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## CANDIDATE FOR THE POSITION OF 3GPP TSG CT WG 3 CHAIRMAN

Dear Colleagues,

Ericsson is pleased to nominate **Dr. Ragnar HUSLENDE** (Ericsson, via ETSI) for the position as Chairman of the 3GPP TSG CT Working Group 3 (Interworking with External Networks).

Ragnar HUSLENDE graduated from the Norwegian Institute of Technology in Trondheim (Electrical Engineering) with a M.Sc. in 1974 and a Ph.D. in 1983.

From 1975 till 1983 Ragnar HUSLENDE worked with research activities in parallel with his doctorate studies at the Norwegian Institute of Technology and, in 1978/79 at the University of California, Los Angeles. His research interests included various aspects of Quality of Service, in particular statistical analysis of reliability and traffic performance.

Since 1983 Ragnar HUSLENDE has held various positions in Ericsson within R&D, product management and technical product marketing. During this time he worked with products for Network Management, Quality-of-Service measurements and Data Communications for both fixed and mobile networks.

In 2001 Ragnar HUSLENDE joined the Ericsson delegation in 3GPP CN3 and he became Ericsson's principal delegate in 3GPP CN3 in 2002. He was elected as the Chairman of 3GPP CN3 in May 2004 and 3GPP CT3 in August 2007 and is currently chairman of 3GPP CT3.

Ericsson is committed to the 3GPP standardization work and will give the support and the resources necessary for Ragnar HUSLENDE to pursue the 3GPP CT3 chairman activities successfully provided he is elected.

Yours sincerely,

Jonas Sundborg

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