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RE: Common IMS Requirements

Dear Stephen,

Thank you for the recent efforts in Puerto Vallarta Workshop regarding Common IMS between 3GPP and 3GPP2. It appears that the two groups have made an important step toward commonality, and it is my sincere desire that these efforts continue within TSG SA and TSG CT in a collaborative and productive spirit exhibited in Puerto Vallarta.

As indicated in the Workshop output documents (see CIMS-080078 page 6 and CIMS-080056 page 6), there are several Requirements Documents developed in 3GPP2 containing requirements pertinent for Common IMS that were identified as possible exceptions to the Release 8 freeze. We hereby provide some more details about these candidate requirements topics. Additional details and related CRs will be submitted in the SA1 #40 meeting May 12-16, 2008 in Budapest, Hungary. The requested action to TSG SA at this time is to kindly grant exceptions from the freeze of Release 8 for the identified topics, and to instruct SA1 to address the relevant CRs for Release 8.

The subject requirements topics are indicated in slide 4 of CIMS-080029 as discussed in the Puerto Vallarta Common IMS workshop. The 3GPP documents expected to be affected are TS 22.228, TS 22.173, TS 22.101, and TS 22.153.

We do not anticipate that these efforts would impact Release 8 schedule.

Regards,

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