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Dear 3GPP SA4 Experts,

We would like to inform you about the recent DASH-IF activities.

The DASH-IF recently published its first Implementations Guidelines, DASH-AVC/264 v1, publicly available at: <http://dashif.org/white-papers/>. This document defines precise interoperability points to be used for industry deployment of interoperable DASH-based services.

To further support the above effort, DASH-IF is also in the process of defining supplementary material for these interoperability points, namely

- a set of test cases, test vectors and test services,
- a set of conformance software tools to check content conformance,
- a reference client implementation that supports consumption of content authored with these interoperability points.

The above information is expected to be published by end of August for community review.

DASH-IF also extended its DASH-AVC/264 guidelines for enhanced audio-visual experience that includes HD video and multichannel audio. The document will be available on by mid-August on <http://dashif.org/>.

Furthermore, DASH-IF has initiated work in a multitude of other areas to support the industry in the deployment of DASH. Among them, we collected the common identifiers defined by industry at <http://dashif.org/identifiers/> and we welcome feedback and registration of new identifiers.

DASH-IF is looking forward to collaboration with 3GPP SA4 on MPEG-DASH related activities.