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

Subject: Nomination of Mr. Krisztian Kiss as 3GPP TSG SA WG2 Vice Chairman Candidate

Dear Ms. Kooistra and Mr. Pope,

On behalf of Apple (UK) Limited, an ETSI member, I am pleased to announce that Mr. Krisztian Kiss will stand as a candidate for the Vice Chairman position of 3GPP TSG SA WG2 in the election to be held during the TSG SA WG2 meeting#121, May 15-19, 2017 in Hangzhou, P. R. China.

Krisztian has participated in the standardization efforts of 3GPP since 2001. He has been Apple's prime technical 3GPP delegate in TSG SA WG2 and TSG CT WG1 since 2013 and he currently serves as Vice Chairman of TSG SA WG2 since 2015. With a solid standardization background and technical expertise, we believe that Krisztian is a suitable candidate for continuing his role of TSG SA WG2 Vice Chairman.

If elected, Krisztian will provide support for the TSG SA WG2 Chairman and ensure the efficient and successful progress of the TSG SA WG2 meetings and related activities.

Krisztian is informed about and aware of the antitrust/competition laws and regulations of relevant jurisdictions and, if elected, he will comply with such laws while acting in his capacity as 3GPP TSG SA WG2 Vice Chairman.

Apple will provide all the necessary support to ensure that Krisztian accomplishes the duties and responsibilities as the Vice Chairman of 3GPP TSG SA WG2.

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Krisztian's brief resume is attached.

Sincerely yours

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Brief Resume of Mr. Krisztian Kiss

Krisztian has over 18 years of experience in the field of mobile communications including over 16 years of defining wireless and Internet technology standards. Prior to joining Apple, he held various standardization positions with Nokia from 1999 to 2012 and actively contributed to a number of technical standardization forums including 3GPP (primarily TSG CT WG1 - formerly TSG CN WG1), IETF, OMA, 3GPP2 and GSMA. He currently holds the Vice Chairman position of 3GPP TSG SA WG2.

Krisztian has a comprehensive knowledge of a range of SAE and IMS topics, 5GS / EPC architecture and core network protocols, cellular data offloading technologies and numerous IETF protocols. Starting in 3GPP Release-5, he contributed to the fundamental concepts of the 3GPP IMS, its architecture and detailed protocol design, co-authored dependent RFCs in IETF and played a leadership role in driving the standardization of related OMA Service Enablers (e.g. SIMPLE Presence, XML Document Management), RCS and VoLTE.

Krisztian received his Master's degree in Electrical Engineering and Telecommunications from the Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Budapest, Hungary in 1999. He also completed required coursework and qualifying examinations for his PhD studies at the same university.