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Subject: The results of the vote by correspondence to approve the revised "Guidelines on Satellite Skills and Knowledge for Operational Meteorologists and Specialists in Related Application Areas"

Dear Sir/Madam,

With reference to letter ref. 15895/2024/I/SSU, dated 9 October 2024, the revised Guidelines on Satellite Skills and Knowledge for Operational Meteorologists and Specialists in Related Application Areas (formerly titled Guidelines on Satellite Skills and Knowledge for Operational Meteorologists (SP-12)) was submitted to WMO Members for review. The Guidelines were subsequently sent for vote by correspondence in accordance with Rule 4.1.2(2) (a) of the Rules of Procedure for Technical Commissions (WMO-No. 1240) regarding the adoption of an amendment by correspondence.

The decision to proceed with the vote at this time was taken in order to adopt the revised *Guidelines* in a timely manner and prior to the convening of the fourth session of the Commission for Observation, Infrastructure and Information Systems (INFCOM-4).

Following the closing date of 30 May 2025, I wish to inform you that in the absence of attaining the required quorum for the approval of the revised *Guidelines on Satellite Skills and Knowledge for Operational Meteorologists and Specialists in Related Application Areas*, the proposal is regarded as lost.

In light of this, I wish to inform you that the revised Guidelines will be submitted for consideration at INFCOM-4.

Yours faithfully,

Prof. Celeste Saulo Secretary-General

To: Permanent Representatives of Members of WMO (limited distribution)

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