

IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

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To: Tim Hewitt
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Subject: Summary of ITU-R related activities during IEEE 802.16 Session #61

Dear Tim,

Following previous correspondence on matters of interest to the IEEE 802.16 Working Group and the WiMAX Forum, we would like to inform you of the activities during our Session #61 of March 2009.

IEEE 802.16 is pleased to inform you that IEEE has approved for submission to the ITU-R the following documents prepared by the IEEE 802.16 WG:

- 1) **L802.16-09/0026r1**: *Response to liaison statement from Working Party 5A on BWA characteristics for use in compatibility studies with Fixed-Satellite Service systems in the 3 400-4 200 MHz band*
- 2) **L802.16-09/0027r1**: *Response to liaison statement from Working Party 5D on IMT parameters in the 790-862 MHz band*
- 3) **L802.16-09/0029r1**: *Revision of Recommendation ITU-R M.1801*
- 4) **L802.16-09/0031**: *On submission of candidate IMT-advanced RIT based on IEEE Project 802.16m*
- 5) **L802.16-09/0032**: *Response to liaison statement from Working Party 5A on invitation for contributions on the Proposed Draft New Report ITU-R M.[LMS.PPDR.UHF TECH]*
- 6) **L802.16-09/0033r2**: *Update of OFDMA TDD WMAN in Revision 9 of Recommendation ITU-R M.1457*

These documents are available at <http://ieee802.org/16/liaison>. Those intended for WP 5D (items 2, 4, and 6 above) could be updated in May prior to the submission deadline.

IEEE has also received a Liaison Statement from ITU-R Working Party 5D on femtocells. We are preparing a response and plan to conclude it at our Session #61 (4-7 May 2009 in Cairo).

Also note:

- We updated the workplan ([L802.16-08/0058](http://www.ieee802.org/16/0058)) of our ITU-R Liaison Group.
- We drafted IMT-Advanced submission templates and issued a *Call for Comments and Contributions on IMT-Advanced Submission* ([L802.16-09/0036r1](http://www.ieee802.org/16/0036r1)) on these draft templates and on the simulation package.

We look forward to further cooperation with the WiMAX Forum on matters of mutual interest.

Regards,

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