

Call for Comments on Baseline Task Group Document IEEE 802.16i-06/001r1:

Deadline: 3 May 2006 AOE

On 7 December 2005, the IEEE-SA Standards Board approved the IEEE 802.16 Working Group Project Authorization Request (PAR) P802.16i to develop a new amendment to IEEE Standard 802.16. The PAR http://standards.ieee.org/board/nes/projects/802-16i.pdf is entitled "Amendment to IEEE Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks - Part 16: Air Interface for Broadband Wireless Access Systems - Mobile Management Information Base" It has the scope:

This document provides mobility enhancements to IEEE Std 802.16 MIB for the MAC, PHY and associated management procedures. The project will use protocol-neutral methodologies for network management to develop resource models and related solution sets for the management of devices in a multivendor 802.16 mobile network.

The IEEE 802.16 Working Group's Network Management (NetMan) Task Group http://WirelessMAN.org/netman is assigned to develop the draft.

At the WG's Session #42 of March 2006, the NetMan TG resolved comments, as documented in http://WirelessMAN.org/netman/docs/80216i-06_003r2.pdf) to create the resulting revised Baseline Task Group Document 802.16i-06/001r1 http://wirelessMAN.org/netman/docs/80216i-06_001r1.zip.

This Call for Comments requests input relevant to that Baseline Task Group Document IEEE 802.16i-06/001r1.

Submit your comments (with or without associated contributions) by the **deadline of 3 May 2006** following the instructions at http://wirelessMAN.org/submit.html. Contributions should be included only if the issue and/or proposed remedy are so substantial as to require the contribution format for appropriate presentation. Any contribution must be referenced by an appropriate comment.

Make use of the "NetMan" upload directory http://netman.WirelessMAN.org to post both your comments and any contributions. Comment files should be submitted in the name format '16iComments_*YourName*.usr'. Contribution document naming format will follow the standard IEEE 802.16 naming convention using 'i' for the project designation, with the format 'C802.16i-06/ijk'. Comments and contributions will be considered non-confidential and will be posted for public access on the IEEE 802.16 Web Site http://wirelessMAN.org.

This is not a ballot and no vote to 'Approve' or 'Disapprove' the document is appropriate at this time. This is a Call for Comments to improve the document and prepare it for Draft status.

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