Recommendation Letter:

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Nomination of Dr. Hanbyul Seo as candidate of 3GPP RAN WG1 Vice Chair

Dear Patrick and Susanna,

LG Electronics is pleased to nominate Dr. Hanbyul Seo as candidate of 3GPP RAN WG1 Vice Chair election.

Hanbyul received the Ph.D. degree in electrical engineering from Seoul National University, Korea, in 2008. Since he joined LG Electronics in 2008, he has been continuously involved in standardization and technology development for 3GPP RAN1. The standard items he contributed to include wireless relaying, enhanced ICIC, CoMP, enhanced interference management and traffic adaptation (eIMTA), enhanced PDCCH, device-to-device. In the most recent years, he has been focusing on V2X related standardizations which was triggered in 3GPP by Release 14 LTE-based V2X items where he played the role of the rapporteur. He received 2016 3GPP Excellence Award in recognition of the contributions he made to RAN1.

LG Electronics believe his expertise and experience will be an asset to a successful 3GPP RAN1 leadership team. He has broad experience in various RAN1 standard items where he contributed as one of key RAN1 technical experts. Also, he well understands the 3GPP standard item management and has skills to chair RAN1 parallel sessions in an efficient and fair manner as shown during his work as Rel-14 LTE V2X rapporteur. We also think that his kind personality will ensure productive and pleasant RAN1 work.

LG Electronics is committed to support him in every aspect necessary for him to accomplish the duties and responsibilities of RAN1 Vice Chair. He is informed about and aware of the antitrust/competition laws and regulations of relevant jurisdictions, and that he shall comply with such laws while acting in his capacity as Vice Chair.

Sincerely,

Go-Hee Choi

Senior Vice President

Head of Advanced Standard R&D Lab.

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