

Title: 3GPP SA5 Liaison Statement to T1P1 on GSM LCS O&M project management (GSM 12.71)

Source: 3GPP SA5 (Telecom Management)

To: T1P1

From: 3GPP TSG-SA WG5 (SA5)

Subject: GSM LCS O&M project management

As you can find in the attached work item proposal, due to the T1P1's transfer of the lead responsibility for the GSM LCS project to 3GPP, SA5 has approved a work item proposal to be submitted to the next June TSG-SA#8 meeting for the GSM LCS management to be managed by SA5. Whilst the charging portion of this project is progressing within SA5, the O&M portion, which was declared to be in jeopardy in January 2000 by T1M1, has been worked on by T1M1 under the project co-ordination by T1P1 as the GSM LCS project lead group.

As you can find in the attached copy of the SA5 liaison statement to T1M1, in order to accelerate the progress of the stalled O&M portion work, SA5 terminated the work arrangement with T1M1 effective immediately.

SA5 understands that the main contribution to the GSM LCS O&M work in T1M1 was coming from the North American GSM community. Therefore, SA5 believes that T1P1's active support of those contributors will most effectively facilitate a seamless progress of this project for a prompt completion. Along this line, SA5 would like to request T1P1 to provide administrative and logistical support of the GSM LCS O&M work by those contributors under the T1P1 auspices. With such facilitation, SA5 hopes that a completed draft of the GSM 12.71 will be submitted for an approval to the next TSG-SA#8 Düsseldorf meeting.

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Attachments:

- Work Item proposal for GSM LCS management (S5-000249)
- SA5 liaison statement to T1M1 (S5-000261)