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Heinz Polsterer | Group Technology Standards, Patents & OSPO +43 1 79585 6307 | Heinz.Polsterer@magenta.at October 4, 2023 | Nomination and support for 3GPP TSG WG SA1 vice chair candidate

Dear Susanna, dear Alain,

On behalf of Deutsche Telekom AG, member of 3GPP through ETSI, I am pleased to announce that Vasil Aleksiev will stand as candidate for the upcoming election to the post of vice chair of 3GPP Technical Specification Group Service & System Aspects (SA) Working Group 1 during the TSG SA WG1 meeting #104, 13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023 in Chicago, US.

Vasil has been involved in 3GPP for many years as Deutsche Telekom delegate. During that time, he has been regularly and actively participating in 3GPP TSG CT WG1, SA WG6 and SA WG1. He acted as rapporteur for the work item SENSING and contributed intensively to the work in SA WG1 and SA WG6.

He is a long-standing expert in standardization and gained lot of expertise also outside of 3GPP, in particular in 5G-ACIA Plenary and WG1.

Vasil 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 WG1 Vice Chair. If elected Vasil will provide full support for the chair and will commit to ensure and progress in a fair and correct manner the work that TSG SA WG1 has been presented with. Deutsche Telekom will provide Vasil with all the support he needs in order to perform the role effectively, as part of Deutsche Telekom's commitment to 3GPP.

Best regards,

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Heinz Polsterer



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## EMPLOYMENT

09.2015 - now: Standardization expert Deutsche Telekom 2014 - 2015: Core network planning expert Telenor, Bulgaria 2007 - 2014: Senior Switching Engineer NSS Globul, Bulgaria, part of DTgroup 2005 - 2008: Switching Engineer NSS Globul, Bulgaria, part of DTgroup 2003-2005: Call centre technical support Mobiltel, Bulgaria 2001-2002: NOC operator Orbitel, Bulgaria

# VASIL ALEKSIEV STANDARDIZATION EXPERT

Vasil is working for Deutsche Telekom as Standardization Expert in Group Technology Standards, Patents & OSPO.

His responsibility beside the standardization work in 3GPP includes project management and participation in various standardization-projects.

Vasil has more than 20 years of experience in the telecommunications field working in different engineering positions and in diverse projects related to the core network and its services.

Vasil holds a master's degree in Telecommunications from the Technical University of Sofia, Bulgaria.

### **Standards Experience**

### **3GPP:**

Active member of 3GPP SA1 since 2018, Sensing rapporteur Active member of 3GPP SA6 since 2019 Active member in 3GPP CT1 from 2015 – 2017 Active contribution to various topics related to overall system requirements, architecture and protocols

### 5G-ACIA:

Active in 5G-ACIA WG1 White Paper discussions since 2018 Active in 5G-ACIA Plenary discussions since 2020