

IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

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Dear P802.16e Ballot Group:

Thank you for your participation in the Sponsor Ballot Recirculation of P802.16e/D8, which ran from 24 May – 8 June 2005.

A Ballot Resolution Committee appointed by the IEEE 802.16 Working Group met on 14-16 June 2005 to address the comments received. Following comment resolution, a number of Ballot Group Members have informed me that, based on the resolutions of their comments, they would like to change their vote to Approve. We anticipate that these voters will confirm their change to Approve during the recirculation and that others may also convert based on the comment resolutions. With the changes accounted for, the current vote status is 126 Approve votes, 14 Disapprove votes, and 9 abstentions, for an approval ratio of 90.0%. A list of the Disapprove voters is included as an Annex to this letter.

We are requesting that the IEEE Balloting Center initiate a fifteen-day recirculation of the new draft P802.16e/D9 (file *P80216e_D9.pdf*), along with a marked-up a copy (file *P80216e_D9delta.pdf*) with all changes indicated. In addition, we are including a report of the Technical Required comments received in the latest recirculation as document IEEE 802.16-05/039 (file *80216-05_039.pdf*). Note that editorial comments and comments whose resolution has been explicitly accepted are not included. For a complete set of comments and resolutions from the latest recirculation, please see the hyperlinked document [IEEE 802.16-05/035r4](#). Also, you may wish to see the remaining unresolved technical comments from the prior ballot rounds; these are in [IEEE 802.16-05/010r3](#) (regarding D5), [IEEE 802.16-05/012r6](#) (regarding D6), and [IEEE 802.16-05/023r7](#) (regarding D7). In some cases, the comments and resolutions refer to document numbers of the form C802.16e-04/*ijk* or C802.16e-05/*ijk*. These documents are available at <http://ieee802.org/16/tge>.

Please take this opportunity to review the material. You are not obligated to reply; if you do not, your current vote will stand. Based on the changes to the draft or on the Disapprove comments and responses, you may change your vote and/or submit additional comments. If you wish to re-vote or comment, please keep the deadline in mind. Instructions have been provided by the IEEE Balloting Center.

If you have voted Disapprove, I urge you to review the comment resolutions and let us know which, if any, of your comments have been satisfactorily resolved. If you choose to cast an Approve vote, we will assume that all of them are resolved to your satisfaction.

Sincerely,

Roger Marks
Chair, IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

Annex: Disapprove Voters

Phillip Barber
Remi Chayer
Carl Eklund
James Gilb
Tal Kaitz
Mika Kasslin
Brian Kiernan
Jonathan Labs
Aviram Lobel
Greg Phillips
Dorothy Stanley
Victor Stolpman
Joanne Wilson
Vladimir Yanover