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Ms Susanna Kooistra Mr Maurice Pope 3GPP Mobile Competence Centre 650, route des Lucioles 06921 Sophia-Antipolis Cedex FRANCE

Dear Susanna and Maurice,

On behalf of FUJITSU LTD., a TTC Member, I write to confirm the support of FUJITSU for the nomination of Mr. Akishige Noda for the leadership position of Vice Chairman of TSG-SA.

As can be seen from the separately attached Curriculum Vitae, Mr. Noda has actively participated in TSG-SA and TSG-CT as well as SA1, SA2 since 1999, He served as Vice Chairman of 3GPP TSG-SA WG2 from 2001 to Feb. 2005, and as Vice Chairman of 3GPP TSG-CT for the past 4 years. In addition, Mr. Noda serves the chair of the 3GPP Working Group in TTC.

FUJITSU LTD. believes that Mr. Noda has both the experience and technical skill required to fulfill the role of Vice Chairman of TSG-SA.

If elected, FUJITSU LTD. will provide the support required for him to accomplish the duties and responsibilities of this office

Yours faithfully,

Yoshitaro SHIMANUKI

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Executive Vice President, Mobile Systems Unit, FUJITSU LTD.



POSITION OF CANDIDACY: Vice-Chairman of 3GPP TSG-SA

Candidate Name: Akishige NODA

Individual Member: FUJITSU LTD.

Partner Organization: ARIB/TTC, JAPAN

## Curriculum Vitae:

Akishige Noda received his M.Eng. from Information Engineering, Sinshu University, Japan, in 1982. Right after that, he joined FUJITSU LTD in Japan.

He has been engaged in the development of PHS (Personal Handyphone System), PDC Packet System (i-mode System) and 3G mobile systems in Japan as Project Manager, Mobile Systems Units.

Mr. Noda is Director of Wireless Standards for FUJITSU LTD. and he has been active within ARIB and TTC. Since 2001, he has chaired 3GPP Working Group in TTC. Within 3GPP, since the birth of 3GPP, Mr. Noda has participated in TSG-SA, TSG-CT and several working groups in TSG-SA and CN. He served as the vice-chairman of TSG-SA WG2 from 2001 and Feb. 2005 and as Vice Chairman of TSG-CT for the past 4 years.