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July 23, 2013 Ms. Susanna Kooistra and Mr. Patrick Merias 3GPP Mobile Competence Centre

Nomination of candidate for 3GPP TSG RAN WG1 Chairman

Dear Susanna and Patrick,

CATT is pleased to nominate Dr. Zukang Shen as candidate for TSG RAN WG1 Chairman. Dr. Shen is representing CATT, a member of CCSA.

Dr. Shen received his Ph.D. from the University of Texas at Austin and started working on 3GPP standardization since 2006. He joined CATT in 2009 and has been the leading delegate of CATT in TSG RAN WG1 since then. Dr. Shen has also been regularly attending 3GPP TSG RAN plenary meetings since 2010.

Dr. Shen has been working on a variety of topics from Rel-8 to Rel-12, including control signaling, dual layer beamforming, positioning, carrier aggregation, relay, TDD interference management and traffic adaptation, small cell enhancements, etc. He has a thorough technical knowledge on TSG RAN WG1, and good knowledge on other TSG RAN WGs. Dr. Shen served as the rapporteur for the study/work item on "Further Enhancements to LTE TDD for DL-UL Interference Management and Traffic Adaptation". During the past years, Dr. Shen organized multiple parallel and offline sessions, where he showed excellent leadership qualifications. We believe Dr. Shen can be an effective chairman for TSG RAN WG1.

CATT is committed to provide full support to Dr. Shen to fulfill the responsibilities as the 3GPP TSG RAN WG1 Chairman.

Sincerely yours,

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