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Dear M. Valente,

At its last plenary meeting, ECC was informed about your letter sent to ECC PT1 chairman on the interim report to EC Mandate 700 MHz on which you raised concern about the potential impact of the deliverables on this Mandate on non-radio end users equipment for fixed broadcasting and broadband electronic communications of potential future new radio communications usages in 694 -790 MHz.

The addressed Interim Report covers the status of the work in response to the 3 tasks of the EC Mandate to be done in the first phase. Those tasks are covering radio-communication issues as, for example, 700 MHz preferred band plan, definition of the out of band emission below 694 MHz, least restrictive technical conditions for Wireless Broadband electronic communications services, as well as PPDR services and, where appropriate, for PMSE.

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As you noted this Interim Report does not address the potential impact of potential new radio systems in 694-790 MHz on cable equipment. Nevertheless, ECC used to collaborate actively with the standardization bodies in support of their standardization work relating to interference mitigation. In the current draft of the response to the EC Mandate, ECC is addressing this matter by describing the evolution of the spectrum usage and new radio environment. This will enable ETSI and CENELEC to adapt the appropriate EMC immunity requirement in a timely manner. Nevertheless, any proposals to improve the text in this respect are welcome in CEPT ECC PT1<sup>1</sup>, bearing in mind also, that ECC will not conduct compatibility studies with cable networks.

In line with the time with the schedule of the mandate, ECC intends to approve the Draft CEPT Report for public consultation at its next meeting at 24-27 June 2014.



Yours sincerely,  
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<sup>1</sup> The next ECC PT1 meeting is scheduled from 28 April – 2 May.