

Regulatory Update

Uruguay – 5.470-5.725GHz WLAN band is now closed

Uruguayan Authority, *Unidad Reguladora de Servicios de Comunicaciones (URSEC)* has recently advised that the 5.470 - 5.725GHz WLAN band is no longer permitted for use and has now officially been assigned for government use only.

It has been advised that products which have already obtained Type Approval in Uruguay, and which operate on the 5.470-5.725GHz band, can continue to operate on this band. No further action is required at this time.

For all new products requiring Type Approval in Uruguay and operating in the 5GHz WLAN bands, master devices must have the restricted band disabled and and client devices must be set to Passive Scanning mode only (no Active Scanning is allowed). However, Ad Hoc mode is allowed.

This requirement will come into effect immediately.

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