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We are pleased to inform you that ITU-T Joint Coordination Activity for Software-Defined Networking (JCA-SDN), which was established in July 2013, started its activity to coordinate SDN standardization-related activity inside ITU-T as well as other activities outside of ITU-T.

SDN is an important topic for our industry, and many standardization-related activities are held in various entities. This makes it difficult for standardization experts to understand what work item is discussed in which entity.

The JCA therefore would like to develop a completed and ongoing activity roadmap of SDN standardization that would include:

- overview of SDN-related activity in each entity consisting of 0.5-1 page for each entity, (1) which works as an introduction.
- detailed work item table. (2)

Network function virtualization (NFV), network virtualization, programmable networks, and network as a service (NaaS) are strongly related to SDN, so please include information on these activities

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We would like to request you to:

- (1) send us information for the roadmap, which we will compile into the roadmap (see appendix for a template), and
- appoint a contact point from your organization to JCA-SDN to follow our meetings and support the roadmap development.

If the information is confidential, please note it in the information.

On 19 February 2014, we will have the second JCA-SDN meeting. We would appreciate if you send us the relevant-information by 10 February 2014. Also, if a representative from your organization could present the input either in person or remotely, we would greatly appreciate. If you cannot meet the deadline of 10 February, please send anyway your inputs at the earliest convenience. It will be considered at future meetings of JCA-SDN.

Please regularly check JCA-SDN webpage for updated information: http://itu.int/en/ITU-T/jca/sdn