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Re: Nomination for 3GPP Service and System Aspects TSG Vice Chairman

Gentlemen:

On behalf of Omnipoint Corporation, please accept my nomination of Gary Jones for the leadership position of Vice Chairman of the Service and System Aspects TSG. Mr. Jones has over 10 years experience in the Telecommunications and Standardization field.

Currently, Mr. Jones is Director of Standards Policy for Omnipoint. He is also currently chair of ANSI accredited T1P1.1 (International Wireless/Mobile Standards Coordination) Working Group as well as chair of the T1P1.5 (Third Generation) SubWorking Group. In addition, Mr. Jones serves as the chair of the GSM North America Standards Working Group.

I believe that Gary's experience in the standardization of GSM in the United States, his leadership in those standardization efforts and his participation as a member of the US delegation to the ITU-R give him the necessary tools to effectively carry out the duties of this leadership position in the 3GPP. If elected to Vice Chairman of the Service and System Aspects TSG, Omnipoint will provide the necessary resources and support for Gary to accomplish the duties and responsibilities of that office.

With best regards,

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Gary K. Jones

Objective	1994 - Present	Omnipoint Corporation	Bethesda, MD
Summary of qualifications	Director of Standards Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Manage, direct and coordinate the efforts of the Omnipoint Standards Group staff to support the Omnipoint and North American GSM viewpoints in the worldwide standards fora■ Chairman of various standards groups including T1P1.1 (International Wireless/Mobile Standards Coordination Working Group), T1P1.5 Third Generation SubWorking Group, and T1P1.6 (Composite CDMA/TDMA)■ Chairman of GSM North America Standards Working Group■ Official Liaison from GSM North America to ETSI SMG■ Lead 3rd generation strategist from North America to the GSM Association■ Member of the US Delegations to ITU-R Task Group 8/1 and ITU-T Study Group 11 - dealing with 3rd generation wireless technology development■ Developed the first operator requirements documents for PCS as co-chairman of Teleocator/PCIA Technical and Engineering Committee■ As co-chair of the JTC and Chair of T1P1.6, completed standardization of the Omnipoint Composite CDMA/TDMA technology		
Work experience	1986 - 1994	Millicom Incorporated	New York, NY
	Director of Business Development <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Began as salesman for the alphanumeric paging division, becoming the top salesman in the nation■ Served as the sales manager for the San Francisco office before promotion to special projects manager for Millicom's paging company■ Created the sales training manual used by all of Millicom■ Became the special projects manager for Millicom and created the SMR company called Millicom Radio Telephone Company■ Joined PCN America, a subsidiary of Millicom and directed its PNS technology development effort in the US Standards bodies■ Became co-chair of the Joint Technical Committee on Wireless Access (JTC) which standardized the technologies for PCS in North America■ Joined Omnipoint when it won a PCS Pioneer's Preference Award and PCN America did not		

	1972 - 1986	Jonesco Incorporated	Dallas, TX
	President and Owner		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Manufacturer's representative company specializing in sales of residential and commercial heating and air conditioning equipment and components. ■ Directed five salesmen that traveled the states of Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana ■ Marketed to wholesale heating and air conditioning supply companies ■ Ceased business in 1986 after the oil embargo stopped residential and commercial construction in our market area 		
Education	1978 - 1980	University of Texas	Dallas, TX
	MS - Solar Engineering - Thesis not completed		
	1974 - 1976	Sam Houston State University	Huntsville, TX
	BS - Criminal Law		
	1967 - 1972	University of Texas	Austin, TX
	BS - Mechanical Engineering		
Extracurricular interests	Skiing, Scuba Diving, Golf		
Associations and memberships	American Mensa		
Community activities	21 years in law enforcement as a reserve police officer		
References	Professional and personal references available on demand		