ARD is the co-operative of public service broadcasting corporations in Germany. We offer several regional and national TV and radio programmes and with others jointly operate arte and 3sat. One important way of delivering our programmes is through digital terrestrial broadcasting. We are therefore an important user of terrestrial frequencies.

This is why point 2.4. of the Work Programme "ERG-RSPG Co-operation" might be of special interest to us. We suppose that other broadcasters as well as other users of terrestrial frequencies could share this view. We would therefore like to suggest to consider holding a public consultation on this item of the Work Programme.