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At RAN#8 it was decided to reactivate ITU Ad Hoc in order to finalise two LS to the second meeting of ITU-R WP 8F (San Diego, 21-25 August 2000): one on conformance specifications and one on the year 2000 revision of Rec. ITU-R M.1457 (IMT.RSPC) (the latter one in response to a LS from ITU-R WP 8F received at RAN#7 - RP-000152).

The first one (on conformance specs) was finalised by correspondence: the draft version elaborated by RAN#8 (RP-000326) was revised by ITU Ad Hoc in RT-000007 and subsequently in RT-000008 circulated on the reflectors of TSG RAN & T. The cover page was then revisited based on a received comment as RT-000009. No additional comments were received. The complete final version is available as RT-000012. This was submitted to the second meeting of ITU-R WP 8F under the name of ITU Sector Members with the usual footnote 'This contribution was developed in 3GPP TSG RAN'.

With reference to the LS on the year 2000 revision of Rec. ITU-R M.1457, the cover page was already approved by RAN#8 as RP-000324, whereas the two attachments (draft of the revised TDD Overview and FDD Overview, i.e., sections 5.3.1 and 5.1.1 of Rec. ITU-R M.1457, respectively) were finalised at the last meeting of ITU Ad Hoc (and subsequently checked by the WG1 and WG4 Chairmen). The complete LS (cover page + draft revised Overviews) was submitted to the second meeting of ITU-R WP 8F under the name of a National Administration (with the usual footnote 'This contribution was developed in 3GPP TSG RAN'), in line with RAN#8 decisions. The draft revisions were well received by ITU-R WP 8F. The two draft revised Overviews were also submitted to all WGs and comments were collected by ITU Ad Hoc: the proposed final versions for approval are available in RP-000461 (that also contain a relevant cover page). It is anticipated that RAN#9 has to discuss and agree the terminology to be used in order to refer to the two TDD modes; the RAN agreement will be reflected in the final version of the TDD Overview. The approved final versions of the Overviews have to be sent to ITU-R WP 8F by October, 13, as required in the received LS (RP-000152).

With reference to sections 5.1.2 and 5.3.2 of Rec. ITU-R M.1457 (Detail Specification of the Radio Interface), the issue was discussed at the last meeting of ITU Ad Hoc and an input contribution for RAN#9 was developed (RP-000462). These sections have to include the references to the Deliverables approved by each Organizational Partners participating in 3GPP; therefore, this section must be completed and submitted to ITU by *each* Organizational Partner (by October, 13). In order to facilitate this activity, a baseline document with blank tables (where references have to be included) has been prepared and it is available in RP-000463; this document incorporate also the content of RP-000462 (highlighted by revision marks). If RAN#9

agree, this baseline document could be sent to all Organizational Partners participating in 3GPP: each Organizational Partner simply has to fill in the blank tables with its own references and send the complete document to ITU. At the next meeting of ITU-R WP 8F it will be sufficient to merge the contributions from all 3GPP Organizational Partners to get the revised sections 5.1.2 and 5.3.2. Also a draft cover letter to explain the process to Organizational Partners has been prepared and it is available in RP-000464.

Moving to the outcome of the last meeting of ITU-R WP 8F (San Diego, 21-25 August 2000), three LS to External Organizations were approved:

- LS on IMT.UNWANT: this was addressed by WG4 at their last meeting and a proposed answer is available for approval (RP-000467) and subsequent submission to the next meeting of ITU-R WP 8F (Geneva, 23-27 October 2000);
- LS on Handling of Measurement Uncertainties: also this was addressed by WG4 and a proposed answer is available for approval (RP-000477) and subsequent submission to ITU-R WP 8F;
- LS on 'non-routine' updates of Rec. ITU-R M.1457: this is available in RP-000460. A proposed answer has been prepared (RP-000465) for discussion/approval at RAN#9 and subsequent submission to the next meeting of ITU-R WP 8F. This is available in RP-000465.

All tasks assigned to ITU Ad Hoc by RAN#8 are then completed, and also the relevant issues originated by the last meeting of ITU-R WP 8F have been covered. Therefore it is proposed to put ITU Ad Hoc in dormant mode again.