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To: Michael Truss, Chair, 3GPP TSG-SA

Dear Mr. Truss,

IEEE 802.16 was pleased to receive your request S5-040724 of 18 November 2004 (IEEE L802.16-04/38) to establish a liaison relationship with 3GPP TSG-SA WG5. IEEE 802.16 agrees that it is entirely appropriate and useful to establish a liaison relationship at this time, and it looks forward to investigating how we may work together with your group on areas of mutual interest.

In compliance with IEEE 802 procedures, IEEE 802.16 would like to establish the liaison relationship directly with our 802.16 Working Group, rather than with the Working Group's Network Management (NetMan) Task Group.

We have not yet identified a suitable liaison official. However, we welcome communications and information exchanges.

For details of our session of 15-19 November, please see the IEEE 802.16 Session #34 Report: http://wirelessMAN.org/meetings/mtg34/report.html>.

We look forward to working with you in our future efforts.

Sincerely,

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