**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 meetingYearly, in due time for timely subm. To SG-RFC11/2015 |  | 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
 | YearlyYearlyOngoing |  | 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 studyAlso refer to ICAO actions.. |

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