



18th of January 2018

Mr. Bernt Mattsson

Ms. Susanna Kooistra

ETSI, Mobile Competence Center

**Subject: Nomination for 3GPP TSG SA WG6 Chairman** 

Dear Mr. Mattson and Ms. Kooistra,

Samsung is very pleased to nominate Mr. Suresh Chitturi as a candidate for the position of 3GPP TSG SA WG6 Chairman. Suresh Chitturi representing Samsung Electronics, a member of TTA, is our standardization leader for applications and services standards.

Suresh Chitturi is currently serving his second term as the first Vice-Chairman of the TSG SA WG6 within 3GPP. In his role as Vice-Chairman, Suresh displayed his strong commitment to the leadership team, in successfully steering a diverse group towards the timely development of Stage 2 specifications for Mission Critical Services, an effort spread of various 3GPP releases. Recently, he has been very instrumental and successful in strengthening the Terms of Reference (ToR) for SA WG6, and establishing new activities e.g. CAPIF, while continuing to maintain focus on mission critical applications. These achievements, coupled with his strong technical standardization background and experience in leadership positions across various standards forums, we can assure you with no hesitation that Suresh will be an excellent candidate for the role of SA6 Chairman, and the continued success of SA WG6 in the years to come.

Suresh is informed about and will be trained to comply with all the applicable antitrust/competition laws and regulations of relevant jurisdictions and he will while acting in his capacity as SA WG6 Chairman.

Samsung is fully committed to support Mr. Suresh Chitturi in his role as the Chairman. A brief curriculum vitae of Mr. Suresh Chitturi, is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Sungho Choi, Vice President,

Head of Standards & Technology Enabling (STE) Team,

Samsung Research, Samsung Electronics, Co., Ltd.



## **Curriculum Vitae of Suresh Chitturi**

Suresh Chitturi received his Bachelor's degree in Electronics and Communications, from, India in 1997, followed by Master of Science degree in Computer Science, from University of North Texas, USA in 2000, and a Graduate Certificate in Project Management from University of Dallas, USA in 2006. He possesses over 18 years of total experience in the mobile industry, including over 15 years of experience in defining emerging technology standards.

Suresh brings with him vast domain knowledge in the area of applications and services layer standards including, but not limited to, mobile applications, content, services, web technologies, APIs, data formats, and communication protocols.

Over the years, besides his efficient project management and leadership skills, Suresh has actively contributed to a number of technical standardization forums including 3GPP, OMA, W3C, JCP and GSMA. He has played key leadership roles in standards forums such as Specification Lead/Editor for JSR-226, JSR-227 API Specifications within Java Community Process (JCP), Advisory Committee (AC) Representative in World Wide Web (W3C) Consortium, Lead Technical Delegate in GSMA RCS/OIG specification(s), 3GPP SA4 WG, and a prolific technical contributor to various OMA Enablers.

He currently holds the Vice-Chairman position of 3GPP SA6 WG serving his second term, and Standards Team leader at Samsung R&D India. Suresh also represents Samsung on the Governing Council of TSDSI, and serves as the Chairman of Roadmap Committee within TSDSI.