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Abstract: [Status Report of TG4g Subgroup]

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Subgroup Planning

- Phase 1
 - Prepare a unified document for coexistence and interoperability (ongoing)
 - Core working members: Mark Wilbur, Ben Rolfe, Chin-Sean Sum
- Phase 2
 - Obtain the Common Signaling PHY candidate from the FSK proposers (ongoing)
 - Currently discussion is in progress in the FSK proposers (ongoing)
 - Agreement expected before Christmas (no changes at this moment)
- Phase 3
 - Combine the Common Signaling PHY specs into the coexistence and interoperability document
 - Discussion among all three PHY proposers

Timeline

- Phase 1
 - Nov 23-Dec 4
 - Extensive email exchanges coexistence and interoperability proposal (ongoing)
 - Dec 7-Dec 11
 - First teleconference (core working members) to discuss the proposal (done)
 - Dec 14-Dec 18
 - Second teleconference (core working members) to update the proposal (planned Dec 15, 8am JST)
- Phase 2
 - Dec 14-Dec 18
 - Obtain Common Signaling PHY candidate from FSK proposers (ongoing)
 - Incorporate Common Signaling PHY specs to produce a full coexistence and interoperability proposal
- Phase 3
 - Dec 14-Dec 23
 - Third teleconference (anyone interested) First presentation of full document (may be done separately for different PHY proposers)
 - Jan 4-Jan 8
 - Fourth teleconference (anyone interested) Second presentation of updated full document
- Jan 11-Jan 15 backup time

Current Status

- Phase 1 in progress
- First teleconference completed
 - Teleconference minutes 09/837
- Second teleconference planned
 - Dec 15, 8am JST
- Full proposal in preparation
- Following closely the discussion in the FSK camp to produce the mandatory common FSK PHY mode (a probable candidate for the Common Signaling PHY mode)

Additional Notes

- Backup timeline
 - In the case where discussion among all three
 PHY proposers can not take place due to lacking of time
- Phase 3 will be carried out in the 2010 Jan Los Angeles Interim