



## 12º CQWS – CQ World Scouts - HF - 2014

April , 12<sup>nd</sup> and 13<sup>rd</sup> , 2014

### Contest Rules

#### OBJECTIVES:

1. The CQWS - CQ World Scouts is an annual ham radio contest activity organized by the Scouts of Brazil - UEB and recognized by the World Organization of the Scout Movement - WOSM , aiming to promote the practice of Amateur Radio in Scouting , with the help of the Amateur Radio Leagues, Clubs, Associations and experienced hams, promoting Scouting and preparing our youth for the skillful use of its stations in supporting Scouting activities and Civil Defense .

#### DATE AND TIME:

2. O CQWS – CQ World Scouts é realizado no **2º final de semana cheio de abril**, das 16h00 UTC (**13h00 Brasília**) do sábado, até as 16h00 UTC (**13h00 Brasília**) do domingo. Em 2014, será realizado nos dias 12 e 13 de abril. DATE AND TIME: The CQWS - CQ World Scouts is held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> full weekend of April from 16h00 UTC on Saturday until 16h00 UTC on Sunday. In 2014, it will be on 12<sup>nd</sup> and 13<sup>rd</sup>.

#### MODES AND BANDS:

3. Contacts on SSB - 80 , 40 , 20 , 15 and 10 meters.

#### CATEGORIES:

4. The stations should set a category to participate from the following:

##### 4.1. Single Operator:

All the work of operation and registration must be performed by one person , the operator feathered one transmitted signal at any time.

##### 4.1.1. Single Operator – Single Band

The station should only choose a valid band for the contest.

##### 4.1.2. Single Operator – All Bands

The station can work on all valid bands for the contest.

##### 4.2. Multi Operator:

More than one person can operate the station during the Contest , contributing to the final score . Only one transmitted signal at any time from just one transmitter;

##### 4.2.1. Multi Operator – All Bands

The station can work on all valid bands for the contest.

#### SPECIAL QUALIFIERS - ACRONYMS:

5. Acronyms qualifying the CQWS:

- 5.1. **ON** - Stations of CQWS Organization and the World JOTA - JOTI Team (20 points);
- 5.2. **OM** - Official Station of the World Organization of the Scout Movement (20 points);
- 5.3. **CN** – National JOTA or Radio Scouting Coordinators (10 pontos);
- 5.4. **CR** – Regional JOTA or Radio Scouting Coordinators (10 pontos);
- 5.5. **HQ** – LABRES and National Associations recognized by the IARU Amateur (10 pontos);
- 5.6. **CE** – Group, Regional or National Scout Association stations recognized by WOSM (10 points) ;
- 5.7. **CH** - Estações de grêmios, Clubes ou Associações de Radioamadores: (10 pontos);
- 5.8. **RE** – Scout Ham Radio (5 pontos);
- 5.9. **RA** – Non Scout Ham (5 pontos);

#### MULTIPLIERS:

6. Should consider the following multipliers:
  - 6.1. Contacts with the same region or prefix stations , the multiplier is 1;
  - 6.2. Contacts with other regions or prefixes stations , the multiplier is 2;
  - 6.3. Contacts with stations in other countries , the multiplier is 3;



#### **VALUES OF CONTACTS:**

7. The calculation of points of the season will be as follows:
  - 7.1. The calculation of points of each contact will be **Acronym x Multiplier**;
  - 7.2. The final score of the station will be the sum of all points in all contacts;
  - 7.3. Only be validated contacts confirmed in the logs of both stations.

#### **INFO EXCHANGE :**

8. During the contest, participants will Exchange **RS signals**, followed by an **acronym**, ie , the special qualifiers detailed in item 5 of this Regulation.

#### **LOGS AND RESULTS:**

9. The procedure for sending LOGs are::
  - 9.1. All logs must be submitted up to April, 30<sup>th</sup>;
  - 9.2. Logs should be sent in the Cabrillo format for **cqws@radioescotismo.com.br**;
  - 9.3. Logs sent or posted after April, 30<sup>th</sup> will be listed, but not eligible for awards.
10. The CQWS Organization offers diplomas and non-cumulative distinctions:
  - 10.1. Participation Certifies to stations that send their LOGs;
  - 10.2. Plates or Frames to first place winners in each category;
  - 10.3. Prizes in each category will only be granted for a minimum of 10 stations;
  - 10.4. Single operator stations must operate at least 4 hours for disputing the award;
  - 10.5. Multi - operator stations must operate at least 8 hours for disputing the award.

#### **SPECIAL AWARDS FOR BRAZILIAN SCOUTS 2014:**

11. Will be offered to scout station that has the highest overall score (regardless of class), an airline ticket to participate in the National Scout Jamboree in Brazil in 2015;
  - 11.1. The winning station should inform traveler personal data no later than 15 days after the announcement of results, because it's necessary to buy the air ticket.
  - 11.2. The traveler must be registered at UEB - Scout Association – in the current year;
  - 11.3. The flight tickets are limited to 10,000 miles per stretch , counted from the nearest town operated by TAM in Brazil , bound for Natal / RN , during the Jamboree ;
  - 11.4. Tickets can not be transferred after its issuance ;
  - 11.5. In the event of rebooking or refund the costs shall be paid by the indicated / guardian ;
  - 11.6. The awardee must attend the activity at the Radio Scouting Base at National Jamboree;
  - 11.7. Dates and Times of the flights will be determined by CQWS Organization;

#### **DECLARATION:**

12. When you submit your logs to participate in CQWS , you agree that:
  - 12.1. Read, understood and agree to the contest rules;
  - 12.2. Must take part in accordance with these rules and to the legislation of the Amateur Radio service of your country ;
  - 12.3. The information in the LOG were made in accordance with the regulations ;
  - 12.4. LOGs, records of contacts from your station, may be published and made public;
  - 12.5. All actions and decisions of the Organization CQWS shall be final and shall be binding.

#### **NOTES:**

13. The Organization is not responsible for classifying LOGs that disagree with this Regulation;
14. Participants are allowed to use Clusters and Spots , but self-spot is not allowed;
15. Brazilian Radio Scouting National Team thanks all participants and collaborators in this activity.

#### **GUIDELINES:**

16. The recommended software for recording LOGs is N1MM - V.08.05.12 version or newer;
17. The N1MM software can be downloaded from <http://n1mm.hamdocs.com>;
18. Updates are in N1MM [http://n1mm.hamdocs.com/tiki-list\\_file\\_gallery.php?galleryId=15](http://n1mm.hamdocs.com/tiki-list_file_gallery.php?galleryId=15);
19. The results will be published in UEB – Radioescotismo site, at [www.radioescotismo.com.br](http://www.radioescotismo.com.br);