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<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Contest preferred segments in the (new) 7 MHz band</b>		
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### Introduction:

Having more and more countries with access to the extended 40 m band (7100 - 7200 kHz) it is now possible to separate contesters from non-contesters, like on the 80 and 20 m band.

**Proposal:** To ask the band plan working group (BWG) of IARU Region 1 to draft a proposal for a recommendation to amend the 7 MHz band plan for the next IARU Region 1 conference accordingly, to be effective all over IARU Region 1 after the 1st of April 2009.

In the meantime national member societies are to be encouraged to introduce such segments in the rules of their national contests already; applying the range the BWG is going to propose.