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Subject: Letter of support for 3GPP

SA1 chair position

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Appendices

Dear Susanna Kooistra, Dear Alain Sultan,

KPN is pleased to nominate José Almodóvar for the position of chair of 3GPP SA WG1 at the 3GPP SA WG1#102 Berlin, 22 - 26 May 2023.

José has proven his technical, procedural and leadership skills to conduct the activities necessary as Chair of 3GPP SA1 during his first two terms. Should José be re-elected, he will continue to perform the duties of the SA1 chair with impartiality and integrity.

KPN will provide the necessary support and resources to ensure that José can continue to fulfill the duties and responsibilities required to be Chair of 3GPP SA WG1.

José is informed about and aware of the antitrust/competition laws and regulations of relevant jurisdictions, and, if re-elected, will comply with such laws and regulations while acting in his capacity as 3GPP SA WG1 Chair.

Sincerely

Marlous van der Elst Strategic Lead Best Access

Brief Curriculum Vitae of José Luis Almodóvar Chico



José Luis Almodóvar Chico is a senior R&D Consultant, having joined TNO in 2013. His work focuses primarily on network aspects of mobile communications. José is currently 3GPP SA WG1 chairperson since May 2019. José has been KPN's SA1 delegate since 2015 and had the opportunity to contribute to a number of topics, including being the rapporteur of 5GLAN and REFEC.

José holds a Master's Degree in Electrical Engineering from the Technical University of Delft, The Netherlands and a Bachelor's Degree in Telematics Engineering from the Carlos III University, Spain.

Apart from standardization work, José is also involved in 5G/6G activities in the Netherlands (e.g. "5Groningen", "Future Network and Services"). He has also been actively involved in several European R&D projects in the areas of IoT (iCore project), Wi-Fi (Wi5), satellite (Sat5G) and more recently 6G (Hexa-X II, where he leads WP1 T1.4 on Use Cases and Requirements).