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Re:	Comments received on Functional Requirements, "Functional Requirements for the 802.16.3 Interoperability Standard", 802.16.3-00/02r2 (may be found at http://ieee802.org/16/sub11/docs/802163-00_02r2.pdf), and resolved at session #8.	
Abstract	A report of the editor's comment database that shows how each comment was resolved at session #8. The report also includes comments that were input to, and resolved at, session #7.	
Purpose	Commentors may use this report to confirm that their requested changes were dealt with correctly by the editor. This report is sorted by the commentor's name so it can be reviewed quickly. Note that the 802.16.3 minutes for session #8 should also reflect how comments were resolved.	
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802.16.3 Functional Requirements Comment Resolution Status, Output from Session #8

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Page/Line: 4 / 11 **Item Number:** 1 **Commentor Name:** Abu-Dayya Adnan **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "from 1 GHz to 10 GHz" with "2 GHz to 11 GHz"
 Editor's note: Rejected because change is already there
Reason: To be consistent with the PAR.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 17 **Item Number:** 2 **Commentor Name:** Abu-Dayya Adnan **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "NLOS blockage" with "channel characteristics"
Reason: A more meaningful metric in link design.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 20 **Item Number:** 3 **Commentor Name:** Abu-Dayya Adnan **Type:** Technical
Description: replace "will be a difficult problem for" with "will be a requirement for"
Reason: The target markets "residential and small businesses" mandate a non-line-of-sight requirement. Hence, the airlink should be robust in multipath environments.
Resolution: rejected

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 10 / 21 **Item Number:** 4 **Commentor Name:** Abu-Dayya Adnan **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete "The 802.16.3 system capacity ...will also be difficult"
Reason: Not a very meaningful sentence; serves no purpose.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 21 **Item Number:** 194 **Commentor Name:** Costa Jose **Type:** Editorial
Description: After "The access standards define" please insert "the ways to use"
Reason: Standards do not define technology by rather the way technology is used (e.g., techniques).
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 28 **Item Number:** 200 **Commentor Name:** Costa Jose **Type:** Technical
Description: Propose to replace the title and first paragraph with:
 3 Supported Service Capabilities
 This section describes typical service capabilities supported by an 802.16.3 air interface.
Reason: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to
 focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirement.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 29 **Item Number:** 201 **Commentor Name:** Costa Jose **Type:** Technical
Description: In the sentence starting "In this document, services refer.....", change the word "document" to "section", and move the sentence to page 9 line 15 , just before "IEEE 802 protocols...."
Reason: This service definition belongs in the Protocols section.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 38 **Item Number:** 202 **Commentor Name:** Costa Jose **Type:** Technical
Description: Propose to replace the title and first paragraph with:
 3.1 Voice Transport Service Capabilities
 802.16.3 systems SHALL support voice communications to subscribers in
Reason: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to
 focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirement.
Resolution: accepted-modified

a way that eases the migration of legacy voice equipment and public switched telephone network (PSTN) access technologies to 802.16.3 systems. The

802.16.3 access transport will be packet based (as opposed to circuit

Notes:

Page/Line: 8 / 43 **Item Number:** 203 **Commentor Name:** Costa Jose **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** accepted
 Propose to replace the title and first paragraph with: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to

3.2 Data Transport Service Capabilities - Internet

focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirement.

The 802.16.3 system MUST directly transport variable-length datagrams efficiently. Both IP versions 4 and 6 must be supported. For efficient transport of IPv6, TCP/IP header compression over the air interface SHOULD be supported. The 802.16.3 IP service MUST provide support for real-time and non-real-time service capabilities. It SHOULD be possible to support the

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Page/Line: 9 / 5 **Item Number:** 204 **Commentor Name:** Costa Jose **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** accepted
 Propose to replace the title and first paragraph with: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to

3.3 Bridged LAN Service Capabilities

focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirement.

The 802.16.3 protocols SHOULD support bridged LANS service capabilities, whether directly or indirectly, including always on, ad hoc and on-demand

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Page/Line: 1 / 4 **Item Number:** 5 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** rejected
 Change "Broadband Wireless Access (BWA)" to "Wideband Wireless Access (WWA)" all over the document. To distinguish 802.16.3 activity from 802.16.1

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 45 **Item Number:** 6 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Editorial
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** accepted
 Delete comma after "networks" Grammar

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 29 **Item Number:** 7 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** rejected
 Exchange the paragraph between lines 29 and 35 (starting with "A broadband wireless access" with the next paragraph (between lines 37 and 42, starting The definition of the markets is more important than the examples of possible services.

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 30 **Item Number:** 8 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** rejected
 Change "markets" to "services" The technologies provide services and are not special to markets.

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 7 **Item Number:** 9 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Editorial
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** accepted
 Insert space between "802.16.3" and "MAC" Typo

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 11 **Item Number:** 10 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Editorial
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** accepted
 Insert space between "to" and "3.5" Typo

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 1 **Item Number:** 11 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Editorial
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** conferred to group
Change "A base" to "Base" Refer to "interfaces"

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 11 **Item Number:** 12 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Editorial
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** conferred to group
Remove space in "comm on" Typo

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 12 **Item Number:** 13 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** conferred to group
Add optional Central Control Station and more base station to diagram
The diagram may be adequate for 802.16.1 but it is too simplistic for 802.16.3, where there is high influence between stations. A diagram similar to the ETSI TM4 reference diagram should be used.

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 17 **Item Number:** 14 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
Add "mainly" between "be" and "packet".
There is no reason to assume nor to limit voice services to Voice over packets. Other mechanisms may be found to be better.

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 18 **Item Number:** 15 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
Change "will be recovered" with "may be recovered"
See above

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 7 / 29 **Item Number:** 16 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** conferred to group
change "will be provided by VoIP" to "might be provided by VoIP"
See above.

Notes:

Page/Line: 9 / 28 **Item Number:** 17 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
Change "DAVIC" to "DAVIC or other"
No reason to limit the convergence layer to DAVIC.

Notes: Part of figure deleted

Page/Line: 10 / 32 **Item Number:** 189 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** accepted-modified
Replace "rapidly changing" with "diverse"
The channels in fixed wireless access are not rapidly changing in time. They may slowly change, however the key issue is that each link is different.

