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Subject: Nomination of Mr. Adrian Buckley as candidate for 3GPP TSG SA Vice Chairman

Dear Susanna, Dear Maurice and 3GPP SA members,

On behalf of vivo Mobile Communication Co. Ltd (CCSA member), I am pleased to nominate Mr. Adrian Buckley as candidate for the position of 3GPP TSG SA Vice Chairman.

Mr. Adrian Buckley has 25+ years of experience in wireless operations, standardization, research and product development. With strong experience in all of these areas we are confident that Mr. Adrian Buckley will bring very positive influence and contributions to 3GPP TSG SA.

Mr. Adrian Buckley is informed about and aware of the antitrust/competition laws and regulations of relevant jurisdictions, and he shall comply with such laws while acting in his capacity as TSG SA Vice Chairman.

vivo Mobile Communication Co. Ltd is fully committed to provide the necessary support and resources to ensure that Adrian accomplishes the duties and carries out his responsibilities as the 3GPP TSG SA VC if elected.

Yours sincerely,

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Head of Communications Research Institute,

vivo Mobile Communication Co. Ltd



Position of Candidacy: Vice Chairman of 3GPP TSG SA
Candidate Name: Adrian Buckley
Individual Member: vivo Mobile Communication Co. Ltd
Organization Partner: CCSA



Brief Curriculum Vitae:

Adrian has over 25+ years of wireless operational and standards experience. After graduating with a MSc in Telecommunications from Aston in the UK he started his graduate career with Orange helping launch their UK DCS1800 network, as well as assisting with numerous operational issues there he participated in ETSI SMG3 Working Party C and was heavily involved in UK ISUP standards serving as a rapporteur of one UK specification and secretary of another group.

Before leaving to join Pacific Bell Mobile, which then became SBC communications, he was responsible for the overall design of the Orange UK SS7 network. At SBC Communications he helped launch the Pacific Bell Mobile GSM network before leading the GPRS core network R&D activities for SBC Communications which involved driving GPRS into the TIA-136 standards. After that he lead a team responsible for investigating the initial procurement of a GSM network to replace all of Cingulars (now ATT wireless) TIA-136 interests. He briefly spent some time at a startup that was designing a product that was a precursor to the 3GPP I-WLAN specifications. At the startup he lead the systems design team before moving onto running their product management operations.

Later at BlackBerry he was involved in wireless R&D activities participating in numerous industry fora and standards bodies including GSMA, OMA and 3GPP. OMA he was rapporteur of the GOAL item. In 3GPP he attended SA1, SA2, CT1, CT6 and SA6, was rapporteur of work items in SA2 (GRUU) and CT6 (Red_UCe) and heavily involved in I-WLAN, IMS services, impact of UICC functionality on the ME, network selection improvements and numerous other technologies.

Adrian, based in California, is vivo's SA and CT plenary lead delegate and also participates in SA1, SA2 and CT1. In SA1 he is lead delegate and rapporteur of the Personal IoT Networks study item and rapporteur of the MuDE WID in CT1. He is also a member of the IEEE 1609 group and involved in a number of North American SAE V2X groups.

Whilst working for companies based on 3 different continents he has gained a wealth of wireless and cultural knowledge and has leveraged the wireless knowledge to help author a 5G book designed to give university students a foundation in wireless communications.

