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NOMINATION FOR 3GPP TSG SA WG 5 VICE-CHAIRMAN

Dear Madame/Sir,

Huawei Technologies, an individual member of 3GPP via the CCSA Organisational Partner, is pleased to nominate Mr. Christian Toche for the position of Vice-Chairman of the 3GPP TSG SA Working Group 5 (SA5).

You will see from the attached résumé that Christian has more than 30 years' experience in the Information Technology and Telecommunications industries.

Christian began his participation in SA5 in September 2000 and has been Chairman of SA5 SWG-D from April 2002 to August 2005. He was elected Vice-Chairman of SA5 in March 2003 and became Chairman of SA5 in August 2005, and he ensured this responsibility successfully until August 2015. He was then elected Vice-Chairman of SA5 in August 2015. He has also been Vice-Chairman of 3GPP TSG SA from March 2013 to March 2017.

Christian joined Huawei Technologies in March 2006 and we believe his solid technical background associated to this long experience in 3GPP give him the necessary qualities to effectively carry on this SA5 Vice-Chairman responsibility.

If Christian is elected Vice-Chairman of SA5, Christian will continue acting with impartiality and integrity in the interest of 3GPP participants. Christian is informed about and aware of the antitrust/competition laws and regulations of relevant jurisdictions and shall comply with such laws while acting in his capacity as SA5 Vice-Chairman.

Huawei Technologies is committed to allocating the necessary resources and support to enable him to accomplish the duties and responsibilities of this position.

Best Regards,

Wan Lei
Director of Wireless Standards Department
Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Wan Lei".

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Christian Toche

Candidate for 3GPP TSG SA WG5 Vice-Chairman

Christian received an Engineer Diploma in Computer Science in 1983 and has more than 30 years' experience in the Information Technology and Telecommunications industries.

He joined Cap Gemini in 1985 and worked 4 years on development and testing in the Software Engineering area. He has been involved in Wireless Operation and Maintenance from 1989 when he joined Matra Communication, which became part of Nortel Networks in 1992.

He worked as a team leader on the development of Nortel Networks' GSM OMC-R until 1992. He later became the leader of the OMC-R Architecture team and took charge of the specifications of the Q3 interface in that capacity.

In 1997, he joined the Nortel Networks System team and contributed to the GSM Radio Access Network functional requirements and specifications. In this position, he was later involved in the UMTS studies until 2000.

From 2001, Christian was responsible for OAM Standards and Partnerships within the Nortel Networks Wireless Internet Solutions organization, notably in charge of the development of a 3GPP compliant 3G OAM solution and of the cooperation with Nortel China R&D in Beijing.

From April 2004 to November 2005, Christian was located in Beijing and was focused on China Market specific requirements in addition to his Standards responsibilities.

Christian started participation in 3GPP SA5 in September 2000 and has been actively participating in all SA5 meetings from meeting SA5#14. He has been Vice-Chairman of SA5 from March 2003 to August 2005, Chairman of SA5 from August 2005 to August 2015, and Vice-Chairman of SA5 from August 2015. He has also been Vice-Chairman of 3GPP TSG SA from March 2013 to March 2017.

Christian joined Huawei Technologies in March 2006. He is working in France with regular stays in China. He is currently leading the Huawei Wireless Standards activity in Europe and is in charge of Wireless OAM & Charging Standards.