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Page/Line: 13 / 1 **Item Number:** 19 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** conferred to group
All reference should be revisited
Most of the reference are not relevant to 802.16.3

Notes:

Page/Line: 13 / 25 **Item Number:** 18 **Commentor Name:** Freedman Avi **Type:** Editorial
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** conferred to editor
Remove space within "T he"
Typo

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 5 **Item Number:** 20 **Commentor Name:** Goldhammer Marianna **Type:** Editorial

Description: Insert "data" after "packet"			Reason: clarification		Resolution accepted-modified
Notes:					
Page/Line: 3 / 38	Item Number: 21	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical	
Description: Insert "telecommuters" after "SOHO"		Reason: To add this market segment		Resolution rejected	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 6 / 0	Item Number: 23	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Editorial	
Description: Change "voice, data and video" to "data, voice and video"		Reason: Consistence throughout the document		Resolution conferred to group	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 6 / 1	Item Number: 22	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Editorial	
Description: Change" voice, data and video" to "packet data, voice and in some cases video"		Reason: Make a correlation between the market size for each service and the order		Resolution conferred to group	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 7 / 10	Item Number: 24	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical	
Description: Change the phrase starting with "The MAC and PHY protocols" with:"The MAC and PHY protocols will not have explicit support for each and every service, due to the fact that generic data streams SHALL be used for transport. The MAC and PHY protocols SHALL provide for QoS service specific		Reason: Clarification		Resolution accepted-modified	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 7 / 32	Item Number: 25	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical	
Description: Insert after business). "The required bandwidth is minimized with VoIP, the associated codecs providing a very good compression: 8kb/s for G.729, 6.3kb/s for G.723. The compression result is the increase of the delay.		Reason: To make clear what is VoIP rate		Resolution conferred to group	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 7 / 34	Item Number: 26	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Editorial	
Description: Delete"low"		Reason: The VoIP delay is not low		Resolution conferred to group	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 7 / 34	Item Number: 27	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical	
Description: Change "MUST" with "SHOULD"		Reason: The delay amount is depending on many factors, the MAC being only one of them.The delay amount, due to echo cancellers used with VoIP, is not extremely critical.		Resolution conferred to group	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 7 / 36	Item Number: 28	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical	
Description: Insert after the conversation. "The QoS requiremets should take into account the characteristics of the VoIP technology: codec end-to-end delay of 50ms for 10ms frame (G.729), 120ms for 30ms frame (G.723), the possibility to transmit concatenated voice packets, the mandatory use of echo cancellers.		Reason: Give a feeling of what VoIP delay is		Resolution conferred to group	
Notes:					
Page/Line: 7 / 39	Item Number: 29	Commentor Name: Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical	
Description: Insert new paragraph with bullet: BER level The MAC and PHY protocols SHOULD provide for a reasonable BER Level for		Reason: Make clear the BER issue		Resolution conferred to group	

voice services. BER of 10-4 is sufficient for voice services and 10-5 for FAX.

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Page/Line:	8 / 6	Item Number:	30	Commentor Name:	Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical
Description:				Reason:			Resolution rejected
<p>Insert new numbered paragraph: Internet protocol properties</p> <p>Bullet: Packet length - the IP datagrams are characterized by variable length. The MAC protocols MUST support efficiently variable length packets.</p> <p>Bullet: Bit Error Rate - the TCP/IP protocol, as known from literature, drops its performance by 90% when the packet error rate reaches 10%. The MAC and PHY protocols MUST provide means for reliable data transport, the BER target for cellular deployment SHALL be 10-9, equivalent to the performance of wired networks.</p>							
Resolution rejected							

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Page/Line:	9 / 0	Item Number:	31	Commentor Name:	Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical
Description:				Reason:			Resolution accepted
<p>Delete right column, avoiding the MAC layer for DAVIC</p>							
Resolution accepted							

Notes:

Page/Line:	9 / 45	Item Number:	32	Commentor Name:	Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical
Description:				Reason:			Resolution accepted
<p>Insert: The IEEE 802.16.3 protocol stack SHALL be the same for all the supported services.</p>							
Resolution accepted							

Notes:

Page/Line:	10 / 16	Item Number:	34	Commentor Name:	Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical
Description:				Reason:			Resolution accepted-modified
<p>Insert paragraph 6 Wireless media characteristics</p> <p>Sub-paragraph 6.1 Duplex model</p> <p>Paragraph start The radio regulations permit two access modes: Frequency Division Duplex - FDD and Time Division Duplex - TDD. The MAC and PHY protocol MUST support both FDD and TDD duplex modes. Spectral efficiency is maximized in FDD with full-duplex operation, while in TDD with means to avoid collocation problems and more complex interference scenarios. The PHY and MAC protocols MUST provide for full duplex operation, while preserving the QoS, BER and spectral efficiency requirements for data and voice traffic. The MAC and PHY protocols MUST provide means to resolve the collocation and interference problems in TDD deployment.</p>							
Resolution accepted-modified							

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Page/Line:	10 / 16	Item Number:	35	Commentor Name:	Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical
Description:				Reason:			Resolution accepted-modified
<p>Insert paragraph 6.2 Channelization</p> <p>New paragraph The standardization bodies providing channelization recommendations are ITU-R, CEPT and FCC. The allocated bandwidth per operator varies between 5MHz and 120MHz. In Europe, the typical allocated bandwidth is 14MHz. The operators target a good frequency reuse factor, using 4-6 sectors for Base Stations. The Base Station bandwidth per sector can be between 1.75MHz and 7MHz in in CEPT countries and between 2MHz and 6MHz in MMDS. The MAC and PHY protocols MUST permit the operation with channel spacing per sector of 1.75, 3.5 and 7MHz when using ETSI masks and 2, 3, 5 and 6MHz when using other masks. The typical value for performance analysis SHOULD be 3.5MHz for ETSI mask and 3MHz for MMDS mask.</p>							
Resolution accepted-modified							

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Page/Line:	10 / 16	Item Number:	36	Commentor Name:	Goldhammer	Marianna	Type: Technical
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Description:

Insert paragraph 6.3 Cellular deployment
 New paragraph In cellular deployment, due to interference, the system spectral efficiency can be considerably lowered. The PHY and MAC protocols SHOULD permit good frequency reuse factors, providing at least 2bit/s/cell. In order to reduce the interference level, the PHY and MAC protocols MUST permit power control per subscriber up-link and SHOULD permit power control per subscriber down-link. The PHY and MAC protocols SHALL permit real-time changing of power levels, as function of propagation conditions, in order to use the minimum power needed for the target BER.

Reason:

Missing paragraph

Resolution rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 30 **Item Number:** 33 **Commentor Name:** Goldhammer Marianna **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "Bandwidth" with "Capacity" **Reason:** Bandwidth is measured in Hz, not bit/s **Resolution** accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 12 / 4 **Item Number:** 37 **Commentor Name:** Goldhammer Marianna **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete from row 4 to row 14 **Reason:** Telephony will be delivered using VoIP, and the requirements here are relevant only for classic 64kb/s voice. **Resolution** conferred to group

Notes: Not actually deleted, but the paragraphs reworked into the QoS table. Referred to QoS ad-hoc group

Page/Line: 13 / 21 **Item Number:** 38 **Commentor Name:** Goldhammer Marianna **Type:** Technical
Description: Change from table the 10ms in row 7 to "1/4 of the VoIP codec end-to-end delay" **Reason:** Requirements non consistent with VoIP **Resolution** conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 0 / 0 **Item Number:** 48 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Editorial
Description: The section numbering is wrong. **Reason:** Editorial. **Resolution** rejected
 Rejected because editor will clean up the requirements summary appendix

