**Workplan of the Theme Leaders on Radio Frequency Protection (2014-2018)**(Version: as approved by CIMO-MG-13 in Dec. 2014)

| **No.** | **Task description** | **Person responsible** | **Action** | **Deliverable** | **Deadline for deliv.** | **Status**  **[%]** | **Comments** |
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| 1. | **Liaison with CIMO ETs and TLs on radiofrequency issues** | **Sireci/**  **Franc** | 1. Advise CIMO ETs/TTs/TLs on issues that should be addressed with respect to radiofrequency coordination (review SG-RFC reports and convey relevant parts to CIMO ETs and OPAG Chairs) 2. Coordinate investigations within CIMO, as required, to assist the work of SG-RFC. 3. Develop a listing of observing systems, the radio-frequency bands on which they rely and the tolerable levels of interference which they can withstand. | 1. Document with advice to CIMO on current RF issues.  2. CIMO expert input into the work of CBS SG-RFC 6. Listing of R/F susceptibility of different observing systems.  3. Guidance documentation for Members’ RF experts. | Yearly, following SG-RFC meeting  Yearly, in due time for timely subm. To SG-RFC  11/2015 |  | CIMO MG-11 |
| 2. | **Represent CIMO in CBS SG-RFC activities** | **Sireci/**  **Franc** | 1. As far as possible, attend SG-RFC meeting and represent CIMO therein 2. Gather issues regarding radiofrequency from CIMO ETs/TTs/TLs and forward relevant issues of concern from CIMO to SG-RFC 3. Contribute to the activities of SG-RFC, especially, by providing CIMO input to the WMO position paper for WRC. | 1. Document/mail sent to SG-RFC chair 2. a) Reports to SG-RFC 3. b) Report to OPAG Chair | Yearly  Yearly  Ongoing |  | CIMO-16, Doc. 5, §5.27 |
| 3 | **Bandwidth Requirements for Global Radiosonde Operations** | **Sireci**  Franc | Work with CBS in ascertaining minimum bandwidth continuance of global radiosonde operations in this band. | Draft IOM Report | 11/2015 |  | In collaboration with CBS |
| 4 | **Sharing arrangements for HF oceanographic radars** | **Franc**  Sireci | Work with CBS and JCOMM to develop a sharing plan for HF oceanographic radars | Draft IOM Report | 11/2016 |  |  |
| 5 | **Protecting Radar Operations from Wind Farms** | **Franc**  Sireci | Update regulatory/guidance material regarding wind turbine siting close to weather radars and wind profilers | Update to WIGOS Manual / CIMO Guide | 06/2017 |  | Refer to Eumetnet OPERA study  Also refer to ICAO actions.. |

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