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MPDU Construction adhoc: Minutes of the first conference call

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Minutes of the first Relay TG MPDU construction adhoc conference call

Monday April 2 2007, 13:00 GMT

Chair: Jeffrey (Zhifeng) Tao

Participants:

MasatoOkuda	Haihong Zheng	Yi-Hsueh Tsai
Kanchei (Ken) Loa	Peiying Zhu	Shiann Tsong Sheu
Roger Peterson	Yung-Ting Lee	Derek Yu
Yousuf Saifullah	Hang Zhang	Hua-Chiang Yin
Bill Shvodian	Mary Chion	Ranga Reddy
Chie-Ming Chou	Aik Chindapol	Youn-Tai Lee

The meeting was started at 13:00 GMT (9:00 am EDT) on April 2 2007 and chaired by Jeffrey Z. Tao. The agenda distributed on Tuesday March 27 2007 was followed.

1. Roll call

Roll call was conducted at the beginning of the adhoc and participants listed above were identified.

2. Brief review of contributions

- 1 07/195r3
 - a. *R. Reddy* provided a brief overview of this contribution. The contribution was harmonized with 07/221r1.
 - b. *Yousuf* brought up the issue that 07/241, which was accepted into the baseline document in Orlando meeting, may have some impact on 07/195r3.
 - c. *Authors* of 07/195r3 will update the contribution, if necessary, based upon the new baseline draft issued after Orlando meeting; and circulate the updated version in the adhoc group.
- 2. 07/198r6
 - a. *J. Tao* provided a brief overview of this contribution. The contribution was harmonized with 07/267.
 - b. *M. Chion and H. Zhang* suggested leaving ESF bit as reserved.
 - c. As a response to *D. Yu*'s question, it was clarified that the proposed MAC header is only used on relay link in relay zone.
 - d. L. Ken will send more comments on this contribution in the adhoc group.
- 3. 07/217r1
 - a. H. Zhang provided a brief overview of this contribution.
- 4. 07/221r1
 - a. This contributed was harmonized with 07/195r3.
- 5. 07/256

- a. L. Ken provided a brief overview of this contribution.
- 6. 07/257
 - a. L. Ken provided a brief overview of this contribution.
- 7. 07/267
 - a. This contribution was harmonized with 07/198r6.

3. Discussion and action items

- 1. *H. Zhang* suggested handling 07/198r6 first during next adhoc, as several other contributions in this category are dependent on it.
- 2. Further technical discussion will be carried out in the adhoc group email list.

4. Possible new contributions

The chair asked if anyone intended to submit any new contribution/comments to this adhoc group by April 6. The response was as follows:

- 1. C. Chou plans to submit a new contribution to adhoc group on multicast in tunnel.
- 2. *M. Chion* will circulate in this group the new contribution to be submitted to [Other MAC & PHY] adhoc, since that contribution has dependency on MPDU format design.
- 3. *L. Ken* will circulate in this group the new contribution to be submitted to [Other MAC & PHY] adhoc, since that contribution has dependency on MPDU format design.
- 4. *P. Zhu* clarified that it is still possible to submit contribution by April 20, although such contribution will be treated after the recommendations yielded by all the adhoc groups are handled in the TG during the Portland meeting.

5. Next adhoc meeting planning

Next teleconference call is tentatively scheduled on Wednesday April 11 2007 (13:00 GMT, 9:00am EDT), as the same slot on Tuesday April 10 2007 has been reserved for [Measurement & Reporting] adhoc.

The teleconference was adjourned at 14:00 GMT (10:00am EDT).