



LIAISON STATEMENT

Title: Capturing network-independent MMS requirements in OMA Public OMA Confidential
To: 3GPP and 3GPP2
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1 Overview

The OMA, 3GPP and 3GPP2 members that participated in the MMS Workshop in November 2003 reached several conclusions regarding the future of MMS activities. Following the workshop and subsequent reviews, OMA has been preparing the way forward to support network-independent MMS activities within OMA.

This liaison supports one of the steps of that preparatory work: an invitation to 3GPP and 3GPP2 members to contribute to the capture of network-independent MMS requirements within OMA.

2 Proposal

The OMA, 3GPP and 3GPP2 members that participated in the MMS Workshop in November 2003 reached several conclusions regarding the future of MMS activities.

With the approval of those conclusions by the OMA Technical Plenary in November 2003, the December 2003 agreement in principle by 3GPP TSG-SA/TSG-T to support those conclusions, and a similar decision being considered by 3GPP2, OMA has been preparing the way forward to support network-independent MMS activities within OMA. This preparation consists of several steps, one of which is to invite contributions on post Release 6 [3GPP] and XS0016-C [3GPP2] network independent MMS requirements into OMA.

Consistent with the MMS Workshop conclusions and as part of the OMA preparations, OMA would like to extend an invitation to 3GPP and 3GPP2 members to contribute to the capture of MMS requirements to support future MMS network-independent functionality. OMA will track and monitor such requirements capture, and proactively communicate their status with 3GPP and 3GPP2 via liaison statements.

3 Requested Action(s)

- (1) 3GPP and 3GPP2 members to contribute and participate in the capture of MMS requirements within OMA to support future MMS network-independent functionality. The contributions will be supported by the OMA Process.

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- (2) The OMA Messaging group (OMA-MWG), together with the OMA Requirements group (OMA-REQ), tracks and monitors requirements capture and communicates a regular status to 3GPP and 3GPP2 via liaison statements.

4 Conclusion

The OMA Messaging group looks forward to mutually beneficial cooperation with 3GPP and 3GPP2 members on MMS network-independent functionality to promote the success of MMS.