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TSG RAN developed the attached contribution which will be submitted by Individual Member to the next meeting of ITU-R TG 8/1 (Beijing, May 31 to June 11), as well as to the Joint Experts Group meeting between ITU-R Task Group 8/1 and ITU-T Study Group 11, and to ITU-T Study Group 11.

Task Group 8/1 is defining the Recommendations for International Mobile Telecommunications 2000 (IMT-2000). Task Group 8/1 is expected to complete its work at its October meeting by approving the Recommendation on "Detailed Specifications of the Radio Interfaces of IMT-2000 (IMT.RSPC)".

At its last meeting, ITU-R TG 8/1 sent a liaison to different SDOs, Partnership Projects, and RTT proponents asking for comments for the future development of IMT.RSPC.

The attached contribution provides the response to the liaison sent from TG8/1. In this response there are two open issues (which were not answered in the attached contribution) that need to be addressed by the 3GPP Organizational Partners:

*ITU-R is considering the use of "references to" or "direct incorporation of" external material in Recommendation ITU-R M.[IMT-RSPC]. TG 8/1 seeks guidance from the external organizations on the following issues. The response should address both approaches ("references to" and "direct incorporation of"):*

- *"copyright and licensing aspects of non-ITU specifications, including ownership and change authority";*
- *"publication and distribution aspects".*

It is proposed that an e-mail discussion on these issues among the 3GPP Organizational Partners is initiated as soon as possible. A final conclusion is needed at the 3GPP Organizational Partners meeting planned for May 27-28. The final response should be sent directly to ITU-R TG 8/1 on May 28<sup>th</sup> at the latest, since the TG 8/1 meeting starts on Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup>.

**ANNEX**  
**[ITU MEMBER]<sup>1</sup>**  
**RADIO INTERFACE SPECIFICATIONS FOR IMT-2000**  
**(NOT INCLUDED)**

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<sup>1</sup> This contribution was developed in 3GPP TSG RAN