Notes:

Page/Line: 0 / 0 **Item Number:** 49 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete R17. **Reason:** This is not requirement on a BWA system. **Resolution** rejected
 Rejected because editor will re-work this appendix by scanning the document body to verify all requirements

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 4 **Item Number:** 39 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace sentence "The BWA" through "services" with "The BWA system shall support all services (real time and non real time) in a packet oriented manner." **Reason:** Clearly defined requirement that clarifies meaning of the sentence. **Resolution** accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 34 **Item Number:** 40 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 34 to 35 **Reason:** This is a mixture of access technologies and services. **Resolution** rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 36 **Item Number:** 41 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Add one more competing technology: Fiber **Reason:** To add this market segment. **Resolution** accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 29 **Item Number:** 42 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 29 to 32 **Reason:** This text is to fluffy. **Resolution** accepted-duplicate

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 0 **Item Number:** 50 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Change to mandatory. **Reason:** This is important for a good BWA system.
Resolution: rejected
Reason: **Editor's note: Rejected because the change request does not specify what to change**

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 13 **Item Number:** 43 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Editorial
Description: What is DAV and DAVIC ? **Reason:** Specify.
Resolution: rejected
Reason: **Editor's note: Rejected because no specific change suggested**

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 22 **Item Number:** 44 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete "local LOS obstruction" **Reason:** The target performance levels shall be higher.
Resolution: rejected

Notes: text deleted

Page/Line: 11 / 44 **Item Number:** 45 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete the whole sentence "In a telephony network" through "300 ms [15][17][75]" **Reason:** This is not requirement on a BWA system.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 12 / 7 **Item Number:** 46 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Editorial
Description: What is "transit delay"? **Reason:** Specify.
Resolution: rejected
Reason: **Editor's note: Rejected because no specific change suggested**

Notes:

Page/Line: 15 / 12 **Item Number:** 47 **Commentor Name:** Jansson Leif **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "face" with "case". **Reason:** Editorial.
Resolution: rejected
Reason: **Editor's note: Rejected because "face" is fine**

Notes:

Page/Line: 0 / 0 **Item Number:** 74 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Editorial
Description: Delete rows M9, M10 and M12. **Reason:** These statements don't occur in the text.
Resolution: rejected
Reason: **Editor's note: Rejected because the editor will revise this appendix**

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 4 **Item Number:** 51 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace sentence "The BWA" through "services" with "The BWA system shall support all services (real time and non real time) in a packet oriented manner." **Reason:** Clearly defined requirement that clarifies the initial sentence.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 11 **Item Number:** 52 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 11 to 15 **Reason:** Contradictory with "MUST comply" in next paragraph. Statement on revisions and changes is obvious and fluff.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 36 **Item Number:** 53 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Add fifth competing technology: Native Ethernet **Reason:** To add this market segment.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 11 **Item Number:** 54 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution:** accepted-modified

Replace 3.5 with 4.2

Fits CEPT recommendations and covers all the bands.

Notes: Next version of document may need to have more precise ranges called-out.

Page/Line: 4 / 13 **Item Number:** 56 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "require" with "benefits from"
Reason: There is no direct need for NLOS operation, though signal attenuation from partial obstructions is still low enough to be technically compensated for (=solution for NLOS operation). This feature improves the system performance.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 13 **Item Number:** 55 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "near line-of-sight" with "non line-of-sight"
Reason: Non line-of-sight operation is also possible, not restricted to near line-of-sight.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 19 **Item Number:** 57 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert after conditions. "Figure <as inserted below> shows an example deployment configuration. The base station can serve individual buildings, multiple subscribers in multiple buildings (using multiple radio links), or multiple subscribers in a single building by use of a single radio link and further in-building distribution systems. It shows the use of a repeater and route diversity in order to provide coverage in difficult areas. This does not imply the use of these features in all systems. However it does require the capability to implement them if required, and leave them out if not."
Reason: This figure displays the typical deployment configuration of HIPERACCESS and is more comprehensive than the currently shown figure, which depicts a specific scenario. This should also be our basis in the interest of
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes: Tabled to submitters to rework the diagram and associated text.

Page/Line: 5 / 0 **Item Number:** 58 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace figure 2-1 with figure 4-3 from TR 101 177 V1.1.1 (1998-05) by ETSI/BRAN/HIPERACCESS
Reason: This figure displays the typical deployment configuration of HIPERACCESS and is more comprehensive than the currently shown figure, which depicts a specific scenario. This should also be our basis in the interest of convergence of standards
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes: tabled; submitters will rework for next round of comments

Page/Line: 5 / 6 **Item Number:** 59 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 6 to 12: "The base station" through "possible."
Reason: The antenna solution is the manufacturer's and providers turf, not to be mandated by 802.16.3.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 13 **Item Number:** 60 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete the beginning of the sentence starting with "Since the base" through "oriented". Start the sentence with "Multiple base station radios will likely."
Reason: The antenna solution is the manufacturer's and providers turf, not to be mandated by 802.16.3.
Resolution: rejected

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 5 / 23 **Item Number:** 61 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 23 to 26: "Also" through "document."
Reason: The decision on an IDU/ODU vs. an ODU solution itself is entirely outside the scope of this document.
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Rejected because of duplicate comment from Kostas

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 0 **Item Number:** 62 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: In Figure 2-2 delete the drawings inside the SS and BS boxes and delete the terms IDU and ODU.
Reason: The decision on an IDU/ODU vs. an ODU solution itself is entirely outside the scope of this document.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 26 **Item Number:** 63 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 26 through 29: "In the" through "contention-oriented bus," and start the sentence with "802.16.3 protocols".
Reason: This text is both fluff (who cares about similarities) and the poor arbitrary usage of the word channel might be mis-interpreted as implicitly mandating FDD.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 15 **Item Number:** 64 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "telephony" with "voice services" throughout the whole section.
Reason: Consistence throughout the section
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 18 **Item Number:** 65 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 18 to 21: "The consumer" through "services)"
Reason: The statement does not provide any valuable information.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 25 **Item Number:** 66 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete the entire subsection 3.1.1.1
Reason: These statements here add nothing but fluff. The requirements for telephony services are sufficiently dealt with in the QoS section. The statement before this subsection already refers there, so there's no need to repeat that here without any hard values.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 9 / 0 **Item Number:** 67 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete both DAVIC and DIGITAL AUTO/VIDEO from the right column in the figure.
Reason: These titles and references are misleading and irrelevant. It is impossible to guarantee services if a parallel Video stream gobbles up bandwidth without consulting the MAC. Digital audio/video should run on top of the MAC, not alongside.
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Rejected because of duplicate comment from Goldhammer

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 6 **Item Number:** 68 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 6 to 8: "Note that" through "layer."
Reason: ARQ shouldn't be ruled out already in this phase.
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Rejected because of duplicate comment from Kostas

