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Dear Roger,

In response to your letter of January 26, 2001, I would like to thank you for accepting BRAN's proposal on provision of the IEEE 802.16 site password to recent HIPERACCESS participants. In addition, I appreciate your interim solution for making available IEEE802.16 drafts to HIPERACCESS Standard Area participants (the below 11GHz Group called HIPERMAN and the Group working on millimeter wave range) through liaison persons. We regard it as a matter of course that the drafts distributed by liaisons or downloaded from IEEE 802.16 site are only for HIPERACCESS participants personal use.

I would like to inform you that the plenary of BRAN#22 has approved the Technical Report BRAN/DTR 101 856 ("Functional Requirements for Fixed Wireless Access Systems below 11GHz: HIPERMAN" finalized by the HIPERMAN Working Group). The Working Group intends to evaluate the compliance of the 802.16.3 (as well as other proposed and existing standards) with the functional requirements of Report BRAN/DTR 101 856, as proposed by your Liaison Letter. Therefore, the plenary of BRAN#22 decided to open a New Work Item to assess the compliance of such standards with the HIPERMAN requirements. The results of this assessment will be included in the new revision of the document BRAN/DTR 101 856.

With best regards,

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