

**Letter of Commitment for the NTT DOCOMO Candidate for  
Chairman of 3GPP TSG RAN WG5**

**Mr Phillip Brown**

To: **Mobile Competence Centre**

For the attention of: Ingbert Sigovich & Susanna Kooistra

From: **NTT DOCOMO**

I am pleased to confirm that NTT DOCOMO is once again nominating Mr. Phillip Brown as a candidate to stand for the position of RAN5 Chairman. He is working for the Communication Device Development of NTT DOCOMO. Phillip already has extensive experience of leading 3GPP terminal conformance testing standardization work and maintaining an excellent relationship between 3GPP and ARIB as well as between 3GPP, the Global Certification Forum and the GSMA.

Our support for Phillip as a candidate is based on our commitment to the 3GPP standards process, evidenced by our active contribution over the past 10 years. In the event that Phillip is successful, NTT DOCOMO Inc will provide the necessary support for him to discharge his duties and responsibilities as the RAN5 Chairman.

Yours sincerely,

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## **Personal Profile:**

Phil has been involved in handset conformance testing for WCDMA since 2001 and for the last 5 years he has been working in support of NTT DOCOMO. For the last 6 years Phil has been the Chair of TSG T WG1, and its successor organisation, TSG RAN WG5.

Phil is also very active in the Global Certification Forum (GCF) and has been integral to designing the delivery and prioritization programme that has provided RAN5 with the much-needed focus to continue its valuable work. More recently this has been LTE focused. He served as the GCF's Steering Group (SG) Chair in 2008 and continues to be very active in all GCF Agreement Groups. In addition he participates in the GSMA Devices Group (DG). Such activities have allowed him the rare opportunity to provide essential liaison between all these fora; this has helped to coordinate the testing activities between the test industry and its customers to deliver the prioritized test implementations for the benefit of the 3G/LTE industry.

Phil gained an Electrical Engineering degree (BSc Eng) in 1985 and a Masters of Science degree in Design of Information Systems in 1995, both from the Cranfield Institute of Technology. Since 1998 he has been a Member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers (now the Institute of Engineering and Technology) and the Engineering Council in the UK.