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Re:	Comment resolutions in IEEE 802.16-04/69r4	
Abstract	This document announces and details the procedure for the Ballot Resolu- tion Committee Recirculation of comments in IEEE 802.16-04/69r4.	
Purpose	To document the Ballot Resolution Committee Recirculation process.	
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P802.16e Ballot Resolution Committee Recirculation Announcement

1. Introduction

This announcement opens an IEEE 802.16 Ballot Resolution Committee Recirculation to review:

(a) the resolutions of comments from the P802.16e/D5 Sponsor Ballot, as recorded in IEEE 802.16-04/69r4:

<http://ieee802.org/16/docs/04/80216-04_69r4.zip>

(b) the implementation of those comments in the draft P802.16e/D5a: http://ieee802.org/16/private/drafts/tge/P80216e_D5a.zip

Document title: "Draft IEEE Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks - Part 16: Air Interface for Fixed Broadband Wireless Access Systems - Amendment for Physical and Medium Access Control Layers for Combined Fixed and Mobile Operation in Licensed Bands

Opening date: 23 December 2004

Closing date: **10 January 2005 AOE** ("Anywhere on Earth")

2. Procedure

2.1 Voting

No voting will be associated with this recirculation.

2.2 No Obligation of Working Group Members to Participate in Ballot

Working Group Members are not obliged to participate in this ballot. Participation or lack of participation will not affect Working Group Membership.

2.3 Scope of Recirculation

The scope of the recirculation ballot includes only the comment resolutions recorded in IEEE 802.16-04/69r4 and their implementation into the draft P802.16e/D5a.

2.4 Specification of Objectionable Comment Resolutions

Each comment *must* specifically reference a comment resolution that is found objectionable. In particular, each comment must begin with one of the following:

- "I object to the resolution of Comment #x because..."
- "I object to the implementation in the draft of Comment #x because..."

where x is the number of one or more comments in IEEE 802.16-04/69r4.

Comments that do not follow this format will not be considered, or will be considered as a low priority, depending on available time.

2.5 To submit comments

If you wish to submit comments, you must download the standalone program *Commentary* (version 1.5 or higher) and use it to prepare your comments. *Commentary* is available at:

http://ieee802.org/16/docs/Commentary

Comments will be considered only if uploaded to:

<http://tgeballot.wirelessman.org>.

2.6 Ballot Resolution Committee

The Ballot Resolution Committee comprises the current members of the IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

<http://wirelessman.org/members.html>.

Individuals who are not Ballot Group members are welcome to submit comments.

3. Patent Policy and Procedures

Please take note of the IEEE 802.16 Patent Policy

<http://ieee802.org/16/ipr/patents/policy.html>.

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