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 12 **Item Number:** 69 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete " and DAV" in the sentence starting on line 11: "Like the"
Reason: DAV (Digital Audio/Video?) should run on top of the MAC, any MAC convergence layer does not have to deal with its needs.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 11 / 3 **Item Number:** 70 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace 99.94% with 99.95%
Reason: More commonly used value
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 11 / 5 **Item Number:** 71 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete sentence "Note that" through "a year."
Reason: Irrelevant information.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 11 / 27 **Item Number:** 72 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert after "see section)." "In a multicell environment intercell interference can not be neglected as an outage increasing factor."
Reason: There should be a requirement providing that some level of interference resilience is supported.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 12 / 26 **Item Number:** 73 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete bullet points on lines 26 and 27. **Reason:** Implementation issue, leave to manufacturers and providers (range determined by number of sectors and antenna type etc.) **Resolution:** accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 22 / 0 **Item Number:** 75 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Editorial
Description: Delete the last incomplete sentence "This" through "provisioning" **Reason:** Useless and misleading sentence **Resolution:** accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 22 / 0 **Item Number:** 76 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Editorial
Description: Delete "Protocol" till end of text **Reason:** Incomplete and irrelevant sentence **Resolution:** conferred to editor

Notes:

Page/Line: 25 / 0 **Item Number:** 77 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace 99.94% with 99.95% **Reason:** Consistency with the text in section 5.4 if the corresponding earlier comment is approved. **Resolution:** conferred to editor

Notes:

Page/Line: 26 / 0 **Item Number:** 78 **Commentor Name:** Kasslin Mika **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete the following bullet points: **Reason:** Consistency with the text in section 5.7 if the corresponding "- Radio range (shaped sector radius)" earlier comment is approved. "- Width of the sector" **Resolution:** conferred to editor

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 4 **Item Number:** 79 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: The BWA system is intended to support a wide-range of transport capabilities (e.g., frame relay, ATM, IP, and Ethernet 802.11) that in turn can **Reason:** To explicitly state the reason for this BWA **Resolution:** accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 4 **Item Number:** 85 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: The BWA system is intended to support a wide-range of transport capabilities (e.g., frame relay, ATM, IP, and Ethernet 802.11) that in turn can **Reason:** To explicitly state the reason for this BWA **Resolution:** accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 5 **Item Number:** 80 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Deletion of sentence starting at end of this line **Reason:** Sentence is redundant with second Paragraph. **Resolution:** rejected

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 1 / 17 **Item Number:** 81 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Change second sentence on this line to read "These functional requirements, with possible future amendments, are to be used to identify the constrains in the development of the 802.16.3 air interface standard. Such terms as **Reason:** Third Paragraph Second Sentence is not consistent with the Second Paragraph. Second Paragraph states that this document provides "guidelines" and the third Paragraph states that "The requirements with future amendments, are binding"... the air interface standard MUST comply... with **Resolution:** rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 46 **Item Number:** 82 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Change sentence to read, "So, "Functional Requirements" describes the 802.16.3 MAC and PHY Layer functions and system parameters that need be specified so that the BWA system can support a wide-range of transport capabilities (e.g., Frame Relay, ATM, and Ethernet 802.11), that in turn **Reason:** To explicitly state the reason for this BWA **Resolution:** rejected

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 2 / 17 **Item Number:** 83 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Change sentence to read "The 802.16.3 air interface interoperability SHALL interwork with existing local, metropolitan, and wide area network standards."
Reason: To more explicitly state the reason for this Air interface interworking capabilities.
Resolution: rejected
 In a requirements document the emphasis of being part of a family of standards is misleading.

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 18 **Item Number:** 84 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: As an example, Figure 1 shows how the 802.16.3 PHY and MAC layers relate to
Reason: To Clarify that this is only and example: i.e., the 802.16.3 PHY and MAC will relate to others.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 22 **Item Number:** 86 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Change title of Figure 1 to
 Figure 1: Relationship between 802.16.3 and other 802 Protocol
Reason: To avoid misunderstanding of the phrase "other Protocol Standards"
Resolution: accepted-modified
Notes: change figure instead

Page/Line: 2 / 24 **Item Number:** 87 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert a Figure 0. That depicts the how the 802.16.3 MAC and PHY Layers relate to the supported upper layer protocols (e.g., Frame Relay, ATM, 802.11);
Reason: To explicitly depict the more general application of the PHY and MAC being developed and not just the family.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 36 **Item Number:** 88 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert a bullet "Point-to-Point ATM access"
Reason: To include an important broadband access alternative
Resolution: rejected

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 5 / 22 **Item Number:** 89 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: The ending of second sentence should read,
 "... envisaged, but the 802.16.3 protocols focus on the Air Interface shown
Reason: Clarify
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 23 **Item Number:** 90 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace sentence starting on this line, and the sentence following with
 "Also shown in Figure 2.2 are typical configurations of the Base Station (BS) and the Subscriber Station (SS), that include the functions of "Indoor Units"(IU) and "Outdoor Units" (OU).
 However, the physical separation and protocols between OU and IU are
Reason: Makes meaning clearer
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 26 **Item Number:** 91 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Change the sentence starting in the middle of this line and the sentence that follows with,
Reason: Facilitate reading
Resolution: conferred to group

"An additional function to this System Reference Model that should be considered is Security. The BS Network Interface (BNI) and the SS Network

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 4 **Item Number:** 92 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Delete
 "which are sometimes called interworking functions(IWFs),
Reason: Incorrect phrase. Interfaces are no interworking functions.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 22 **Item Number:** 93 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description:
Reason:
Resolution: accepted-modified

Change sentence to read,
 "The Subscriber Stations may identify the bandwidth needed to achieve
 the
 required QoS (see section) , but the BS has the "smarts" to allocate

Improve English

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 26 **Item Number:** 94 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace the paragraph starting on this line with
Reason: To simplify reading
Resolution: accepted-modified

In the downstream direction, within a channel, the network topology is
 similar to a contentionless broadcast bus, since the transmissions are
 transmitted by the base station, and more than one Subscribe Station
 can share a downstream channel. In the upstream direction the topology

is similar to a contention-oriented bus, and thus 802.16.3 protocols
 MUST provide the means to multiplex traffic from multiple SS, resolve
 contention, and allocate bandwidth in the upstream direction.

Notes: Amended with deletions.

Page/Line: 6 / 34 **Item Number:** 95 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Change paragraph under Section 3 to read,
 This section describes some services that an 802.16.3 system SHOULD
 support.
 In what follows both the target markets and their associated bearer
Reason: To streamline the meaning. Original paragraph found confusing
Resolution: accepted-modified

In what follows both the target markets and their associated bearer

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 5 **Item Number:** 96 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace this paragraph with
 "This Section describes typical services supported by an 802.16.3 system.
Reason: To streamline the meaning. Original paragraph found confusing
Resolution: rejected

"This Section describes typical services supported by an 802.16.3 system.

