

# **International Amateur Radio Union Region 1**



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### 1. Introduction

The IARU contest robot (iaru.oevsv.at) is working well.

### 2. Background

To analyse and evaluate all logs from VHF/UHF/SHF Contest in Region 1 is quite comprehensive task and has been very time consuming in former times. Since great majority of amateurs are using a electronic log during contest, all work is done by computer programmes. However sometimes user ask for manual intervention.

## 3. Key points and proposal

Still there are problems with logs uploaded from the VHF managers. The "old" system where the paper logs are collected by the national is outdated. If there is a reason to disqualify a participant that can be requested to the organizing society or responsible person. If the responsible person or society fails to evaluate the results the results from the contest robot is final.

#### 4. Recommendation

We recommend deleting the following text in the VHF manager's handbook:

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5.2.2 Organisation

a. National robot or VHF Manager or to the properly nominated Contest Committee

### 5.2.3 Timing a.

The VHF Manager or the properly nominated Contest Committee should upload the logs to the IARU R1 robot no later than second Sunday after the contest.

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