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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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3Y0 - The team on Bouvet Island is scheduled to be picked up on 12 February (the date may change due to local conditions). Petrus, 3Y0E is active on 20 metres SSB (14260 kHz with a split of 5 kHz up) and operates barefoot with a vertical antenna. QSL via LZ3HI. Updates, log search and additional information are availabe at www.3y0e.com

CE - CE6TBN, HA1AG, RA0FU and RV1CC will be active as XR7A from Ascension Island (SA-043) on 2-6 February and as XR7W from Wager Island (SA-053) on 9-12 February (weather permitting). They will focus on 30, 40 and 20 metres. Depending on Internet availability, Zoli (HA1AG) will try to update his travelblog (ha1ag.wordpress.com) during the trip. QSLs via HA1AG. [TNX HA1AG]

EA - Adolfo, EA7TV reports he will operate as EA7TV/P from the two El Rompido lighthouses (ARLHS SPA-271 and and SPA-337) on 8-10 February. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

EA8 - Slavo, SP2JMB reports he will be active as EA8/SP2JMB from Tenerife, Canary Islands (AF-004) on 12-19 February. He will operate CW and SSB on 80-10 metres. QSl via home call, direct or bureau.

ES - Twenty-six ES90 callsigns (from ES90A to ES90Z) will be aired during February (but some stations will be active also later, e.g. in the major international contests) to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the proclamation of the Republic of Estonia (24 February 1918). [TNX ES2MC]

ES - Vello, ES1QD will be active as ES90M from Muhu Island (EU-034) sometime in February. QSL via home call. [TNX K1XN]

FJ - Nigel, G3TXF is currently active as FJ/G3TXF from St. Barthelemy (NA-146). He operates CW on 40-10 metres and will be leaving the island on on 5 February in his early morning. QSL via home call.

HH - Yannick, HH2FYD will operate as HH2FYD/6 from Ile a Vache (NA-149) from about 16 UTC on 2 February until about 23 UTC on the 5th. Expect activity on 20 metres SSB (+/- 14260 kHz). On-line logs will be avialable at http://www.cdxc.org/dxp/2007-HH2FYD/hh2fyd-fr.htm . QSL via F6FYD. [TNX F5NQL]

LU - Dario, LU3DR is active as AY0DX until 31 December. The special callsign celebrates the 100th anniversary of the San Jose School in the city of Tandil, Argentina. QSL via LU3DR. [TNX LU3DR]

PY - The PW2M team [425DXN 869] originally had planned to be active from Moela Island (SA-071) until 8 February, but they have been authorized through the 5th only. Access is granted, permissions are given and transportation is supplied by the Brazilian Navy. Expect PW2M to be aired on 160-6 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and BPSK (plus 60m on an experimental basis for the first time in Brazil) with four stations operating simultaneously depending on propagation. QSL via

AI4U or (for Brazilian stations) PY2AA. [TNX PY2WAS]

PZ - PZ5WW (AC8W), PZ5DD (K8DD), PZ5TX (KB8TXZ) and PZ5AY (W5JAY) will be operating from the QTH of PZ5RA, Suriname on 13-18 February. Look for activity on 160-10 metres, with a particular emphasis on the low bands. They will participate in the ARRL DX CW Contest as PZ5WW (Multi-Single). QSL PZ5DD and PZ5WW via K8DD; QSL PZ5TX via KB8TXZ; QSL PZ5AY via W5JAY. [TNX K8DD]

S2 - S21ZDT is the new callsign issued to Toby, SM4XDJ for his activity from Bangladesh [425DXN 871]. He will be active from different locations between 1 and 17 February, and will operate SSB and digital modes during his evening hours and the weekends. QSL via SM4XIH. On-line logs will be available at http://s21zdt.fittest.nu [TNX SM4XIH]

