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Ms. Susanna Kooistra  
Mr. Joern Krause  
ETSI, MCC  
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France

Subject: Nomination of candidate for the 3GPP TSG RAN Chairman

Dear Ms. Kooistra and Mr Krause:

I am pleased to inform you that Qualcomm, through its ATIS 3GPP affiliation, is nominating Dino Flore as a candidate for the position of 3GPP TSG RAN Chairman at the upcoming election in RAN#59.

Qualcomm is fully committed to the success of 3GPP and its diverse ecosystem. If Dino is elected as 3GPP TSG RAN Chairman, Qualcomm will fully support him in the chairmanship role.

A brief curriculum vitae of Dino Flore is attached.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Edward G. Tiedemann, Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Edward G. Tiedemann, Jr.  
Senior Vice-President, Engineering  
QUALCOMM Technologies, Inc.

## **Dino Flore**

Dino Flore received a M.S. degree in Electrical Engineering from the *Politecnico di Torino*, Italy and a M.S. degree in Mobile Communications from the *EURECOM Institute*, France, in 2000.

From 2001 to 2003 he worked at Arraycomm as Senior Research Engineer on smart antenna technology. In 2003 Dino joined Qualcomm where he is currently serving as a Director of Technical Standards, with a leadership role in the area of 3GPP RAN standardization.

Since 2005 Dino has contributed to the design, development and specification of 3G and LTE systems through active participation in RAN3 & RAN, and some sporadic attendance to multiple other RAN & SA WGs, giving him a wide breadth of experience across the layers of 3GPP systems.

He is also currently serving as Chairman of RAN3, to which he was elected in August 2009. During his four years of service, he has led the group to the successful completion of Rel-9, Rel-10, and Rel-11 versions of the RAN3 specifications. As RAN3 Chairman, Dino has also contributed to various project management discussions in RAN.