



Nomination of Mr. Hannu Hietalahti as
3GPP TSG CT WG1 Chairman candidate

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Ms. Susanna Kooistra
Mr, Frédéric Firmin
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Dear Susanna and Frédéric,

Renesas Mobile Europe Ltd. (ETSI) would like to nominate Mr. Hannu Hietalahti as candidate for 3GPP TSG CT WG1 chairman election in TSG CT WG1 meeting in May 2011.

Hannu has been actively contributing to 3GPP standardisation work in the core network and terminals area from the beginning of 3GPP and before that in ETSI SMG3 since March 1994. He is well known as an active 3GPP leader for as long as 3GPP has existed, having been elected as TSG CN WG1 convenor in the first 3GPP meeting in December 1998, and then as the chairman of the WG for three consecutive terms until 2005. Since March 2005 Hannu has been chairing TSG CT plenary, until March 2011.

TSG-CT chairman role has also involved contacts to outside 3GPP, giving the experience on the procedures of other standards bodies such as IETF and ITU.

While being chairman, Hannu has also been contributing on technical issues, and this work is seen in not only in TSG CT specifications, but also in several changes and updates of requirements that were made by TSG SA groups and affect the TSG CT work.

If elected, Hannu promises to take the full responsibilities of his role as TSG CT WG1 Chairman and to chair the group in a fair, impartial and efficient manner. Renesas Mobile Europe is committed to 3GPP work and will provide him with all the resources required for this position.

With Kind Regards,

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