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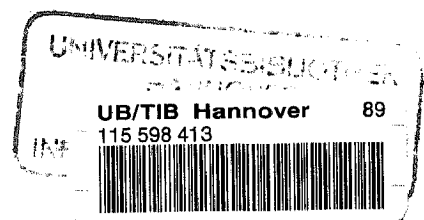
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PRELIMINARY NOTES

1   The Questions entrusted to each Study Group for the Study Period 1989-1992 can be found in Contribution No. 1 to that Study Group.

2   In this Fascicle, the expression "Administration" is used for shortness to indicate both a telecommunication Administration and a recognized private operating agency.

3   The status of annexes and appendices attached to the Series X Recommendations should be interpreted as follows (except where specified):

—   an *annex* to a Recommendation forms an integral part of the Recommendation;

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