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At the last meeting of ITU-R WP8F (Busan, Korea, 18-25 February 2004) the 'Initial submission for updated UTRA FDD and TDD toward Rev. 5 of Rec. ITU-R M.1457' (RP-030657) was processed very smoothly.

A short report of the main outcome of ITU-R WP8F#12 in Busan relevant for TSG RAN activity can be found in Annex 1.

Further activity toward Revision 5 will be carried out by ITU-R Ad Hoc as per RP-030656 (relevant time schedule attached as Annex 2 for convenience).

With reference to Revision 4 of M.1457, there are still some administrative actions to be undertaken by SDOs participating in 3GPP by 31st May 2004 (see RP-030435). Therefore, it would be appropriate to send to SDOs an 'update reminder'. This is contained in RP-040112.

ANNEX 1

With reference to Revision 5 of M.1457 (M.1457-5), preliminary information was received for IMT-2000 CDMA DS, IMT-2000 CDMA MC, IMT-2000 CDMA TDD and IMT-2000 TDMA SC.

There was also a discussion on the update cycle of Rec. M.1457: it was further clarified that the current procedure outlined in Circular Letter 8/LCCE/95 that is being used successfully since 2001, is indeed very flexible in order to encompass the various technology and market needs. As a matter of fact it has been the convention of WP 8F to update the Recommendation on a yearly basis, since WP8F has been supplied with update material from EOs, even if annual updates are not mandatory from a WP 8F perspective. It is recognised that the specific radio interfaces in M.1457 have been stabilized and the current procedure indeed allows for a less frequent update, if this is desired by EOs. Obviously, it would be up to the EOs whether or not they want to provide any update. It has also to be noted that from WP8F perspective it is perfectly acceptable, when submitting the Technical input according to the schedule (i.e., overview in 5.X.1, revised titles and synopsis in 5.X.2, GCS, Summary & rationale, self-evaluation, and self-declaration of consistency), to submit also the Administrative input at the same time (i.e., letters of conveyance, certifications of references and transposition, hyperlinks). In addition, it is further clarified that a Revision of M.1457 will be triggered if input is received on at least one technology.

With reference to the request from WP8A on M.1073 update (“Digital cellular land mobile telecommunication systems”), it was proposed to suggest to adopt an approach similar to the one used for M.1457, i.e. to include in M.1073 a reference per each technology to the relevant material developed by EOs.

The “Preliminary Draft New Report on Mitigating Techniques to Address Coexistence Between IMT-2000 TDD and FDD Radio Interface Technologies Within the Frequency Range 2 500-2 690 MHz Operating in Adjacent Bands and in the Same Geographical Area” to which TSG RAN had contributed, was finalized and approved.

ANNEX 2

Action Plan toward M.1457-5 (as per RP-030656)

