Report from RAN Meeting#4

TSG-RAN Chairman

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SP-99314

General

- Meeting held on June,17-18 at Miami
- 109 Input Documents,113 Delegates
- 12 Specification Document Approved
- ITU-R Time table to be satsified
- Chip rate , Downlink pilot modification proposed and agreed
- Identifying Hooks proposed and agreed to be in Release'99

WG1 (Layer1) Status

- Most documents are inVer2.x.y status
  - Works are generally on schedule
- Small changes anticipated from chip rate change
- Power control, handover need more work
- Too many new contributions on already agreed subjects
  - Definition of "Working assumption" was discussed and agreed during the meeting
- Support resource needed

WG2(Layer2,3) Status

- Two specification documents are approved in the meeting
  - 25.303 UE functions and interlayer procedures…
  - 25.321 MAC Protocol Specifications
- Information on UE types are requested to SA and T
- Support resource needed

WG3(Iu,Iur,Iub) Status

- Decision on Iur protocol architecture was requested from WG3 chairman
  - It was agreed to standardize both CTP/IP and SS7 as options
- Ten documents on transport protocols were approved, seven by correspondence and three at the meeting
- Support resource needed

WG4 (RF ,test) Status

- Work plan was presented
- FDD RF parameters are mostly stabilized 25.101,25.104 (Ver.2.0.0), but they are not for approval yet
- Liaisons between ERC are exchanged
- Support resource needed

ITU Ad Hoc (ITU-R) Status

- ITU-R will refer to 3GPP specifications
  - Deadline is October'99
  - Copyright transfer requested: PCG matter
- TSG-RAN reviewed the workplan
  - Most of them are in line with ITU-R deadline
  - TDD RF parameter workplan was changed
  - Lower chip rate on TDD proposed from China discussed regarding ITU deadline, but RAN could not discuss in detail
- Liaison to SA on revision of M1079

OHG Issues

- OHG output was presented (Tdoc358)
- Member companies proposed modification on Chip rate, downlink pilot and study on Hooks (Tdoc402)
  - Analysis from WG1,WG4 shows no critical impact on release'99 schedule (320,383)
  - Analysis on hooks shows no critical impact on release'99. Hooks can be discussed closed to RAN (398)

OHG Issues (Continued)

- RAN agreed to accept proposal on Tdoc402
- Procedure on defining hooks was proposed (Tdoc 380) and agreed
  - RAN will hold an workshop and ask PCG via SA to invite members from outside of 3GPP