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| AANI Minutes 24 August 2021 | | | | |
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Abstract

This document contains the minutes of the IEEE 802.11 AANI SC teleconference held on August 24, 2021

Note: Highlighted text are action items.

Q- proceeds a question asked at the meeting

A- proceeds an answer given by the presenter or the Chair

C- proceeds a comment

Chair – proceeds a comment or statement by the Chair

# Tuesday August 24, 09.00 hrs to 10.00 hrs EDT:

**Chair: Joseph Levy, Interdigital**

**Acting Secretary: Graham Smith, SR Technology**

1. **The teleconference was called to order by Chair 9.03 hrs. EDT,**

Graham Smith (SRT) volunteered to be acting secretary.

Agenda slide deck [11-21/1392r0](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1392-00-AANI-aani-sc-teleconference-agenda-24-august-2021.pptx)

**2. The Chair reminded everyone to sign attendance and reminded attendees of the AANI Operating rules (Slide 3)**

See attendance list at the bottom of this document.

**3. Approval of the Agenda:**

* + Call for Secretary
  + Administrative: Reminders, Rules, Guidelines, Resources, Participation [5 min]
  + Status [5 min.]
  + Contributions/Discussion:
    1. Discussion on way forward on the technical report
    2. Discussion on the 802.11 reply LS to WBA
  + Future Sessions Planning [5 min.]

The Chair reviewed the agenda. Any comments etc.? None

The proposed agenda was adopted without objection.

Chair is unaware of any new contributions.

**4. Guidelines, Resources, Policies and Participation were presented by the chair.**

Slides 5 – 9 of 21/0949

Copyright policy slides were presented, slides 7 and 8

1. **Status**

Currently working on two documents (Slide 10).

* The WBA LS ([11-21-0170r0](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-0170-00-0000-2021-jan-liaison-from-wba-re-convergence.docx)) - specifically, addressing 802.11ax or other 802.11-2020 capabilities that can be used to meet the use cases identified in the LS
* Contributions related to the "Draft technical report on interworking between 3GPP 5G network and WLAN" ([11-20/0013](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/20/11-20-0013-AANI-draft-technical-report-on-interworking-between-3gpp-5g-network-wlan.docx)).

Chair reminded meeting of the Straw Poll on 11-20/0013 (Slide 11)

1. Shared with 3GPP 5/6
2. Shared with WBA 3/6
3. Shared with WFA 1/6
4. Used as an internal 802.11 report – only 3/6

Indication was target audience was 3GPP

Chair - Any comments thoughts etc. on where we are?

No comments

1. **Way Forward**

For the Technical report ([11-20/0013r14](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/20/11-20-0013-14-AANI-draft-technical-report-on-interworking-between-3gpp-5g-network-wlan.docx)):

* Kick off a reflector thread to update/modify the Introduction and Conclusion to address the audience
  + Proposed target audience is: 3GPP with CC to WFA and WBA
  + Further discussion on target audience is encouraged

For the WBA reply LS ([11-21/1198r1](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-1198-01-AANI-draft-ls-response-to-wba-qos-material.docx), [11-21/0865r6](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-0865-06-AANI-draft-reply-ls-from-802-11-to-wba-regarding-the-wba-5g-wi-fi-ran-convergence-paper.docx), [11-21/0616r0](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/21/11-21-0616-00-AANI-802-11ax-features-and-applicability-to-5g-and-wi-fi-convergence.pptx))

* Kick off a AANI reflector thread to progress the reply LS discussing:
  + Adding text to reference the Technical report ([11-20/0013](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/20/11-20-0013-AANI-draft-technical-report-on-interworking-between-3gpp-5g-network-wlan.docx))
  + Providing edits to existing text
  + Adding additional content
  + Removing existing content

Chair apologized for not starting the Reflector discussions.

1. **Technical Report 20/0013r14**

Chair displayed his (personal) proposed edits and went through them. Document is not posted prior to the meeting.

Mostly changes to introduction clauses and Conclusions.

Added Figure numbers and references to Figures back into the document.

On-screen editing took place.

Changes generally accepted.

Chair opined that he was hesitant to post this as Rev 15. Will post as a new document.

**8 Next Meetings:**

**802.11 WG September Interim Meeting:***AANI SC - confirmed – note: the Chair is unavailable 15 and 16 September.*

* + Propose 3 teleconferences:
    - Monday 13 Sep 19:00-21:00 ET – in conflict with TGbe MAC/PHY ad hocs
    - Tuesday 14 Sep 11:15-13:15 ET
    - Friday 17 Sep 9:00-11:00 ET

**Teleconferences:**

* + Tuesday 31 August 9:00-10:00 ET

**Out of time**

**Meeting adjoined at 10.01 pm ET**

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