

Basisinformationen

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between the

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, IFRC

and the

International Amateur Radio Union, IARU,

on

Cooperation in Emergency
Telecommunications for Disaster Preparedness and Response

WHEREAS The International Amateur Radio Union (hereinafter referred to as "IARU") having its seat located at Nevington, CT 06131-0905, P.O. Box 311905, United States, is an international Non-Governmental Organization which has as its objectives the protection, promotion, and advancement of the Amateur and Amateur-Satellite Services within the framework of regulations established by the International Telecommunication Union and serves as the federation of national Amateur Radio Societies;

WHEREAS The International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (hereinafter referred to as the "IFRC") having its headquarters located at Geneva Switzerland, is an international humanitarian organization with a membership of 186 national red cross and red crescent societies recognized as auxiliaries to the public authorities in the humanitarian field. IFRC, having as its mission to improve the lives of vulnerable people by mobilizing the power of humanity, provides assistance without discrimination as to nationality, race, religious beliefs, class or political opinions ;

CONSIDERING that IARU's work contributes to disaster management and, in the event of an emergency, IARU can devote the full resources of its network to help maintain vital communications so first responders and critical personnel can manage the crisis;

CONSIDERING FURTHER that members of the Amateur Service have significant competencies in radio and their equipment is already deployed on the ground and is easy to mobilize for disaster response for use especially in the immediate aftermath of disasters;

RECALLING that National Member Societies of IARU are already cooperating with National Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies in a number of countries;

RECOGNIZING the significant role of emergency telecommunication in disaster management and the mandate of IFRC, as set out in the Statutes of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, to assist its National Member Societies in their disaster relief preparedness and to coordinate international relief actions;

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