TI9 - The TI9K licence, previously issued to TI2KAC, has been reissued to TI7WGI when Carlos decided to drop out of the expedition. The TI9K final team of operators includes Joe/AA4NN, Oscar/EA1DR, Carlos/EA1IR, Andy/DH8WR (EA2CRX), Fred/DH5FS, Norbert/DJ7JC, Guenter/DL2AWG, Manfred/DL2EBR (HS0ZEU), Craig/K9CT, Arno/OE9AMJ, Gunter/TI7WGI, Yamini/VU2YAM and Charles/W4GMY. They plan to be active from Isla del Coco (NA-012) from 6 to 14 February with 6 stations on 160-10m (plus 60m and 6m) CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and EME. Announced frequencies are:

	CW	SSB	RTTY	PSK
160m	1815/1830	1845	1838	1838
80m	3515	3794	3590	3580
40m	7015	7089	7038	7035
30m	10110	10135	10140	10138
20m	14015	14205	14080	14070
17m	18076	18155	18100	18100
15m	21015	21260	21080	21080
12m	24910	24950	24925	24920
10m	28015	28495	28085	28070
6m	50100	50120	50080	50080

QSL via EA2CRX, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.ti9.eu.com [TNX DJ7JC]

V3 - Gerd, DJ4KW (V31YN, http://www.qslnet.de/member/dj4kw/v31yn.htm) and Gisela, DK9GG (V31GW) are active from Consejo Shores, Belize until the end of February. On 19-25 February they will operate as V31YN/p and V31GW/p from Southwater Caye (NA-180). QSL via home calls, direct or bureau. Logs will be uploaded to LoTW.

VP5 - Saul, WA1UKN is active as VP5/WA1UKN from Grand Turk (NA-003) until 7 May. QSL to home call. [TNX ARRL DX Bulletin]

W - Dennis, WA2USA will be active as either WA2USA/4 and K4D from Dauphin Island (NA-213) on 9-18 February. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. [TNX www.rsgbiota.org]

YI - Reidar Larsen, K2PT has obtained a licence and will commence operation from Iraq imminently as YI9PT. Initially he will operate on 17 and 20 metres utilizing a wire antenna until a SteppIR yagi arrives. Once fully operational, activity will be on 10-160 metres. Currently, the support team is raising funds to obtain an amplifier. QSL via N4XP. Additional information, updates and log check will be avialbale on the Stafford DX Association's website

(www.stafford-dx-association.org). [TNX N1DG]

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DXCC NEWS ---> ARRL DXCC Manager Bill Moore, NC1L reports that the 2007 E4/OM2DX DXpedition to Palestine has been approved for DXCC credit. If you had cards rejected for this operation, please send an e-mail to the ARRL DXCC Desk (dxcc@arrl.org) and you will be placed on the list for update.

TOP LISTS ---> The latest Topband, Topmode and Toplist listings are now available at http://www.425dxn.org/awards/toplist/index.html. Please send your scores, as well as any request for further information, to Erminio Pandocchi, I2EOW (i2eow@ari.it)

VP6DX ---> Robin, WA6CDR and the M/V Braveheart are on schedule, planning to arrive at Mangareva Atoll on 2-3 February. The remaining twelve operators are converging on Tahiti between 3 and 4 February. On the 5th they will depart for Mangareva, where they will immediately board the ship and leave for their final destination. Arrival at Ducie is still expected in the pre-dawn darkness of 9 February. Read the rest of the latest news bulletin (#9, 31 January), including details on the techniques VP6DX will use to help achieve geographical balance, on the expedition's website (www.vp6dx.com).

YT6T ---> The YT6T station active during the CQ WW 160-Meter CW Contest was not not located in Montenegro, but in the Serbian province of Vojvodina, and it was operated by members of Radio Klub Senta. QSL via YU7JDE. [TNX YT5CC]

