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3GPP has a database of deliverables, which shows what should be delivered for R99. We have set a deadline of December 1999 for completion of these deliverables.

It is clear from discussions in various working groups that not everything on the database will be delivered for R99. BT believes that it is very important to have as a result from the Kyongju meetings, a document showing which deliverables are on track for December 1999, which deliverables are at risk, and which will definitely not be completed for December. The December deadline is particularly important for the partner SDOs to be able to convert the specifications into standards during the year 2000.

BT therefore proposes that each TSG discusses and provides a summary (as part of the TSG chairman's report) to SA#5 of the status of all deliverables to the best of our knowledge at this time. This should be issued by SA#5 in a compiled form (i.e. a single document).

BT believes that the progress of the work could be managed a little more effectively such that visibility of the work programme is enhanced for Release 2000. BT therefore suggests that a discussion is held in TSG-SA about improvements to work progress and tracking for the next release year.
