

Charter and Scope of Maintenance TG Rapporteur Groups

The IEEE 802.16 Working Group's Maintenance Task Group is continuing seven Rapporteur Groups for the IEEE 802.16 Revision 2 project:

- 1. Handover [HO] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Stavros Tzavidas)
- 2. Frame Structure/Frequency Domain Duplexing [FDD] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Dan Gal)
- 3. Multiple-Input-Multiple-Output Systems [MIMO] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Peiying Zhu)
- 4. Security [Security] Rapporteur Group (Chair: David Johnston)
- 5. Multicast and Broadcast Service [MBS] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Erik Colban)
- 6. Persistent Allocation [PA] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Sean McBeath)
- 7. NetMan [*NetMan*] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Joey Chou)

In addition the Task Group has initiated an eighth Rapporteur Group:

8. Robust Header Compression [ROHC] Rapporteur Group (Chair: Erik Colban)

Each Rapporteur Group is chartered to conduct discussions on their respective subjects with the intent to reach as much agreement as possible on various comments and contributions that are submitted or are intended to be submitted during Working Group Letter Ballot Recirculation #26c. The Rapporteur Groups are expected to submit harmonized contributions on their respective subjects during the recirculation, and/or during the reply comment period for LB #26c, with the expectation that the contributions can be accepted by the Maintenance Task Group as part of the comment resolution process for LB #26c at Session #55. Each Rapporteur Group shall also submit a report of its activities as a Maintenance TG contribution by May 12, noon time in Macau.

All Rapporteur Groups are chartered through the start of the Working Group's Session #55 but may be continued through the session or beyond.

All Rapporteur Group discussions will take place on the Maintenance TG reflector, not by teleconference or other means. Message subjects will begin with the tags "[HO]", "[FDD]", "[MIMO]", "[Security]", "[MBS]", "[PA]", "[NetMan]" and "[ROHC]" for the respective groups.

The Maintenance TG reflector is established as: .

For contributions and other Rapporteur Groups documents, rather than use the Google Groups file feature, eight new password protected upload directories have been established on the 802.16 web site at

<http://memberupload.wirelessman.org>

The specific upload areas are:

Maint_HO Maint_PA Maint_MBS Maint_ROHC Maint_Security Maint_MIMO Maint_FDD Maint_NetMan

Access to reading, subscribing to, and posting to the Maintenance TG email reflector and upload areas is limited to WG Members and Observers. WG Members and Observers have been invited to join the Maintenance TG reflector by an email directed to their email address of record.

The Maintenance TG reflector is also open to discussion of other Maintenance TG-related topics.