In this document services refer to the services provided by the MAC layer
 to
 the layer above it. The term services is also used in this document as an

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 11 **Item Number:** 97 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Delete sentence starting on this line
Reason: Not clear of its meaning
Resolution: accepted

Delete sentence starting on this line

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 18 **Item Number:** 98 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Delete lines 18 through 24
Reason: Unnecessary and confusing verbiage
Resolution: accepted-modified

Delete lines 18 through 24

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 34 **Item Number:** 99 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: -second bullet, should be modified to read,
Reason: To include delay variation and improve English
Resolution: conferred to group

-second bullet, should be modified to read,

"Delay - as apparent to the end user, the amount of delay and delay
 variation
 MUST be kept within acceptable limits. Again the specific amount of
 delay

Notes:

Page/Line: 8 / 9 **Item Number:** 100 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert before this line Section
 "3.1.1.1.1.1 ATM Protocol Services
Reason: Important MAN based services
Resolution: rejected

Insert before this line Section
 "3.1.1.1.1.1 ATM Protocol Services

The 802.16.3 system MUST transport constant bit rate(CBR),
 non-real-time
 variable-bit-rate(non-rt VBR), real-time variable-bit-rate(rt VBR) and

Notes:

Page/Line: 8 / 13 **Item Number:** 101 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete this sentence
Reason: No basis given for prejudging now other services' requirements
Resolution: rejected

Delete this sentence

Notes:

Page/Line: 8 / 16 **Item Number:** 102 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete lines 17 through 33 of this Section
Reason: This is informational text on a specific user or the 802.16.3. PHY and MAC and thus does not belong in this requirements document
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 6 **Item Number:** 103 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: sentence beginning on this line should read,
 "Note that the function of the MAC layer can include error correction by
Reason: In the below 11GHz bands ARQ should be a MAC requirement as it very effectively meets the needs of many applications.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 7 **Item Number:** 104 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete sentence starting on this line
Reason: MAC needs to support ARQ
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 18 **Item Number:** 105 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Editorial
Description: Sentence should read
 "Specifying protocols that can maintain a specified/mandatory performance levels in the face of rapidly changing channel characteristics(e.g., due to
Reason: Clarification
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 28 **Item Number:** 106 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Change sentence to read
Reason: Clarification
Resolution: rejected

"The 802.16.3 protocols SHOULD allow for increases in capacity and performance."

Notes:

Page/Line: 14 / 20 **Item Number:** 107 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: Change Sentence to read
 "The 802.16.3 protocols SHALL define a set of parameters to meet the required QoS parameters for the supported services (e.g., ATM CBR Services and
Reason: To include the support of additional services
Resolution: unresolved

Notes:

Page/Line: 14 / 32 **Item Number:** 108 **Commentor Name:** Kostas Demosthenes **Type:** Technical
Description: The last sentence parenthesis should read
 (such as those required for IP- and ATM-based services)
Reason: To include the support of additional services to IP
Resolution: unresolved

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 5 **Item Number:** 182 **Commentor Name:** Nativ Adi **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete: "packet-based"
Reason: To allow support of non packet-based services in addition to pocket based.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate

Notes:

Page/Line: 1 / 7 **Item Number:** 180 **Commentor Name:** Nativ Adi **Type:** Editorial
Description: Erase one of two dots after "locations".
Reason: typing error, one dot too much.
Resolution: conferred to editor

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 13 **Item Number:** 183 **Commentor Name:** Nativ Adi **Type:** Editorial
Description: Define the range instead of stating: "the above range".
Reason: No range is mentioned "above" in that section.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate

Notes: Duplicate of 197

- Page/Line:** 7 / 41 **Item Number:** 184 **Commentor Name:** Nativ Adi **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete sentence: "The access transport will ... recovered from the packets".
Reason: To allow non-packet based services in addition.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate
- Notes:** Duplicate of 188
- Page/Line:** 9 / 23 **Item Number:** 181 **Commentor Name:** Nativ Adi **Type:** Editorial
Description: Insert line 23 before line 19
Reason: Title should be attached to the figure.
Resolution: conferred to editor
- Notes:**
- Page/Line:** 12 / 29 **Item Number:** 185 **Commentor Name:** Nativ Adi **Type:** Technical
Description: Change first sentence in 5.7 to the following: "802.16.3 system was defined in section 2 to consist of one base station. A 802.16.3 system capacity is therefore defined as the product of the number of sectors per base station and a sector capacity. A sector capacity requirement is defined as the product of two factors: the "modulation-gain" factor and the "sector-bandwidth". The "modulation-gain" is defined as the sector's aggregate bit rate divided by the bandwidth, depending mainly on the type of modulation in use. The "sector-bandwidth" is defined as the total frequency band available for
Reason: Capacity issues should consider matters such as modulation type and frequency reuse factor.
Resolution: accepted-modified
- Notes:**
- Page/Line:** 1 / 5 **Item Number:** 186 **Commentor Name:** Padan Uzi **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete "packet based" or replace "packet based" with "packet based or circuit switching based"
Reason: There is no need to limit the services and solutions to pure packets. There is a need to enable compatibility with legacy networks.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate
- Notes:** Duplicate of 182
- Page/Line:** 4 / 19 **Item Number:** 187 **Commentor Name:** Padan Uzi **Type:** Editorial
Description: Change "regulatory and atmospheric conditions" to "local regulations and atmospheric conditions"
Reason: Those are totally different issues and should be separated
Resolution: accepted
- Notes:**
- Page/Line:** 7 / 41 **Item Number:** 188 **Commentor Name:** Padan Uzi **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete the sentence "The access transport will be packet based (as opposed to circuit switched) and voice services will be recovered from the packets"
Reason: There is no need to limit the services and solutions to pure packets. Enabling circuit switched as an option will ease the migration from legacy networks, as mentioned in a previous sentence.
Resolution: accepted
- Notes:**
- Page/Line:** 0 / 1 **Item Number:** 109 **Commentor Name:** Petry Brian **Type:** Technical
Description: Change title to "Functional Requirements for the 802.16.3 Interoperability Standard"; make other changes throughout document as necessary.
Reason: A simple, meaningful title that won't change as revisions are made and the document is completed.
Resolution: accepted
- Notes:**
- Page/Line:** 1 / 4 **Item Number:** 110 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Technical
Description: The BWA system is intended to provide packet, cell and other transport services.
Reason: To expand the scope of BWA standard.
Resolution: rejected
- Notes:**
- Page/Line:** 6 / 4 **Item Number:** 111 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "which are sometimes called interworking functions(IWFs)," by "and related interworking functions (IWFs),"
Reason: Need to address both interfaces and any interworking functions.
Resolution: conferred to group
- Notes:**

