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To: Dr. Roger B. Marks, Chair, IEEE 802.16

Subject: **Schedule for future activities in IMT-Advanced standardization**

Dear Dr. Roger B. Marks,

We are happy to continue our collaboration with IEEE802.16 WG regarding IMT-Advanced standardization. We look forward to a successful completion of the ITU-R IMT-Advanced standardization through close collaboration.

At the previous ITU-R Working Party 5D meeting in February 2010 in Turin, the group discussed the schedule of IMT.RSPEC and clarified the meanings of “finalization” and “completion” of IMT.RSPEC by investigating the previous experience of IMT-2000 and Rec. M.1457. The conclusion of the discussion was: (1) IMT.RSPEC is completed at the 10<sup>th</sup> ITU-R WP5D meeting (March 2011) and (2) global core specifications should be submitted by then.

According to the ITU-R IMT-Advanced process, TTA should initiate a process for the transposition of IEEE submissions after ITU-R WP5D March 2011 meeting and finalize it before SG5 meeting, which is not yet scheduled.

Taking into account “Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) between TTA and IEEE-SA (8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2010)” and “Agreement between IEEE and TTA regarding IEEE Standard 802.16 (4th Sep 2009)”, TTA PG702 is planning to start the transposition of IEEE 802.16m standard as soon as IEEE 802.16m is approved in IEEE. In order to plan TTA’s internal work, we would like to ask for the IEEE 802.16m development schedule. For the successful completion of ITU-R IMT-Advanced development and preparation of the transposition in a timely manner, TTA wish a swift approval of IEEE 802.16m, most preferably by the end of 2010.

Sincerely yours,

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