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Subject: New letter of support due to change of affiliation for chairman of 3GPP WG RAN4

Dear Susanna, John, Issam,

On behalf of Apple (UK) Limited, I would like to announce that Dr. Dawei Zhang, chairman of 3GPP WG RAN4, has changed company affiliation from China Mobile Communications Corporation to Apple.

According to Article 22.2 of the 3GPP working procedures, "If a Chairman or Vice Chairman changes the Individual Member that he/she represents (e.g., job change, merger or acquisition) during his/her term of office, a new letter of support shall be provided. If the change of company affiliation is due to a move to another company, then the decision for the Chairman or Vice Chairman to continue in office shall be made by consensus of the WG. If consensus cannot be achieved, a special election shall be held for the office."

Apple will be delighted to continue to offer Dawei the full support and the resources needed to continue to pursue his tasks and responsibilities as WG RAN4 chairman successfully.

Dr. Dawei Zhang now represents the Individual Member "Apple (UK) Limited" and the Project Partner ETSI.

Best regards,

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