- Page/Line:** 7 / 17 **Item Number:** 112 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Technical
Description:
Change sentence beginning in line 17 to:
"The access transport will be packet based or cell based."
Notes:
Reason: See no need to limit transport of voice services to packet based.
Resolution: rejected
- Page/Line:** 7 / 29 **Item Number:** 113 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Editorial
Description:
Delete the sentence
"Voice connectivity will be provided by a VOIP protocol and may involve low rate vocoding."
Notes:
Reason: See no need to limit voice services to VOIP.
Resolution: conferred to group
- Page/Line:** 8 / 9 **Item Number:** 114 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Editorial
Description:
Insert
"3.1.2 ATM Services
The 802.16.3 system MUST provide efficient transport for CBR, VBR (rt and nrt),
Notes:
Reason: To ensure 802.16.3 standard supports ATM-based BWA solutions.
Editor's note: rejected because of duplicate comment from Kostas
Resolution: rejected
- Page/Line:** 8 / 9 **Item Number:** 115 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Editorial
Description:
Change section number from 3.1.2 to 3.1.3
Notes:
Reason: Above insertion
Editor's note: rejected because editor will do cleanup/numbering/etc.
Resolution: rejected
- Page/Line:** 8 / 11 **Item Number:** 116 **Commentor Name:** Satapathy Durga **Type:** Editorial
Description:
Change section number from 3.1.3 to 3.1.4
Editor's note: rejected because editor will do cleanup/numbering/etc.
Notes:
Reason: Above insertion
Resolution: rejected
- Page/Line:** 1 / 5 **Item Number:** 117 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
Insert after "packet and other services" the words "to individual residential, SME, SOHO and tele-commuter end-user locations."
Notes:
Reason: To more fully reflect the purpose of the PAR and to differentiate 802.16.3 from other 802 air interfaces.
Resolution: accepted-modified
- Page/Line:** 1 / 44 **Item Number:** 118 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
Replace "at least one subscriber station" with " a large number of end-user locations"
Notes:
Reason: This is the defining characteristic of 802.16.3 FWA/BWA solutions. Also, the word "subscriber" implies a billable public service whereas some end user services will be corporate extranet, VPN or private network extensions, not "billable" in the conventional sense. Also, the word Station implies a single customer termination whereas most of the likely applications will be multi-line / multi-service. The air interface delivers an access "pipe" to a location over which services can be delivered to one or more end-user ports or terminal points.
Resolution: rejected
- Page/Line:** 3 / 36 **Item Number:** 119 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
Insert new paragraph :
"The critical parameters for serving these markets using wireless access technology is the combination of coverage / capacity factors that affects access cost per user, the deployability, maintainability and product costs associated with the customer premise installation, and the spectrum efficiency / reuse for economically serving the required number of customer locations with a minimum number of base station locations and backhaul
Notes:
Reason: To capture the essence of the key challenge for a commercially viable / successful BWA solution for the 802.16.3 target markets.
Resolution: accepted

Page/Line: 3 / 38 **Item Number:** 120 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 Insert "Telecommuters" between "SOHO" and "small businesses".
 Proposal : To invite contributions on definitions of these terms and associated traffic model assumptions, demographic density / distribution criteria and typical clutter / propagation implications.

Notes: Proposal accepted (results in call-for-contribution)

Page/Line: 3 / 38 **Item Number:** 121 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 replace second / subsequent sentences with "In accordance with ITU-R definitions, FWA (and hence BWA) provides access to one or more (public and private) core networks, rather than forming and end-to-end communication system. 802.16.3 systems serve fixed location customers, but who might be geographically

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 8 **Item Number:** 122 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 Replace "at least one subscriber station" with " a large number of end-user locations"

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 17 **Item Number:** 123 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 Replace "NLOS" with "Non Line-of-Sight, Near Line-of-Sight and Line-of-Sight

Notes: withdrawn

Page/Line: 4 / 18 **Item Number:** 124 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 Insert "regulatory" in front of "and atmospheric conditions".

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 7 **Item Number:** 125 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 Insert "or adaptive array (spacial reuse)" between "shaped sector" and "antenna"

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 9 **Item Number:** 127 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
 Replace sentence with " Omnidirectional antenna are often used as an initial (low capacity, low cost) base-station in competitive overlay or rural deployments,

but might be enhanced later to sectored configurations to increase capacity or range as customer penetration / loadings or distances dictate. It might also be necessary to reconfigure coverage from a single "Super-cell" to a multi-cell coverage plan at some point in the life of a base station, while minimising

Notes: associated text was deleted.

Page/Line: 5 / 10 **Item Number:** 126 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete "highly"
Reason: FWA customer antennae are typically 15 - 30 degree beamwidth to assist with low cost / complexity deployment processes, especially with a desirable capability for customer installability or technicians with minimal training / skills.
Resolution: rejected

Notes: associated text deleted

Page/Line: 5 / 13 **Item Number:** 128 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "are" with "might be"
Reason: Omni-Directional and adaptive array antenna configurations are equally probable in future FWA/BWA deployments, for economic and deployability / capacity
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 14 **Item Number:** 129 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert "might" between "and" and "even".
Reason: This is implementation dependent, and can change.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 12 **Item Number:** 130 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Amend Figure 2-2 to show :
a) Local Power within the SS box, supplying the IDU and ODU.
b) Multiple ODU's per IDU at the BS
Reason: To reflect economic / service characteristics of the 802.16.3 target markets and existing FWA practice / experience in many countries.
Resolution: conferred to group

c) Remote IDU's from the BS IDU. These Remote units / antenna would be located away from the BS site to improve coverage / economics in range or capacity limited deployments.

d) The BS IDU might not be located at the BS - it might be at another location (which might be the same as the public switch / router)

e) The switch / router might not be public - it might be a private / corporate edge device which might, or might not have public network gateways / connections

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 26 **Item Number:** 131 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description:
a) Delete "within a channel" (Line 26) and "more than one subscriber could share a downstream channel" (Lines 27,28)
b) Delete "if subscriber stations share a channel" (Lines 28,29)
c) Change "bandwidth" to "capacity" (Line 31)
Reason: In FWA/BWA for the 802.16.3 target markets, customer units are always in contention for capacity / bandwidth (not channels in the frequency or radio sense). Not all downstream methods are "broadcast" - beamforming techniques can address individual customers for improved simultaneous frequency reuse within the same cell.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 21 **Item Number:** 132 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Change to "(supporting FAX and analog modem services)"
Reason: Customers will continue to have / use analog modems over any presented "voice" port / circuit. The air interface might need to dynamically allocate appropriate resources to accommodate the modem transmissions at up to V.90
Resolution: rejected

Notes: text deleted

Page/Line: 8 / 10 **Item Number:** 133 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Add "including always on, ad hoc and on-demand communication in either or both directions "
Reason: This ha simportant connotations for non-circuit oriented concentrated air interface access systems, and will be increasing important to support alerts, telemetry and appliance / control functions in residential and small

Notes:

Page/Line: 9 / 21 **Item Number:** 134 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Editorial
Description: Figure 4-1 : Change "Auto / Video" to "Audio / Video"
Change "DAVIC" to "DAV TC"
Reason: Typo
Resolution: rejected

