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4S - Mario, HB9BRM will be active from Sri Lanka (AS-003) as 4S7BRG from 3 March to 30 May at least. QSL via bureau to HB9BRM.

6Y - Dick, K3DI will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as 6Y0A from Ocho Rios, Jamaica (NA-097). Before and after the Contest he will be active as K3DI/6Y5. QSL via home call.

9U - Alfredo, 9U5CW and Jean-Pierre, 9U5DX will participate in the ARRL CW Contest (15-16 February) as 9U5T. QSL via F2VX.

BV - Leo, BV7FC is now also active on 160 metres.

C9 - After his trip to South Africa (see ZS below) 3DA0CA will be active (40, 30 and 20 metres CW) from Mozambique as C91CO from 21 to 26/27 February. Best times will be from 03.30 UTC to 05.30 UTC on 40 and 30 metres and in the local eveinings from about 16.30 UTC to 22 UTC starting on 20 and working down to 40 metres. QSL via W4DR.

CT - The NPDXG will participate in the 1997 IOTA Contest from EU-150.

DU - Dave, W1DV will be active (mostly on CW) from Manila as DU/W1DV for the next two years. QSL via KO7V

EA - On 9 February EA4ENK/P will be active from Isla Pizarilla (DIEI BA-28). QSL via EA5OL.

EA - On 16 February EA4ENK/P will be active from Isla Las Tapias (DIEI BA-39). QSL via EA5OL.

EA - On 16 February EA5HT/P will be active from Isla de Quipar (DIEI MU-03). QSL via EA5HT

ER_ant - Operations by Pavel, UX2HO from Vernadsky Base (WABA UR-001) on Galindez Island (AN-006) will take place with the call EM1HO [425DXN 300 - sorry for the typo!). All band (SSB, CW and RTTY) activity is expected to start in early March. QSL via I2PJA.

F - F6CXV will be active from Lozere (French Department 48) from 20 to 26 February, mainly on 40 amd 80 metres.

FS - Operations by FS5PL, FG5BG and FJ5AB from Tintamarre Island [425DXN

297] should now take place from 20 to 22 February,

FT*Z - Eric, FT5ZG started operating from Amsterdam island (AF-002) on 13 January. He will be active for one year. QSL via the French bureau or direct to F5RQQ (Jean-Marc Vigier, 4 Imp Des Lys, 63800 Cournon d'Auvergne, France). Eric faxes his logs to Jean-Marc on a monthly basis.

HP - Joel, F5PAC will be in Panama from 11 February to 7 March. He will be active from IOTA groups NA-170 and NA-202 with diploes and a ground plane for 10, 15 and 20 metres.

HP - Jose, HP2CWB and his team have been granted permission to use the calls 3F2A, H32A and H82A from IOTA group NA-202 in March.

HS - The Southern Thailand DX Group and the Diamond DX Club are organizing an IOTA DXpedition to Terutao Island (Butang group, AS-???) from 14 to 22 March. Operators (HS0/IK4MRH, I4LCK, E21AOY/8 and HS1ASN) will use the special call HS9AL and will be active with two stations SSB and CW (possibly on WARC bands as well). QSL via I4LCK (Franco Armenghi, Via Jussi 9, 40068 San Lazzaro di Savena - BO, Italy).

I - Weather permitting, the Salento DX Team will be IJ7/ from Scoglio Tondo (IIA LE-013) on 9 February.

JD1_mt - JG8NQJ/JD1 will be active from Minami-Torishima (OC-073) until 23 April. His QRV time is limited due to his working commitments on the island. QSL via JA8CJY (Susumu Sanada, 5-4 Shin-ei, Toyohira, Sapporo 004, Japan).

KG4 - Larry, KG4ML will be at Gitmo between 11 and 27 February. He will be active during his spare time (emphasis on WARC bands) and hopes to participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest(15-16 February).

KL7 - Frank, KL7FH is planning to be active from several Alaskan IOTA groups (NA-019, NA-028, NA-037, NA-040, NA-042, NA-050, NA-059, NA-074, NA-087). Check his homepage (http://www.customcpu.com/personal/kl7fh) for updated schedule.

