IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

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Dear P802.16h Balloting Group:

Thank you for your participation in the Sponsor Ballot of P802.16h/D7a, which ran from 6 August - 5 September 2008. Prior to comment resolution, the numerical results were 89 Approve, 10 Disapprove with Comment, and 4 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 Sessions #57 and #58 in September and November. We have uploaded the resolutions to the IEEE-SA myBallot system. In addition to the 854 comments submitted through myBallot, the 802.16 Working Group received another 6 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 802.16-08/047r4 at <http://ieee802.org/16/docs#08_047>. In that file, the myBallot comments are numbered 1-854, corresponding to the myBallot numbers; the additional comments are numbered 10001-10006. Note that some changes refer to documents contributed directly to the 802.16 Working Group. These are available at <http://ieee802.org/16/le#contrib>.

We are requesting that the IEEE Balloting Center initiate a recirculation of the new draft P802.16h/D8. For your reference, we are also including file *P80216h_D8delta.pdf* indicating the changes with respect to draft D7a. As an additional reference, we are providing the draft P802.16Rev2/D8. This document, not an approved IEEE standard but currently in separate Sponsor Ballot, is intended as the baseline for 802.16h 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,

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