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Subject: Nomination of candidate for the 3GPP TSG CT WG1 Vice Chair

Dear Ms. Adrijana and Ms. Kooistra:

I am pleased to inform you that Qualcomm, through its ATIS 3GPP affiliation, is nominating Lena Chaponniere as a candidate for the position of 3GPP TSG CT WG1 Vice Chair at the upcoming election in CT1#131-e.

Lena will be trained to comply with all applicable antitrust/competition laws and regulations while acting in her capacity as TSG CT WG1 Vice Chair.

In proposing Lena for the position of 3GPP TSG CT WG1 Vice Chair, Qualcomm will fully support Lena in the Vice Chair role. Qualcomm remains fully committed to the success of 3GPP and its diverse ecosystem.

A brief curriculum vitae of Lena is attached.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which reads "Edward G. Tiedemann, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dr. Edward G. Tiedemann, Jr.  
Senior Vice-President, Engineering  
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## **Lena Chaponniere**

Lena Chaponniere graduated with a Master's degree in Electrical Engineering from Supélec (France), and also received a Master's degree in Electrical Engineering from Virginia Tech in 1998.

Lena joined Qualcomm in 1998 and first worked on modem testing on various air interfaces including IS-95, CDMA 2000 1xRTT, WCDMA/HSPA and LTE. She has been attending 3GPP meetings since 2006, starting with TSG RAN WG5 from 2006 to 2011 and then TSG CT WG1 from 2011. In that group she has been leading the CT standardization of ProSe (D2D), of the EVS codec over 3G CS, and of UE radio capability signaling optimization (RACS), as well as actively contributing to several other work items including 5GS Phase 1, Vertical\_LAN, PARLOS, eNPN and IIoT. She was the recipient of the 3GPP Excellence Award in 2012 for her role as ProSe rapporteur.

Additionally, since August 2019, Lena has been Vice Chair of TSG CT WG1 and in that position, she has chaired sessions for the ePWS, PARLOS, V2XARC, V2XAPP, eV2XARC, SEAL, EDGEAPP, ID\_UAS, 5G\_ProSe, eV2XAPP and eEDGE\_5GC work items.