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3D2HC	DL9HCU	CU1CB	EA5KB	L50E	LU2EE
3W2TXR	JA2TXR	CU2A	OH2BH	LU5FF	EA5KB
3W3W	OK1DOT	CU7T	CT1GFK	LX7I	LX2A
3Y0E	LZ3HI	CU8/CT3FN	HB9CRV	LZ130LO	LZ1KZA
3Z0CWZ	SP9PTG	CU8/CT3FN	HB9CRV	LZ9W	LZ1PM
4O/YT1HA	RX3RC [a]	CU8A	CT1GFK	OH0Z	W0MM
4O/YT1HA	YT1HA	CU8AT	CT1GFK	OL7T	OK2KJU
4O3A	AI4U [b]	CW0TOP	CX5BW	ON1000NOTGER	ON5VL [d]
4O3A	UA3DX [a]	CX7CO	KA5TUF	ON1000NOTGER	ON6DP [e]
4O3A	YU1FW [c]	DL40RRDXA	DL1YFF	OO2O	ON4LDI
4Z8AY	F5LGE	DR25RIN	DL8OBQ	OY3QN	OZ1ACB

5B/KI0BP	UA6MF	E51WWA	AD7AF	P40LE	K2LE
5B8AD	W3HNK	EF5K	EA5KB	R1AND	RU1ZC
5H1CM	DL7CM	EF8M	RX3DU	R1ANR	RZ3BJ
5K3T	HK3O	EG5Y	EA5CY	RL3A	W3HNK
5P5CW	DL5SE	EI7JW	OK1TN	RW2F	DK4VW
8P0P	8P9NX	EK6LP	IK2DUW	S01MZ	EA1BT
8Q7AK	G7COD	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	SF700BF	SK6NL
9A/VE3ZIK	DO7ZZ	ES90J	ES1GE	SO9R	SP9SX
9A73AA	9A2AA	EW6GF	DL8KAC	T93J	T98U
9G1AA	PA3ERA	EX65SB	UA4AM	TF3CW	LX1NO
9G5XA	G3SWH	EX7MK	IK2QPR	TM2OP	F8DYD
9L1BTB	SP7BTB	EY8AW	DJ1MM	TM4A	F6KVP
A41MX	EB7DX	EY8CQ	DJ1MM	TM5M	F1NGP
A52K	JA1CG	HA80MRASZ	HA1DAE	TM5Z	F5RMY
A61AB	IZ8CLM	HB10DX	HB9AGH	TR8CA	F6CBC
A61AS	YO3FRI	HG100WTE	HA5AEZ	TT8PK	F4EGS
A61C	W4JS	HG1848I	HA3HK	TY5ZR	IK2IQD
A61Q	EA7FTR	HG550REX	HA5GY	UE3WDA	RW3WWW
A61R	EA7FTR	HI3TEJ	ON4IQ	VK7AAP	IK1PMR
A92C	A92GR	HL0LPM/2	6K2BWA	VK7CLA	IK1PMR
AN3A	EA3KU	HQ9R	K5WW	VP5/AE6XY	JA1CJA
AX7AAP	IK1PMR	HR9/WQ7R	AI4U	VP5/AE6YQ	JA3BZO
AX7CLA	IK1PMR	HS0ZID	WX8C	VP5/W3AVO	JA3AVO
BA4T	BA4TA	HS0ZIF	W1QA	VP6PR	JJ8DEN
BY4JN/4	BG4JUU	HS0ZII	DL1RTL	VP8CLE	G1OCN
C33IU	G4KEE	J47XCF	SV7FSK	VP8DIF	DJ9ZB
C6AGU	AA7JV	PJ5NA	K1NA	VP9I	N1HRA
C6ANM	WA2IYO	J79SJ	W5FO	VY2ZM	K1ZM
C91R	CT1BXT	J79XBI	SM7XBI	XT2ABN	F6ABN
CN2R	W7EJ	JY4NE	K3IRV	XV4IVG	IS0IVG
CO7EH	AD4C	K2A	KA3CTQ	XW1B	E21EIC
CO7PH	W3HNK	KG4AS	N4SIA	YT30FOC	YT1E
CO8LY	EA7ADH	KG4OS	KD4OS	YT6T	YU7JDE
CP4BT	EA5KB	KG4SS	K4MIL	Z29KM	EA7FTR
CS2GVA	CT1FUH	KG4WV	W4WV	ZD7X	W0MM
CT3AS	DJ8FW	KL7Z	W7IAN	ZF2BJ	K0BJ
CT9M	CT3EE	KP2M	AI4U	ZS6CCY	K3PD

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