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At SMG1/S1 contributions related to an all-IP option for the network architecture have been received and viewed positively. These should be incorporated in requirements for 3GPP release 2000. This should result in a common set of requirements for release 2000 irrespective of the used radio access technology (UTRAN, EDGE phase II,...). This will require co-ordination between the different standardisation entities, namely S1, S2, SMG2 and TSG RAN.

SMG1/S1 therefore proposes a joint meeting between these different entities to discuss possible requirements and the impacts in the area of services, architecture and radio access for applications and services to be provided in an "all-IP" network under responsibility of S2. This meeting could also be used to synchronise the time plans between S1, S2, SMG2 and TSG RAN.

The aim of this meeting would be to refine the preliminary S1 service requirements as well as to identify corresponding architecture and radio requirements. Additionally a work plan and a proposal for the work co-ordination should be discussed. In accordance with the decision of SA#4 this common work plan could then be presented to the SA #5 meeting.

SMG1/S1 noted that S2 have responsibility for co-ordinating work between the different groups of 3GPP and therefore propose that S2 would take the lead in this activity.