

Tel Aviv, 24 July 1999

To the *non*-European "CEPT" Countries

Gentleman,

Some years ago (1994), The State of Israel joined, the CEPT T/R 61-01 Amateur Radio Licensing System, as a *non*-European country. Participation and implementation of this system, makes it possible for Radio Amateurs from those countries (that comply) to operate their amateur radio stations, during short visits, (up to 3 months), to those countries, without obtaining an individual temporary license from the country one intends to visit.

Also, in (1997), The State of Israel has joined the CEPT T/R 61-02 Amateur Radio Licensing System, as a *non*-European country. Allow me, also remind you, that between our countries there is a reciprocal agreement in effect.

In view of the above mentioned, the Israeli Administration, hereby extends an invitation and request, which hopefully will be acceptable to;

The non-European Countries, to apply the same rules and courtesies as the "CEPT" member countries, implementing the "CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-01"

As with the "CEPT" member countries, it will not be necessary anymore to apply and file paperwork concerning, a temporary reciprocal amateur radio license. In agreement of the above I hereby give my approval to this document.

Signature..... Signature

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Release of the call series 4Z8...

for Foreign Amateur Radio Operators

The Ministry of Communications, being the sole responsible issuing Authority, for amateur radio call signs, recognizes CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-02, and will (under this recommendation) issue a National Israeli call sign in the series 4Z8...,

to amateur radio operators, which are coming from countries, have implemented and are participating in the CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-02.

For non-European, CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-02, implementing and participating Countries the same applies.

A personal application for a Radio Amateur License in the series 4Z8...has to be made and requested from the Ministry of Communications.

Each application will be decided on its own merit.

The application for this category must comply with the following conditions:

It has to be accompanied by the following documents (* to be submitted)

The applicant should be or have, continues employment in Israel for a period of more than 1 year, (365 days) by a recognized Employer, who's place of business is registered locally.

* Letter from employer, stating kind of work, duration, residency, etc.

* Show proof of temporary residency, (copy of contract for living quarters) for at least the period described as above.

The applicant must show proof that he has a valid (official) work permit, for employment in Israel and for which period of time, issued by The Department Labor & Welfare.

* Copy of the work permit.

The applicant must show proof that he has a visa, or passport, stating to have gained entry into the country as a " Temporary Resident " issued by the Ministry of the Interior.

* Copy of the visa or passport document.

The applicant must show proof that he is in the possession of a current valid, Amateur Radio license compatible with the CEPT Recommendation T/R 61-02, without any blemish.

* Copy of the license

The applicant should not have had, in the past or at present an Israeli callsign.

The applicant, does not have had, in the past or at present, the status of a Israeli Citizen, or permanent Resident.

If a local 4Z8... license is issued, its validity is in force only;

a) if the licensing fee has been duly paid

b) for as long as its validity is indicated on the license.

