Call for Contributions

IEEE 802.16's License-Exempt (LE) Task Group

Deadline: 11 July 2005

IEEE 802.16's License-Exempt (LE) Task Group <http://wirelessman.org/le> is working to develop a draft under the P802.16h PAR, which was approved by the IEEE-SA Standards Board on 8 December 2008. The PAR:

>   http://ieee802.org/16/docs/04/80216-04_56r1.pdf

has the following scope statement: "This amendment specifies improved mechanisms, as policies and medium access control enhancements, to enable coexistence among license-exempt systems based on IEEE Standard 802.16 and to facilitate the coexistence of such systems with primary users."

The Task Group has been maintaining a pre-draft Working Document. This was considerably revised at the Working Group's Session #37. The current version is available as IEEE 802.16h-05/013:

>   http:// ieee802.org/16/le/docs/80216h-05_013.pdf

Contributions are currently requested addressing the following topics:

1. Security approach
During Session #37, two possible approaches were discussed and temporarily included in the Working Document: one using RADIUS and another using IPSEC with the key exchange based on IKEv2. Contributions addressing the security solution and/or comments on the advantages/disadvantages of the proposed solutions are requested.

2. Coexistence Protocol message format
The text in the Working Document should be consolidated based on contributions addressing the message format.

3. Text for the IEEE P802.16h draft, according to the Table of Contents of the Working Document.

4. Other topics that are relevant for 802.16h PAR.

Contributions will be considered non-confidential and will be posted for public access on the IEEE 802.16 Web Site <http://WirelessMAN.org>.

Submit your contribution by the **deadline of 11 July 2005** following the instructions at <http://WirelessMAN.org/submit.html>. Make use of the "le" upload directory: <http://le.WirelessMAN.org>

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