

INDEPENDENT COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF SOUTH AFRICA

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**HEREBY ISSUES AN ERRATUM NOTICE TO THE DRAFT RADIO FREQUENCY ASSIGNMENT PLAN FOR THE FREQUENCY BAND 1518 TO 1525 MHZ IN TERMS OF REGULATION 3 OF THE RADIO FREQUENCY SPECTRUM REGULATIONS, 2015**

The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa hereby issues an Erratum Notice to the published Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plan, dated 25 November 2022, in respect of Notice No 2785 of 2022, in Government Gazette No 47559.

The purpose of the erratum is to replace pages 161 and 162 of the Notice in order to correct and align the title to the heading and contents of the Notice.

Pages 161 and 162 of Government Gazette Number 47559 (Notice No 2785 of 2022) are hereby replaced by the pages set out in the Schedule.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Charles Lewis', written over a horizontal line.

DR CHARLES LEWIS
ACTING CHAIRPERSON



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1. The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa ("the Authority"), hereby publishes the **Draft Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plan for the frequency band 1518 MHz to 1525 MHz for public consultation** in terms of regulation 3 of the Radio Frequency Spectrum Regulations 2015 and the Radio Frequency Migration Plan of 2019.
2. The Radio Frequency Migration Regulations continue by providing that upon completion of this Radio Frequency Spectrum Assignment Plan the Authority shall issue a notice to users to be migrated (Regulation 6(1) of the Radio Frequency Migration Regulations of 2013)
3. Interested persons are hereby invited to submit written representations of their views on the RFSAPs, in either MS Word or .pdf format.
4. Submission must be made no later than 16h00 on Friday 13 January 2023.
5. Persons making representations are further invited to indicate whether they require an opportunity to make oral representations.
6. Written representations or enquiries may be directed by email to:

Attention:

Mr Manyapelolo Richard Makgotlho

e-mail: rmakgotlho@icasa.org.za

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7. All written representations submitted to the Authority pursuant to this notice will be made available for inspection by interested persons from 17 January 2023 at the ICASA Library. Electronic copies of such representations are obtainable on request and documents will be obtainable on payment of a fee.
8. The draft plans and non-confidential representations will be uploaded to the ICASA website under this link: <https://www.icasa.org.za/legislation-and-regulations/radio-frequency-spectrum-plans/draft-radio-frequency-spectrum-plans>

9. Where persons making representations require that their representation or part thereof be treated as confidential, then an application in terms of section 4D of the ICASA Act, 2000 (Act No. 13 of 2000) must be lodged with the Authority. Such an application must be submitted simultaneously with the representation on the draft plan, together with a non-confidential, redacted version of the submission. If, however, the request for confidentiality is not granted, the person making the request will be allowed to withdraw the representation or document in question.
10. The guidelines for confidentiality requests are contained in Government Gazette Number 41839 (Notice No. 849) of 17 August 2018.

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