





## THE CONDITIONS FOR THE USE IN FRANCE OF A FOREIGN AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE CALL-SIGN

Any French or foreign radio "ham" (amateur) living in France is required to comply with French regulations and in particular the decision of the Electronic Communications and Post Regulating Authority N° 2013-1515 of 17 December 2013 who modify the N°2012 - 1241 of 2 October 2012 homologated by the Ruling of 4 March 2014 (Official Gazette of 12 March 2014) and the ruling of 23 April 2012, modified by the ruling of 21 September 2000, defining the conditions for obtaining amateur radio service operator certificates.

For all information concerning an amateur radio authorization in France, please contact:

**ANFR**  
**Département Licences et Certificats**  
**Service Radioamateurs**  
**4 rue Alphonse Matter-BP 8314**  
**88108 SAINT DIE DES VOSGES Cedex**  
**International tel.: 33 3 29 42 20 74**

### Country of origin:

- A** Member Countries of the European Union (EU)
- B** Countries outside the EU applying EPTC regulation TR/61-01 (European Post and Telecommunications Conference)
- C** Countries outside the EU applying EPTC regulation TR/61-01
- D** countries that have signed a State to State agreement with France
- E** other countries (no authorizations)

### **A Member Countries of the European Union:**

Germany	Austria	Bulgaria	Belgium	Cyprus	Croatia	Denmark
Spain	Estonia	Finland	Greece	Hungary	Ireland	Italy
Latvia	Lithuania	Luxembourg	Malta	Netherlands	Poland	Portugal
Czech Republ.	Romania	United Kingd.	Slovakia	Slovenia	Sweden	

### **B Countries outside the EU applying EPTC regulation TR/61-01**

Albania, South Africa, Netherlands Antilles, Australia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Curacao, United States of America, Iceland, Israel, Liechtenstein, Macedonia, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Norway, New Zealand, Peru, Russian federation, Serbia, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

### **C Countries outside the EU applying the EPTC Regulation T/R 61-02:**

Albania, South Africa, Australia, Curacao, Hong Kong, Israel, Iceland, Macedonia, Moldova, Montenegro, Norway, New Zealand, Russian Federation, Serbia, Switzerland, Turkey

### **D Countries that have signed a State to State agreement with France**

Australia, Brazil, Canada, Ivory Coast, United States, Japan, Kenya, Monaco, Thailand

### **E Other countries**

Length of stay	Country	Call sign	Formalities
Stay lasting less than 3 months	<b>A</b> <i>Member Countries of the European Union (EU)</i> <i>Germany, Austria, Bulgaria, Belgium, Cyprus, Croatia, Denmark, Spain, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Czech Republic, United Kingdom, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, Sweden</i>	<b>(1) F/+ national call-sign/P</b>	Released from request for call-sign
	<b>B</b> <i>(TR 61-01 outside EU)</i> <i>Albania, South Africa, Netherlands Antilles, Australia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Curacao, United States, Iceland, Israel, Liechtenstein, Macedonia, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Norway, New Zealand, Peru, Russian Federation, Serbia, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine.</i>	<b>(1) F/+ national call-sign/P</b>	Released from request for call-sign
	<b>D</b> <i>(State to State agreement)</i> <i>Australia, Brazil, Canada, Ivory Coast, United States, Japan, Kenya, Monaco, Thailand</i>	<b>(1) F/+ national call-sign/P</b>	Released from request for call-sign
	<b>E</b> <i>Other countries</i>		No authorization
Stay lasting more than 3 months	<b>A</b> <i>Member Countries of the European Union (EU)</i> <i>Germany, Austria, Bulgaria, Belgium, Cyprus, Croatia, Denmark, Spain, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Czech Republic, United Kingdom, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, Sweden</i>	<b>F4Vxx (EPTC)</b>	Request for authorization (as long as established in France for a stay exceeding 3 months)
	<b>C</b> <i>(TR 61-02 outside EU)</i> <i>Albania, South Africa, Australia, Curacao, Hong Kong, Israel, Iceland, Macedonia, Moldova, Montenegro, Norway, New Zealand, Russian Federation, Serbia, Switzerland, Turkey.</i>	<b>F4Wxx</b>	Request for authorization
	<b>D</b> <i>(State to State agreement)</i> <i>Australia, Brazil, Canada, Ivory Coast, United States, Japan, Kenya, Monaco, Thailand</i>	<b>F4Wxx</b>	Request for authorization
	<b>E</b> <i>Other countries</i>		No authorization

(1) F (Metropolitan France) TK (Corsica) FG (Guadeloupe) FM (Martinique) FR (Reunion) FP (St Pierre et Miquelon) FH (Mayotte)  
E.g.: F/+ country call-sign

There is no reciprocal agreement in France regarding beginner amateur radio classes.

**To request a call-sign for periods exceeding 3 months within the French borders,**  
*The petitioner must attach the following items to his or her request:*

- a copy of his or her "**HAREC**" certificate issued by the administration where the examination took place
- a currently valid license (please specify the validity term of your license issued by the administration of your country and supply this document in French or English).
- Proof of being set up in France for more than 3 months (ex : electricity company or home phone invoice)
- Payment of the fee made out in Euro : € 46 for a license valid for 1 year, made out to "**REGIE RECETTES MEFI MAISONS – ALFORT**" (solely), by a check or a cash order drawn on an establishment represented in France.
- If you choose another method of payment (Eurocheque, etc.), remember to increase the total of the license fee for the corresponding exchange expenses.
- a proof of your identity (passport, national identity card)