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IEEE 802.16 LE TG activity

- Approved the minutes from Session #41
- 15 contributions
- Agreement was reached on controversial issues
- Significant improvements
- Decisions taken for:
 - Updating the working document, based on accepted text
- Presentation on the WD main concepts

– Attended also by 802.18 members

Areas of improvements - 1

- Enhancements to reporting structures for specific spectrum users
- Co-existence Zone (CXZ) for OFDMA PHY and its usage for master sub-frames
- Signaling using the energy keying in the frequency domain
- Entering the community using coexistence proxy
- ACS and optimization of channel selection based on neighbor negotiation

Areas of improvements - 2

- Coex Signaling Interval allocation for IBS and OBS
- New MAC Messages Specification for Synchronized IEEE802.16h Systems having a common profile
- IBS Entry Process in Synchronized IEEE 802.16h Systems having a common profile
- New Additions to BS and SS Information Tables used by IEEE 802.16h Systems
- Candidate Channel Determination (Using GPS/UTC Synchronized CMI and Common Profile)

Discussion about the adoption of the WD as 802.16h D1

- Group feeling:
 - Still contributions to be made
 - Sections missing
 - Need a stronger link between Section 15 and the existing sections of the standard
- Majority opinion:
 - Allow another meeting to fill in the major gaps and avoid superfluous comments
 - Finally may allow to gain time

- Prefer to defer this decision for the May meeting

Motion

• Authorize the 802.16 Working Group to start a Letter Ballot on P802.16h/D1, in its May meeting, even without a quorum

Topics to be clarified

- Suggested profiles, including MAC frame sizes
- Acceptable S/(N+I) for suitable operation
- Frame no. sync between systems
- Missing text for the sections mentioned in Table of Contents
- Missing messaging
- Missing/TBD parameters for messages
- BS-BS communication over the air

Minutes

Taken by Paul Piggin
To be up-loaded