**3GPP TSG-RAN5 Meeting #95-e R5-223309**

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**3GPP TSG RAN Meeting #96 RP-22xxxx**

**Budapest, HU, 06 Jun - 09 Jun 2022**

**Source: CATT, China Telecom**

**Title: New WID on UE Conformance - NR Sidelink Relay**

**Document for: Endorsement**

**Agenda Item: 7.4.2**

3GPP™ Work Item Description

Information on Work Items can be found at <http://www.3gpp.org/Work-Items>
See also the [3GPP Working Procedures](http://www.3gpp.org/specifications-groups/working-procedures), article 39 and the TSG Working Methods in [3GPP TR 21.900](http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/html-info/21900.htm)

# Title: UE Conformance - NR Sidelink Relay

## Acronym: NR\_SL\_Relay-UEConTest

## Unique identifier:

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| **This WID includes a Testing part** | **X** |
| **and it addresses the following 3GPP work area:** | **Radio Access** | **X** |
| **Core Network** |  |
| **Services** |  |

Potential target Release: Rel-17

## 1 Impacts

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| **Affects:** | UICC apps | ME | AN | CN | Others (specify) |
| **Yes** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **No** | X | X | X | X | X |
| **Don't know** |  |  |  |  |  |

## 2 Classification of the Work Item and linked work items

### 2.1 Primary classification

This work item is a …

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|  | Feature |
| X | Building Block |
|  | *Work Task* |
|  | Study Item |

### 2.2 Parent Work Item

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| Parent Work / Study Items  |
| Acronym | Working Group | Unique ID | Title (as in 3GPP Work Plan) |
| NR\_SL\_Relay | R2 | 911005 | NR Sidelink Relay |
| NR\_SL\_relay-Core | R1 | 911105 | Core part: NR Sidelink Relay |
| NR\_SL\_relay-Perf | R4 | 911205 | Perf. part: NR Sidelink Relay |

### 2.3 Other related Work Items and dependencies

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| Other related Work Items (if any) |
| Unique ID | Title | Nature of relationship |
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## 3 Justification

The objective of Rel-17 Work Item of “NR Sidelink Relay” is to specify solutions to enable single-hop, sidelink-based, L2 and L3 based UE-to-Network (U2N) relaying.

The overall completion level of WI “NR Sidelink Relay” has reached 100% after RAN#95e (March 2022). The corresponding UE conformance testing specifications are required to be implemented in RAN5 before commercial deployment.

## 4 Objective

### 4.1 Objectives Core part WI

The objective of this work item is to specify solutions to UE conformance testing corresponding to the features described in WID of NR Sidelink Relay, including protocol test cases and associated test environment, test applicability, etc.

## 5 Expected Output and Time scale

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| **New specifications** |
| Type  | TS/TR number | Title | For info at TSG#  | For approval at TSG# | Remarks |
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| **Impacted existing TS/TR** |
| TS/TR No. | Description of change  | Target completion plenary# | Remarks |
| TS 38.508-1 | Introduction of common environment for NR Sidelink Relay | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| TS 38.508-2 | Introduction of common implementation conformance statements for NR Sidelink Relay | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| TS 38.521-1 | Introduction of new NR Sidelink Relay test cases for RF requirements. | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| TS 38.522 | Definition of RF and RRM test case applicability | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| TR 38.903 | Derivation of test tolerances and measurement uncertainty for NR Sidelink Relay RRM requirements. | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| TR 38.905 | Derivation of test points for NR Sidelink Relay RF requirements. | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| TS 38.533 | Introduction of new NR Sidelink Relay test cases for RRM requirements. | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| 38.523-1 | Introduction of the SIG test cases for NR Sidelink Relay | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| 38.523-2 | Introduction of test applicability for SIG test cases impacted by NR Sidelink Relay | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) |  |
| 38.523-3 | Introduction of test model definition for NR Sidelink Relay | TSG RAN#101(Sep-23) | Note: Progress of TTCN development of the new protocol test cases is tracked in MCC TF160 reports to RAN5/RAN. |

## 6 Work item Rapporteur(s)

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## 7 Work item leadership

RAN5

## 8 Aspects that involve other WGs

None

## 9 Supporting Individual Members

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| Supporting IM name |
| CATT |
| Huawei |
| Spreadtrum |
| China Unicom |
| China Telecom |
| ZTE |
| AT&T |
| Verizon |
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