

Source : RAN WG2 Chairman

Object: Draft LS to SA1 cc CN1, SMG2 on urgent need for requirements on Idle Mode

TSG-RAN received a copy of the LS on UE/MS idle mode operation that SMG2 has sent to TSG SA-WG1.

TSG-RAN would like also to emphasize the importance of a timely completion of the requirements applicable to Idle mode for UMTS and GSM/UMTS terminals. This is necessary to ensure that release 99 specifications allow for a behaviour of terminals in Idle Mode which is fully satisfactory for network operators.

TSG-RAN would appreciate if the result of discussion in TSG SA-WG1 on this matter as well as all the available documentation on the subject could be provided to TSG-RAN WG2 before its next meeting 17-21st of January 2000.