



**GRUPPO RADIO ITALIA**  
**ALFA TANGO**  
CB-HAM-SWL-BCL-RADIO GROUP  
DIVISION : FRANCE



## Rules

# FRENCH DIRECTORS CONTEST 2011

### **Purpose of the contest :**

To allow every AT members to contact, during the year, all the directors and some bonus stations located on the 14 division, like on the divisions constituting French territories and dependancies : 14, 22, 104, 136, 141, 172, 173, 196, 201, 207.

### **Participants :**

All the directors located on the divisions previously quoted, and several special stations called "bonus stations".

All AT members, up to date with their obligations towards the group, on all divisions

### **Duration and unfolding of the contest :**

The contest will take place during all the year, from 2011 January 1<sup>st</sup> at 00H00 (GMT), to 2011 December 31<sup>st</sup> at 12H00 pm (GMT).

It will take place in 11 parts of 48 hours each, between Saturday at 00h00 GMT and Sunday at 12h00 pm GMT, during the first week-end of each month (excepted in March when it will happen during the 2nd week-end, and in October when it will happen during the 3rd week-end).

It will occur on the usual frequencies (i.e 27.405 to 27.855), excepted the frequencies ranging from 27,501 MHz to 27,604 MHz.

Transmission modes AM, FM and SSB are all allowed.

### **Obligations for the participating AT members, and particular rules :**

All participating members will have to use the contest documents (digital or paper log and scoreboard, downloadable on the French AT web site, in the section "Alfa Tango / Documentation / Feuille de log Contest Directeur").

For each contact, they will have to report callsign, date, time, frequency, transmission mode, signal report and progressive number.

All directors will be contactable during each part of the contest, even if they have been already contacted during a previous part.

### **Obligations for the directors and bonus stations, particular rules :**

The directors and bonus stations will have to use the official contest documents reserved to them, and downloadable on the French AT web site, in the section " Alfa Tango / Documentation / Feuille de log directeur et bonus".

On the log sheet, it will have to be recorded for each contact : callsign of the contacted member, progressive number given to him, date, time, frequency, transmission mode and radio report.

The directors will have to report themselves on the frequency, with their personal callsign /Delta (like director).

The bonus stations will have to report themselves on the frequency, with their personal callsign /Bravo (like bonus).

### **Obligations shared by all participating members, directors and bonus stations :**

Only single operator stations, transmitting from fixed or mobile terrestrial stations, are allowed to participate. Any other forms of stations are not authorized.

Only official log sheets and summary scoreboard will be admitted for the final classification.

Deadline to send the log sheets : 2012 January 31st, for all participants.

The sending of log sheets and summary table can be made via Internet, as an attachment in a mail with acknowledgment of delivery.

**Adresse Contest manager : [fdc@alfatango-fr.org](mailto:fdc@alfatango-fr.org)**

### **Classification and penalties :**

For participating members :

1 point will be awarded for each contact made with a director

10 points will be awarded for every contact made with a bonus station.

Penalties :

1 point of penalty for each erroneous data (call, n° progressif, etc).

The classification will be made according to the number of gained points, decreased with the penalties for the errors.

The operators will be classified in the decreasing order, according to the number of thus obtained points.

A classification will be made for the 3 categories: members, directors and bonus station.

### **Rewards, proclamation of the results, prize-giving :**

According to the results, a cup will be given to :

- 3 first operators of the category "members"
- 3 first operators of the category "directors"
- First lady
- 3 first stations of the category "bonus"

The results will be proclaimed, and the cups given, during the French meeting 2012.

### **Particularities of the contest :**

#### **Confirmation of the contacts :**

No confirmation is required, the datas of log sheets validating the established contacts. Nevertheless if a participant wishes to receive a QSL for personal reasons, he will have to do the request in sending his own QSL, accompanied by a minimal contribution.

#### **Bonus stations :**

They will be at the number of eight, namely : 14AT022 / 14AT029 / 14AT065 / 22AT263 / 14AT069. (The directors being reproduced on this list will take part only to the bonus stations category).

### **Litigations and complaints :**

Everything which is not planned in the present regulation is considered as null and void, and cannot be the subject of complaints.

If a litigation appeared on any point of the regulation, or during the classifications, the final decision would belong to the contest manager, and would be without appeal.

*Thanks to transmit these informations to the people who are not connected to Internet. Thanks for your help and your participation.*

**THE FRENCH DIRECTORS CONTEST TEAM: 14AT022 / 14AT069 / 14AT148**