Notes: part of figure deleted

Page/Line: 10 / 3 **Item Number:** 135 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "In the downstream direction ? more than one subscriber station" with
"Since customer units will contend for capacity to/from one or more base
Reason: To reflect the deployment, capacity management and economic characteristics for the 802.16.3 target markets.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 26 **Item Number:** 136 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Add "in particular, the activities being carried out within the Joint Rapporteur Group (JRG) 8A/9B (with references etc)
Reason: To draw specific attention to this important group.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 31 **Item Number:** 144 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Change "2 to 10Mb/s" to "up to 5Mb/s in either or both directions"
Reason: PAR used 2-10Mb/s to denote the aggregate (shared) channel rate. This part of the FRD refers to the capacity delivered to an individual residential or SME customer location, and is meant to be comparable to DSL or cable modems
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 32 **Item Number:** 137 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Change "subscriber station" to "residential or SME customer location"
Reason: Clarification
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 11 / 21 **Item Number:** 138 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Change "foliage" to "reflections and foliage"
Reason: Completeness
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 11 / 35 **Item Number:** 139 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: BER should be changed from 10e-9 to 10e-6 or 10e-7 in accordance with
ITU FWA recs (see JRG8a/9B inputs)
Reason: 10e-9 is typical; for feeder links and trunk facilities for T1-T3 CBR pipes.
It is not typical / necessary / economic for distribution / access connections
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes: significant debate

Page/Line: 12 / 13 **Item Number:** 145 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Change jitter specification to 20mS
Reason: More realistic requirement for certain forms of implementation.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes: Referred to QoS group

Page/Line: 12 / 23 **Item Number:** 140 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete 'channel'
Reason: 802.16.3 links might not be "channel" oriented (e.g OFDM or CDMA)
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 12 / 26 **Item Number:** 141 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
 Replace Bullets with :
 To differentiate from traditional 802.16.1 concepts and embrace traditional plus emerging FWA practices / experiences.
 Bullet : Radio Range, width of sector(s) and/or adaptive array parameters
 Bullet : Upstream / downstream link and user rates / asymmetry/ dynamics
 Bullet : Types of Duplex (FDD, TDD, Paired TDD)
 Bullet : Types of Modulation / Multiple Access (DS,SS etc, TDMA,

Notes:

Page/Line: 13 / 21 **Item Number:** 146 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
 In Table 1 :
 More realistic requirements.
 Editor's note: (d) rejected because no specific change specified
 a) All one-way delays should be 20ms
 b) Delete circuit-based parameters - rest of FRD stipulates packet based (and maybe cell based) services only.
 c) Change BER 10 - 8 on last line to 10 - 6
 d) Add note that MOS refers to 4.5 scale (not 5.0 scale)

Notes:

Page/Line: 15 / 3 **Item Number:** 147 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** accepted
 Replace "CMIP/CMIS" with SNMP/CORBA
 More appropriate for Access networks / environments, especially for residential and SME markets

Notes:

Page/Line: 15 / 15 **Item Number:** 142 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
 This needs further elaboration / discussion / contribution. Power control loops are probably fundamental for most FWA / customer unit applications and it must not be possible to exceed a maximum permitted power level. Also, if a SU is "shut down" it must be possible to re-enable it (without visiting the customer location) to diagnose and fix / dispatch etc. There are also functions necessary to handle Primary / secondary power conditions, software downloads/ upgrades,
 Expand the requirement to better match the needs of the 802.16.3 target markets.

Notes:

Page/Line: 15 / 27 **Item Number:** 143 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
 Needs further expansion / contribution to handle installation, service suspend/resume, relocation, geolocation and anti-cloning processes.
 To better match the needs for the 802.16.3 target markets.

Notes: withdrawn; asks for comments from other people

Page/Line: 17 / 8 **Item Number:** 148 **Commentor Name:** Trinkwon David **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** rejected
 Delete 2nd, 3rd and 4th bullets relating to 802 conformance.
 Not relevant / practicable for FWA/BWA applications for residential and SME markets.

Notes: Withdrawn

Page/Line: 1 / 5 **Item Number:** 190 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: **Reason:** **Resolution** accepted
 Move the words "packet-based" to between the words "provides" and "transport", so that the sentence reads: "The BWA system provides
 To clarify that it is the transport that is packet-based - the services can be anything.

packet-based transport capabilities that can support a wide range of services...."

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 2 **Item Number:** 191 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "services" by "services capabilities"
Reason: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirements.
Resolution: accepted
 Was comment # 149 in last round - Editor said it couldn't be located.

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 3 **Item Number:** 192 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "services" by "services capabilities"
Reason: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirements.
Resolution: accepted-duplicate
 Was comment # 149 in last round - Editor said it couldn't be located.

Notes: Duplicate of 191

Page/Line: 2 / 7 **Item Number:** 149 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "service" by "service capabilities" in lines 7 and 8 (two places)
Reason: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to focus on services capabilities so that operators may build services according to their own market requirements.
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Rejected because the change could not be located

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 10 **Item Number:** 150 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "802.16.3 systems provide" by "802.16.3 systems will be able to provide"
Reason: Grammar
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 10 **Item Number:** 193 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Add a new sentence: "As far as possible, these should be common across the 802.16 systems."
Reason: Commonality improves efficiency.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 15 **Item Number:** 151 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Add a new sentence: "As far as possible, these should be common across the 802.16 systems"
Reason: Commonality improves efficiency.
Resolution: rejected
 **Editor's note: OK to use "SHOULD?"

Notes:

Page/Line: 2 / 23 **Item Number:** 195 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Delete the sentence "Other types are under investigation."
Reason: Doesn't add anything to the requirements, unless this investigation will be concluded before the FRs are complete.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 21 **Item Number:** 196 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Add a reference for the "Five Criteria"
Reason: Improve readability/understanding.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 30 **Item Number:** 152 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "similar to wired broadband access technologies such as.." by "similar to those of certain"
Reason: It is the markets that are similar
Resolution: accepted

wired access technologies such as..".

Notes:

Page/Line: 3 / 42 **Item Number:** 153 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "fixed position customers" by "fixed position customer stations"
Reason: To improve the text
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 7 **Item Number:** 154 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "in section, an 802.16.3" with "in section 1.1, an 802.16.3"
Reason: Missing section numbers.
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Editor will verify section numbering, etc.

Other missing section numbers on page 5 line 27 (see section 8); page 6 line 23 (see section 6); page 7 line 2 (section 2), line 24 (Section 6) page 9 (in section 3.1); page 11 line 3 (see section 5.5), line 27 (section 5.7); page 12 line 15 (section 6.2); page 13 (section

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 13 **Item Number:** 198 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Modify the sentence to read: "Radio communication in the above range may be possible even in near- and non-line-of-sight situations between a base station and subscriber station."
Reason: Clarify the sentence.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 13 **Item Number:** 197 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Insert the original sentence after the word "protocols": "Specific applications of the 802.16.3 point-to multipoint (P-MP) radios include 2.1 to 3.5 GHz, but the standard is more generally applicable to the range from
Reason: Without this sentence that has the frequency range (which was deleted at the meeting #7), the words "in the above range .." in the sentence beginning on
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 22 **Item Number:** 155 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "the standard *in* more generally applicable...1 GHz to 10 GHz" with "the standard *is* more generally applicable... 2 GHz to 11 GHz"
Reason: Correct typo and maintain consistency on the upper frequency limit.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes: Sentence was deleted.

