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**SPECIFICATIONS OF SIGNALLING SYSTEM R1
REGISTER SIGNALLING**

**END - OF - PULSING CONDITIONS -
REGISTER ARRANGEMENTS CONCERNING
ST SIGNAL**

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NOTES

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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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3.2 END-OF-PULSING CONDITIONS - REGISTER¹ ARRANGEMENTS CONCERNING ST SIGNAL

3.2.1 The register signalling arrangements shall provide for the sending of an ST signal for both semi-automatic and automatic operation; the arrangements in the outgoing international register for recognizing the ST (end-of-pulsing) signal condition may vary as follows:

a) *Semi-automatic operation*

The ST condition is determined by the receipt of the end-of-pulsing signal initiated by the operator.

b) *Automatic operation*

- i) Where the ST condition is determined by the originating national network, an ST signal is transmitted to the outgoing international register. No further arrangements are necessary in that register for this purpose.
- ii) Where the ST condition is not received from the originating national network, the outgoing international register will be required to determine the ST condition. (See for example the requirements for System No. 5, Recommendation Q.152, *Green Book*).

¹ As used in this Recommendation, the term register includes traditional registers in electromechanical exchanges and also the equivalent receiving device, memory and logic in stored program exchanges.