



Hong Kong Amateur Radio DX Association

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# CODE OF ETHICS

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## MEMBERS CODE OF ETHICS

### The "Ten Commandments"

The following Code Of Ethics are to be abided by all HARDXA Members, however these may be subject to review and amendments where necessary from time to time to reflect actual relevant licensing and operating conditions . A HARDXA Members is:-

- 1) CONSIDERATE...Never knowingly operates in such a manner as to lessen the pleasure to others and to cause QRM to other Dxers.
  - 2) LOYAL...Offers loyalty, encouragement, support and advice to fellow members.
  - 3) PROGRESSIVE...Keeps abreast with science and technology, strives to be informed of all DX propagation modes and techniques, keeps and runs a well-built and efficient DX radio station and maintains proper DX operating skills which are accepted internationally and beyond reproach.
  - 4) LEGAL...Does not knowingly engage in practices and operations which are illegal thereby conflicting with his licence conditions and/or thereby affecting other HARDXA members.
  - 5) BALANCED...Radio is an avocation, never to interfere with duties owed to family, friends, occupation, school or community.
  - 6) CONSERVATIVE...A HARDXA member never knowingly wastes resources and frequency spectrum allocated for the purposes of Dxing and amateur radio experimentation.
  - 7) AWARE...Keeps himself/herself abreast of the latest band plans in his/her region (as adopted by IARU regions I, II, & III) and allotted modes of operation within the band plans for every amateur radio band within the radio spectrum.
  - 8) HELPFUL...Assists other Dxers of HARDXA and other countries in the proper pursuit of Dxing wherever and whenever practical.
  - 9) SUPPORTIVE...Shall be supportive and put the interests of HARDXA first wherever and whenever practical without interference to family, friends, occupation, school or community.
  - 10) NON POLITICAL AND RELIGIOUS AS A HAM... A HARDXA member shall not involve HARDXA or it's members in any politics or religious issues.
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