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## **1 Introduction**

The report from the ad hoc group on the movement of GSM radio into 3GPP recommends that if it is decided to transfer the GSM work, then it would best be accommodated in a new Technical Specification Group (TSG) called GERAN (GSM/EDGE Radio Access Network) [3GPP/OP#3(00)06]. Furthermore, such a move would require some minor changes to the Terms of Reference of TSG T in order to maintain consistency.

The Organizational Partners have agreed by email correspondence to the principles of transferring the work and of creating a new TSG.

The Organizational Partners should now approve the proposed revised Terms of Reference for TSG T annexed to this document.

## **DRAFT TERMS OF REFERENCE**

### **Terminals Technical Specification Group**

#### **Background**

One of the key objectives of third generation systems is that they should aim at providing services anywhere, anytime. This translates into requirements for the 3GPP terminals to roam freely between networks and to be able to circulate freely around the globe.

#### **Terms of reference**

The technical specification development work within 3GPP is accomplished by Technical Specification Groups (TSGs) according to the principles and rules contained in the Project reference documentation (Partnership Project Description, Partnership Project Agreement, Partnership Project Working Procedures).

In particular the TSGs report to the Project coordination Group (PCG), and may organize their work in Working Groups and liaise with other groups as appropriate.

Each TSG has the responsibility to develop, approve and maintain the specifications within its terms of reference.

The TSG Terminals (TSG-T) is responsible for specifying the Terminal Equipment interfaces ensuring that terminals based on the relevant 3GPP specifications meet the 3GPP objectives.

Specifically it has a responsibility for:

- **UTRAN-based** Terminal Equipment performance specifications
- USIM and its interface specifications
- Management of the work items placed under its responsibility

More specifically, TSG-T will address the following areas of work:

- Service capability protocols,
- Messaging,
- Services end-to-end interworking,
- **SIM/USIM** to Mobile Terminal interface and functionality,
- Model/framework for terminal interfaces and service (application) execution
- Conformance test specifications of UTRAN-based terminals, including radio aspects,
- Multi-mode terminals
- Glossary of terms
- **SIM/USIM** UMTS Subscriber Interface Module