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AND PROTECTION OF CABLE AND OTHER
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IMPREGNATION OF WOODEN POLES

ITU-T Recommendation L.2

(Extract from the *Blue Book*)

NOTES

1 ITU-T Recommendation L.2 was published in Volume IX of the *Blue Book*. This file is an extract from the *Blue Book*. While the presentation and layout of the text might be slightly different from the *Blue Book* version, the contents of the file are identical to the *Blue Book* version and copyright conditions remain unchanged (see below).

2 In this Recommendation, the expression “Administration” is used for conciseness to indicate both a telecommunication administration and a recognized operating agency.

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The CCITT draws attention to the economic importance of impregnating the wooden poles carrying overhead telecommunication lines.

The CCITT has issued a manual entitled *The preservation of wooden poles carrying overhead telecommunication lines*, ITU, Geneva, 1974, with a view to providing Administrations, particularly those whose networks are not yet fully developed, with some information on impregnation processes.

This manual is based on a first draft drawn up in 1968-1972 by the Argentine Administration amended and completed on the basis of information supplied by the Administrations of Australia, Austria, Chile, France, Italy, Federal Republic of Germany, United Kingdom and Switzerland.