Agenda Item: 13

Source: **TSG RAN WGs Chairmen**

Title: Proposed LS to TSG SA on support from 3GPP Support Team

Document for: Approval

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The work within TSG RAN made significant progress in TSG RAN #3, with the approval of a first set of specifications under V3.0.0, and many documents reaching an official status of V2.0.0.

As a consequence, a change control process will need to be applied, and consistency on the progress of the specifications is essential for the visibility from external TSGs or organisational partners.

Until now, all work within RAN WGs was carried on a voluntary basis by member companies, both for the editing of the documentation and for the secretary task.

With the evolution of the work in TSG RAN, it is felt essential by the WGs Chairmen that support is received from the 3GPP Support Team. It is also highlighted that out of four WGs, three are currently lacking a secretary, which creates a difficult situation and places some difficulties on the proper progress and on working procedures.

TSG SA is kindly requested to consider this matter and provide the appropriate support for the work of the TSG RAN WGs.