

BATC update for the Spectrum Forum 9th July 2005

- **DATV is growing**
- **OFCOM clearance of ATV repeaters is still terribly slow at this time**
- **What is happening to Flyingdales radar on 70cms and the ATC radars on 23cms?**
- **What do we expect to happen to 23cms as a result of Galileo?**
- **Regarding IARU R1 C5 –22 We propose that the timing of the International ATV contest should be 1300 to 1300hrs UTC**

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RMC update for the Spectrum Forum 9th July 2005

- **Currently the OFCOM service level is very poor and has been for more than 12 months- therefore our service to our repeater groups is not satisfactory**
- **The rules covering 70cm clearances still appear to be very muddled**
- **We are not expecting much growth in demand for extra spectrum for repeaters**
- **The various forms of internet linking appear to be causing few if any real headaches**
- **Digital ATV is coming and a number of repeaters are starting to use this form of transmission/reception**

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