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The TSG CN ITU-T Ad Hoc did not held any physical meetings, but the convenor (Mr. Yun Chao Hu, LM Ericsson) received a number of notifications of Communication Letters that have been sent to several ITU-T Study Groups (SGs). These notifications are:

   ✓ **3GPP SA5**
   Two "Communication Response" have been sent to ITU-T SG4 with comments to the IMT-2000 Management. The expressed comments were focused on charging aspects. Another Communication Letter was related to the usage of Corba. SA5 focused on further alignment between the 3GPP specifications and the ITU-T requirements.

   ✓ **3GPP CN5**
   A Communication Response/Liaison Statement has been sent to ITU-T SG11 Q.4 related to the API reference document. The Communication Letter expressed concerns related to the potential overlapping of the API standardization efforts in several standardization/specification bodies. Furthermore, it commented on certain details related to the Parlay, JAIN and 3GPP specifications.

   ✓ **3GPP RAN**
   A Communication Response has been sent to ITU-T SG13 Q.4 with comments traffic and congestion control at AAL Type 2 (draft I.371aal2). Unfortunately, this Communication response has not been seen at the last ITU-T SG13 meeting and Q.4/13 drafted a new Communication Letter to TSG RAN. Q.4/13 have not planned physical meetings before the next ITU-T SG 13 Meeting (Oct/Nov 2002) while their work plan indicated to consent the draft Recommendation I.371aal2).

   ✓ **3GPP Management**
   An email has been sent to the 3GPP Leadership (TSG Chairs) in which ITU-T SG13 asked 3GPP WGs to review the QoS related work performed in ITU-T SG11 and SG13.

It must be noted that a number of the Communication Responses indicated more or less that the statements within the Communication Responses were endorsed by 3GPP. According to the working procedures within 3GPP, the 3GPP requirements/proposals must be brought to ITU-T as Individual Membership contributions. If the Communication Letter need to express support/endorsement of 3GPP or 3GPP WG than the Communication Letter/Response needs to be reviewed and approved by the 3GPP PCG.

Furthermore, a report can be given on the ITU-T SSG IMT-2000 activities. The ITU-T IMT-2000 email distribution list showed some interesting proposals to their next ITU-T SSG Plenary meeting (May 2002, Canada):

   ✓ Proposed merging of three Questions within ITU-T SSG that deals with Harmonization, Interworking and Mobility Management.
   ✓ Showed interest from the ITU-T SSG Leadership for the upcoming OHG event on IP Core Network Harmonization.

Finally, it can be reported that the ITU-T SSG Q.1741.1 (also known as Q.REF-1) has been consented at the last WP2/SSG meeting. The only open issue for this draft Q.REF-1 is the handling of the CWTS specifications. An editor's meeting is scheduled in March 2002 for this issue.