

Nomination of Mr. Guillaume Sébire as
3GPP TSG GERAN WG2 Chairman candidate

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Ms. Susanna Kooistra
Mr. Gert Thomasen

Dear Susanna, Gert,

Renesas Mobile Europe Ltd, ETSI would like to nominate Mr. Guillaume Sébire as candidate for the 3GPP TSG GERAN WG2 Chairman election during the 3GPP TSG GERAN WG2#50 meeting in May 2011.

Guillaume Sébire was born in August 1975 in Bayeux, France. He graduated from the Ecole Nationale Supérieure de Sciences Appliquées et de Technologie (ENSSAT), University of Rennes II in September 1997; Guillaume holds an MSc in Electronics and Computer Engineering, specialized in Embedded Systems. Guillaume joined Renesas Mobile Europe on December 1st, 2010 following the acquisition of Nokia Wireless Modem unit by Renesas. Before that Guillaume had worked at Nokia from May 1997 until November 2010, in Nokia Research Center's Radio Communications laboratory, Nokia Wireless Platforms unit, Nokia Product Platforms unit and Nokia Devices, Wireless Modem.

Guillaume started attending SMG2 standardization in March 1999 and has regularly and actively participated SMG2 (and SMG2EDGE) and 3GPP TSG GERAN ever since. Guillaume has strongly contributed to the elaboration and evolution of the GSM/EDGE standard on a wide range of technical topics. At multiple occasions Guillaume has shown willingness to help the group achieve its targets through volunteering to act as secretary or chairman of SMG2/TSG GERAN workshops and ad-hoc meetings. In April 2005, Guillaume was elected 3GPP TSG GERAN Vice Chairman, and 3GPP TSG GERAN WG2 Chairman. Guillaume was re-elected 3GPP TSG GERAN WG2 Chairman in May 2007 and May 2009.

If elected, Guillaume promises to continue taking the full responsibilities of his role as 3GPP TSG GERAN WG2 Chairman and to continue chairing the group in a fair, impartial and efficient manner. Renesas Mobile Europe is committed to 3GPP work and will provide him with all the resources required for this position.

With Kind Regards,



Kari Pehkonen
Head of Systems Research and Standardization
Renesas Mobile Europe Ltd.