LU - From 14 to 16 February Atilio (LU4DFH), Daniel (LU1EYW) e Jorge (LU5EWO) will be active from Gama Island (SA-022).

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OH0 - OH3LQK and other operators will be active from Aland Islands (EU-002) as OH0MEP from 7 to 10 February. They will participate in the WPX RTTY Contest (multi-multi) as OH0M. QSL for both calls is via OH3LQK.

S2 - Operations by I1SLY from Kutubdia Island (AS-???) [425DXN 297] have been delayed of one month at least.

S9 - S92AT is active again for a few years.

ST0 - John, PA3CXC is currently active as PA3CXC/ST0 from Southern Sudan. He will be visiting also Burundi and Zaire.

UA - Nick (RA1QQ), Alex (RA1QY) and Albert (RA1QHJ) are planning to be active from Vaganikha Island (counts as RR-22-01 for the Russian Robinson Club Award) as UE1QQQ. QSL via RA1QQ (Nick A. Smerdov,

P.O.Box 24, Cherepovets 162627, Russia).

VK0_m - Jack (HB9TL/VK6CTL) could not be active as VK0TL from Macquarie Island (AN-005) and operated from the boat.

VP2V - Jay, WB8ZTY will be active from British Virgin Islands (NA-023) as VP2V/WB8ZTY from 7 to 14 February. He will participate in the CQ WPX RTTY Contest. QSL via home call.

VU_ant - Sen, VU3PMG/p will be active from Indian Antarctic base Maitri (WABA VU-01) [425DXN 297] until 12 April. QSL via VU2DVC.

W - From 17 to 21 February Dave, K1HT (ex-K8JLF) plans to operate from Cumberland Island (NA-058, USI GA-002S) mainly around 14.260 MHz. QSL direct to K8JLF or via the bureau to K1HT.

XT - DF2WO, will be active (SSB and CW) from Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso as XT2AW from 28 March to 14 April. QSL via home call.

XU - Robert, KE2FB is active (CW, SSB and RTTY, 10-80 metres) as XU2FB. QSL via N4JR.

ZB - From 12 to 18 February Andy, G4ZVJ will be active from Gibraltar as ZB2/G4ZVJ. He will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest. QSL via home call.

ZK_nc - Gun, DF4DI is active as ZK1DI/P from Manihiki Atoll (OC-014) until 8 February (QRV for Europe between 05.30 UTC and 08.30 UTC). QSL via DK1RV.

ZS - 3DA0CA will be travelling for business to South Africa and will be active (with 100 watts and various multiband dipoles) as ZS5UZ from 17 to 20 February on 17 and 21 metres CW between 17 and 21 UTC. QSL via W4DR.

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E-MAIL A35RK ---> Paul, A35RK will *not* respond to any Amateur Radio messages sent to his e-mail address, which is only for family and business (it costs him $22 per month *plus* $1.00 for each hook up as it is a long distance call *plus* $0.50 per message in or out!). If you feel that you must get info to/from him, please send your message to his QSL manager Bob, W7TSQ (W7TSQ@AOL.COM).

FT5WE ---> Claude, F5GTW (QSL manager for Samuel, FT5WE) reports that Samuel went QRT on 29 December at 07.03 UTC after some 16,000 QSOs.

QSL 4K4QQ ---> Nick (RA1QQ) is closing logs for 4K4QQ ((ex RA1QQ/RA1Q, AS-022, 1989-1991). QSL to Nick A. Smerdov, P.O.Box 24, Cherepovets 162627, Russia.

QSL 8Q7PA ---> I2PQW is the QSL manager for 8Q7PA operated by IK2GNW only (1986). The call sign has been re-issued to someone else.

QSL CE0 ---> Dave, K7JJ (ex-W7KJJ) started receiving cards for CE0ZIJ and CE0ZIG about five years ago, but he is *not* the QSL manager for either these or any other DX station.

