IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

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Dear P802.16j Balloting Group:

Thank you for your participation in the Sponsor Ballot Recirculation of P802.16j/D6a, which ran from 11 August - 10 September 2008. Prior to comment resolution, the numerical results were 130 Approve, 14 Disapprove with Comment, and 11 Abstain. This satisfies the numerical conditions for approval. These numbers do not consider any possible changes in vote as a result of comment resolution.

Comments were resolved by the IEEE 802.16 Working Group during its Session #57 in September. We have uploaded the resolutions to the IEEE-SA myBallot system. In addition to the 384 comments submitted through myBallot, the 802.16 Working Group received another 22 comments directly; the latter are not associated with Disapprove votes. The Working Group has posted the full documentation regarding the resolution of all of these comments, along with the editor's implementation notes, in document IEEE 802.16-08/048r3 at <<u>http://ieee802.org/16/docs#08_048></u>. In that file, the myBallot comments are numbered 1-384, matching the myBallot numbers; the additional comments are numbered 10001-10022. Note that some changes refer to documents contributed directly to the 802.16 Working Group. These are available at <<u>http://ieee802.org/16/relay#contrib></u>.

We are requesting that the IEEE Balloting Center initiate a recirculation of the new draft P802.16j/D7. For your reference, we are also including file *P80216j_D7delta.pdf* indicating the changes with respect to draft D6a. As an additional reference, we are providing the draft P802.16Rev2/D7. This document, not an approved IEEE standard but currently in separate Sponsor Ballot, is intended as the baseline for 802.16j to amend.

Please take this opportunity to review the material. Since this is a recirculation ballot, you need respond only if you wish to change your initial vote or submit additional comments within scope of the recirculation. No comment will be considered as a valid element of a Disapprove vote unless the voter enters it into the myBallot database and designates is appropriately.

If you have voted Disapprove, I urge you to review the comment resolutions and let us know which, if any, of your comments have been satisfactorily resolved. If you choose to cast an Approve vote, we will assume that all of them are resolved to your satisfaction.

Sincerely,

Roger Marks Chair, IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access