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LIAISON STATEMENT**For action to:** -**For comment to:** TSAG, all ITU-T Study Groups**For information to:** 3GPP SA WG5, 3GPP2 TSG-S WG2, ATIS TMOC and OBF, BBF, DMTF CIM, ETSI TISPAN WG8, TM Forum TIP and SID, IEEE 802, IETF O&M Area, MEF, OASIS WSDM and TMS**Approval:** ITU-T SG2 plenary (10 June 2011)**Deadline:** 15 August 2011

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ITU-T Study Group 2 (SG2) considered in its June 2011 meeting the report from the Joint Coordination Activity on Management (JCA-Mgt). In this report it was proposed to terminate the JCA-Mgt. The reasons are: (1) the severe decline since mid 2010 in the number of contributions to the work of the JCA and the level of attendance in its meetings; (2) the fact that the current convenor will step down per 10 June 2011, and that no successor could be identified. The complete report is attached to this liaison statement for your information.

SG2 would like to draw the attention in particular to section 4 of the report which states:

The coordinating function for the work on telecommunication management *inside* ITU-T, in support of the role of Study Group 2 as the lead Study Group for this area, will be continued by Question 12/2.

Support for, and coordination of cooperation or harmonization activities in the area of telecommunication management between groups inside ITU-T and standards development organizations and/or fora *outside* ITU-T, if needed, will be provided by Question 8/2.

SG2 accepted the report and decided to support the termination of the JCA. According to the stipulations in ITU-T Recommendation A.1, para. 2.2.10, SG2, being responsible for the JCA-Mgt can decide to actually terminate the JCA after consultation with TSAG and the involved Study Groups.

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Therefore SG2 invites TSAG and the addressed Study Groups to inform SG2 about any objections against the planned termination. If no objections are raised before the deadline, mentioned in the header of this liaison statement, the SG2 Management Team will proceed as required to formally terminate the JCA-Mgt.

Finally, SG2 would like to thank all individuals and all groups, both inside and outside ITU-T, which have cooperated in, and contributed to the accomplishments of the JCA-Mgt.

Attachment: JCA-Mgt report (TD 259 (GEN/2))