QSL CX8DX ---> The QSL manager for this station is *not* CE3CE [425DXN 300]

but Yann, F1NGP.

QSL FK5M ---> Jean-Michel, F6AJA reports that QSL cards for FK5M (operations from Matthew Island, 3-4 December 1996, OC-218/prov) are being printed. Direct requests will be replied as soon as possible, probably during the first part of February. Bureau cards can be requested through e-mail (send your message to Jean-Michel at duthilleul@eudil.univ-lillel.fr)
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QSL N7QXQ/HR6 ---> NA7X [425DXN 300] is a SK. Current routing for HR6/N7QXQ (Roatan Island, NA-057) is Gareth Kimball/Oak Bay Resort, c/o Jackson Shipping Co., 5353 W Tyson Ave., Tampa, Florida, 33611 USA. Gary has openings at Oak Bay Resort for February and March (including weekends of ARRL and WPX contests). For further information, please call him at 011-504 45-2337 betwwen 23 UTC and 2 UTC.

QSL R420A ---> RV6LFE (Tim V. Konovalov, P.O.Box 3, Novocherkassk, 346427, Russia) will close the logs for R420A (Summer & December 1991) at the end of the year.

QSL R0/UR8LV ---> UY5XE is *not* the QSL manager for Oleg, R0/UR8LV. Cards should be sent direct to Vlad Shvedovsky, P.O.Box 9909, Kharkov 310070 Ukraine, or via the bureau to Oleg himself.

QSL XZ1N ---> Warren, K7WX reports that the XZ1N QSL cards for the August and November operations (23,000 QSOs) are in the final stages of production. Mailing will begin the first week in March. The XZ1N DXpedition web site (http://www.getnet.com/~kf7ay/myanmar.html) has QSL route information. "Am I in the log" checks and buro cards can be requested via e-mail to xz1n@qrz.com

QSL VIA DL6ZFG ---> Rolf, DL6ZFG is *not* the current QSL manager for UV3CC/UA1P, 4K2/UV3CC, 4K2CC, RM8MY, RM8MW, UF6FKW, 4L1FKW, R7RG, UL1RWR, RE92C, UL0ACI, UL0A, UL7ACI, UN0AA, EX8F, UL7OE, UL7AAE, RL7AA, RA6WF, UI9BWO and UL8AWL. He *is* the QSL manager for the following stations: 4K2BY (from 1 January 1993 to 31 December 1994), 4K2OKV (from 1 January 1991 to 31 May 1993), 4K2/4K4BAT (from 1 January 1992 to 31 July 1993), 4K4BAT (from 1 January 1992 to 31 July 1993), 4K4BAT/a (March-April 1993), 4K4BEU (from 1 January 1990 to 31 October 1993), 4K4BEU/a (May 1993 only), 4K4BEU/p (July 1993 only), 4K4BEM (from 1 January 1991 to 31 August 1993), 4K4BG (from 1 January 1991 to 31 October 1993), R100R (EU-133, May 1995 only), RA9LT/9 (AS-089, July-September 1995 only).

QSL VIA UX0UN ---> UX0UN (Nikolaj Sergienko, P.O.Box 55, Kyiv 252135, Ukraine) is the QSL manager for the following stations: RT5UN, UB5UAL, UT5UDX, UT100UDX, UT0U, US0U, RY0U.

V31BB ---> The call V31BB, once belonging to the late Jim Zimskind, has been

re-issued. QSL is via P.O.Box 3132, Belize City, Belize.

ZY0FI ---> Ronaldo, PS7AB reports that the recent ZY0FI operation (QSL via PY2LLD) was a pirate.

QSL riceived via direct: 3V8BB, 5H1HW, DP0MIR, FR5ZU/T, IC8/IK8UHA, IC8/IK8VRH, IJ7/IK7IMO (IIA LE-018), IJ7/IK7XIV (EU-091; IIA LE-001), JY9QJ, OD5NJ, P29VXL, R3AA/9 (AS-109), RF0Z (AS-095), K9PPY/VE1 (NA-010; CISA NS-010 014, 015, 016, 017).

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