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Liaison Statement

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1 Overview

The Open Mobile Alliance was created to deliver open specifications enabling the industry to deliver valuable, compelling services to end-users that are easy to access and use. OMA is committed to using open standards, and working closely with the leading specifications fora to develop specifications.

This liaison statement is designed to provide details of recent events on how OMA is taking steps to enable a trust relationship to be established, and to encourage cooperation of services and applications development across the industry fora.

2 Proposal

In order to work with other fora in a collaborative and open manner, the OMA Technical Plenary debated this matter at its recent meeting¹ and reached key new decisions on how to cooperate with other fora. The OMA Technical Plenary wishes to ensure that other fora have efficient good visibility of its work programme and technical work. The net effect of this new policy will permit the sharing of technical documents via the OMA website.

The implications of this policy are that the following documents will be made available on the OMA website:-

- draft and approved specifications
- requirements
- Work Group documents (e.g. reports etc.)
- release plans and interoperability test plans

This means that members of other fora can follow the progress of technical specifications as they develop in OMA.

¹Hawaii Technical Plenary (11th-15th November, 2002)

The OMA Technical Plenary will now proceed to implement the above new procedures, which are expected to be fully in place for the next meeting².

3 Conclusion

The OMA Technical Plenary believes the above actions establish an excellent environment for technical cooperation between OMA and other fora, and looks forward to receiving feedback and further cooperation.

² Long Beach OMA Technical Plenary (3rd-7th February, 2003)