Call for Comments
IEEE 802.16 Relay Task Group

Deadline: 19 September 2006

On 30 March 2006, the IEEE-SA Standards Board approved Project Authorization Request (PAR) P802.16j <http://standards.ieee.org/board/nes/projects/802-16j.pdf> authorizing the development of a new amendment to IEEE Standard 802.16. The PAR includes the scope statement:

> *This document specifies OFDMA physical layer and medium access control layer enhancements to IEEE Std 802.16 for licensed bands to enable the operation of relay stations. Subscriber station specifications are not changed.*

The 802.16 Working Group has created the Relay Task Group <http://ieee802.org/16/relay> to develop the P802.16j project. The TG will next meet during Session #45 in Mont Tremblant, Quebec, Canada. <http://ieee802.org/16/meetings/mtg45>. In preparation for that meeting, comments addressing the following topics are requested:

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✓ **Evaluation methodology (013)**

Comments on IEEE 802.16j-06/013 <http://ieee802.org/16/relay/contrib/80216j-06_013.pdf>, the Task Group document on evaluation methodology, one of the baseline outputs from Session #44.

✓ **Technical requirements (016)**

Comments on IEEE 802.16j-06/016 <http://ieee802.org/16/relay/contrib/80216j-06_016.pdf> the Task Group document on technical requirements, one of the baseline outputs from Session #44.

✓ **Draft Table of Contents (017)**

Comments on IEEE 802.16j-06/017r1 <http://ieee802.org/16/relay/contrib/80216j-06_017r1.doc> the Task Group document on draft table of contents by the Relay TG technical editors, as authorized at the Relay TG in Session #44.

Comments should be prepared using the Commentary tool, following the instructions at <http://ieee802.org/16/docs/Commentary> and using the file name format "16jComments__###_YourName.usr". Here "###" is either "013", "016", or "017", depending on which of the three documents is the subject of your comments (see heading above). If you wish to comment on multiple documents, you must submit multiple Commentary files.

Any associated contributions must follow the instructions at <http://WirelessMAN.org/submit.html>. Contribution document naming format will follow the standard IEEE 802.16 naming convention using "j" for the project designation, with the format "C802.16j-06/xyz". Comments and contributions will be considered non-confidential and will be posted for public access on the IEEE 802.16 Web Site <http://WirelessMAN.org>.

Make use of the "Relay" upload directory <http://relay.WirelessMAN.org>.

Submit your comments by the **deadline of 19 September 2006 AOE** <http://WirelessMAN.org/aoe.html>.

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