

(10) Besides their normal working wave printed in heavy type in the List, land stations and ship stations may use, in the authorized bands, additional waves which are shown in ordinary type in the List. The band of frequencies 365 to 385 kc/s (822 to 779 m), however, is reserved for the direction-finding service; it may not be used by the mobile service for radiotelegraph correspondence except on the conditions indicated in Article 7.

(11) (a) The wave for replying to a call made on the general calling wave [see section 1, (2)] is the wave of 500 kc/s (600 m), the same as that of the call.

(b) The wave for replying to a call for aircraft stations and aeronautical stations working in the band 315 to 365 kc/s (952 to 822 m), is the wave of 333 kc/s (900 m), the same as that of the call.

(c) The wave for replying to a call sent on the international calling wave of 143 kc/s (2,100 m) [see section 1, (4)] is:

for a mobile station, the wave of 143 kc/s (2,100 m);

for a coast station, its normal working wave.

2. (1) In order to increase the safety of life at sea (ships) and over the sea (aircraft), all stations in the mobile maritime service normally keeping watch on waves in the authorized bands between 365 and 515 kc/s (822 and 583 m) must, during their hours of service, take the necessary measures to ensure watch on the distress wave [500 kc/s (600 m)] for three minutes twice an hour beginning at x h 15 and x h 45, Greenwich mean time.

(2) During the periods mentioned above, except for the emissions provided for in Article 22 (sections 22 to 28):

A. Transmission must cease within the bands 460 to 550 kc/s (652 to 545 m);

B. Outside these bands:

(a) the emission of waves of type B is prohibited;

(b) other emissions of stations of the mobile service may continue; stations of the maritime mobile service may listen to these emissions subject to the express proviso that they first ensure watch on the distress wave as provided by sub-paragraph (1) of this paragraph.

3. As calls within the authorized bands between 365 and 515 kc/s (822 and 583 m) and 315 to 365 kc/s (952 to 822 m) are made normally on the international calling waves [section 1, (2) and (3) above] mobile service stations open to public correspondence and using for their work waves in these bands, must, during their hours of service, remain on watch on the calling wave of their service. These stations, while observing the provisions of Article 19, section 2 (1) and (2), and section 4, D, are authorized to relinquish this watch only when they are engaged in communication on other waves.