MIC and EU CEPT ECC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 25 | 14 October 2024 | Added new consultations from Belgium BIPT and Czech CTU.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 26 | 27 October 2024 | Added new consultations from Japan MIC, Vietnam MIC, and Saudi Arabic CSA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 27 | 10 November 2024 | Added a new consultation from Australia ACMA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 28 | 16 November 2024 | Added a new consultation from EC RSPG.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 29 | 3 December 2024 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 30 | 21 December 2024 | Added new consultations from UK Ofcom and France ARCEP.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 31 | 1 January 2025 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 32 | 18 January 2025 | Added a new consultation from UK Ofcom.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 33 | 29 January 2025 | Added a new consultation from Canada RABC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 34 | 10 February 2025 | Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 35 | 24 February 2025 | Added new consultations from UAE TDRA, UK Ofcom, and Canada RABC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 36 | 7 March 2025 | Added a new consultation from Australia ACMA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 37 | 18 March 2025 | Added a new consultation from Lithuania RRT.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 38 | 30 March 2025 | Added new consultations from Australia ACMA and USA FCC.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |
| 39 | 7 April 2025 | Added 2 new consultations from South Africa ICASA.Updated the status of a few outstanding consultations. |