Page/Line: 4 / 23 **Item Number:** 156 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "The standard is" with "Equipment based on this standard is".
Reason: Clarification.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 24 **Item Number:** 157 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Replace "require near line-of-sight (NLOS)" by "will be required to support both line-of-sight (LOS) and non line-of-sight" (NLOS)"
Reason: To permit universal applicability of the standard.
Resolution: rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 4 / 26 **Item Number:** 158 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "systems" with "system"
Reason: Grammar.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 4 **Item Number:** 159 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "concern for" by "the interest of"
Reason: To improve the text
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Rejected because text is fine

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 5 **Item Number:** 160 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "subscribers" by "subscriber stations"
Reason: To be consistent. The system consists of stations.
Resolution: accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 7 **Item Number:** 161 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Instead of "radiating" would "transmitting" or "emitting" be more appropriate here?
Reason: To use a better term
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Rejected because no specific change specified

Notes:

Page/Line: 5 / 12 **Item Number:** 162 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "possible" by "supported"
Reason: To be precise.
Resolution: rejected

Notes: associated text was deleted

Page/Line: 5 / 23 **Item Number:** 163 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Remove the sentence starting on line 23, and also the following sentence.
Reason: From a standards perspective, there is no need to differentiate between outdoor and indoor units. That is an implementation issue. At the subscriber end, the antenna could even be indoors, and at the BTS end, everything except the antenna might be indoors.
Resolution: accepted-modified

Notes: The whole section was temporarily deleted, with comments during next round expected to re-work the section contents.

Page/Line: 5 / 27 **Item Number:** 164 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "(see section)." With "(see section 8)."
Reason: Missing section number.
Resolution: rejected
 Rejected. Editor will clean up section references

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 1 **Item Number:** 165 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "residential networks" by "residential (customer premises) networks"
Reason: To further clarify.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 8 **Item Number:** 166 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial
Description: Replace "(see section)." With "(see section 3)."
Reason: Missing section number.
Resolution: rejected
 Editor's note: Editor will clean up section references

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 12 **Item Number:** 167 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: In the figure, remove the reference to IDU and ODU.
Reason: From a standards perspective, there is no need to differentiate between outdoor and indoor units. That is an implementation issue.
Resolution: conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 33 **Item Number:** 169 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical
Description: Propose to replace this section by:
Reason: To generalize the field of application of the 802.16.3 systems. We need to

Section 3: Service Capabilities

An 802.16.3 system SHALL support fixed wireless access to IP networks at bit rates of up to 10 Mbit/s. Voice services will be carried as "voice over IP."

Notes:

Page/Line: 6 / 35 **Item Number:** 168 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial

Description:
delete "bearer"

Reason:
The section on bearer services from original document was deleted.

Resolution accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 7 / 25 **Item Number:** 199 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical

Description:
Replace the words "means to multiplex traffic to and from multiple subscriber stations" by "means to multiplex traffic from multiple subscriber stations"

Reason:
This sentence is addressing the upstream direction only.

Resolution accepted-modified

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 31 **Item Number:** 170 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical

Description:
Replace "provide the peak capacity from 2-10 Mbps " to "provide the capacity from 1-10 Mbps "

Reason:
To accommodate the narrower channel bandwidths that might be required to work into realistic frequency re-use plans in areas where spectrum is limited, e.g. MMDS operators with only a few channels, 3.5 GHz band where 802.16.3 system must share 25 MHz with legacy

Resolution accepted-modified

Notes: first part accepted/modified; 2nd part covered by another edit

Page/Line: 10 / 33 **Item Number:** 171 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial

Description:
Replace "delivered bandwidth " to "delivered capacity"

Reason:
Capacity is the correct term for bits/sec.
Editor's note: Rejected because of duplicate comment from Goldhammer

Resolution rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 10 / 38 **Item Number:** 205 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical

Description:
Replace "(with references, etc.)" by "(Questions ITU-R 140/9, ITU-R 215/8, ITU-R 220/9)"

Reason:
To provide more specific references.

Resolution accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 11 / 33 **Item Number:** 172 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical

Description:
Replace "from about 99.9 To 99.94% " with "from about 99.9 To

Reason:
To be consistent with market requirements and technology capabilities.

Resolution accepted-duplicate

Notes:

Page/Line: 13 / 21 **Item Number:** 173 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical

Description:
In Table 1 column 4 row 7 replace "10 ms " with "100 ms "

Reason:
Delay of 10 ms for packet-oriented connections is too short. VoIP can tolerate up to about 150 ms delay, as long as frame error rate is below about 1%.

Resolution conferred to group

Notes:

Page/Line: 17 / 0 **Item Number:** 175 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Technical

Description:
Once the revision of the main text is complete, Tables 2 to 4 should be revised to correspond with the changes made in the document.

Reason:
Consistency with the text in section 1 to 9.
Rejected because editor will revise the requirements appendices

Resolution rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 17 / 0 **Item Number:** 177 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial

Description:
Replace "according to negotiated user requirements" with "according to dynamically negotiated user requirements and/or network availability"

Reason:
To introduce the concept of dynamism in the definition and also indicate that network availability could also trigger/cause/impact this variability.
Rejected because editor will revise the requirements appendices

Resolution rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 17 / 0 **Item Number:** 178 **Commentor Name:** Wachira Muya **Type:** Editorial

Description:

Reason:
Resolution rejected

Insert "Techniques for" before "Separation"

To indicate that FDD is not the separation itself as implied in the draft text.

Rejected because editor will revise the requirements appendices

Notes:

Page/Line: 17 / 0 **Item Number:** 179

Commentor Name: Wachira Muya

Type: Editorial

Description:

Insert "Techniques for" before "Separation"

Reason:

To indicate that TDD is not the separation itself as implied in the draft text.

Rejected because editor will revise the requirements appendices

Resolution rejected

Notes:

Page/Line: 17 / 21 **Item Number:** 176

Commentor Name: Wachira Muya

Type: Editorial

Description:

Replace the term "bandwidth " with " capacity"

Reason:

Referring to capacity as "bandwith" is colloquial usage, and we should use the correct terms - bandwidth expressed in Hz and capacity in bit/s or bps.

Resolution accepted

Notes:

Page/Line: 17 / 22 **Item Number:** 174

Commentor Name: Wachira Muya

Type: Editorial

Description:

The Appendices should be numbered

A. Requirements Summary

A.1 Mandatory

A.2 Recommended (R)

A.3 Optional (O)

B. Vocabulary of Terms

B.1 Definitions

B.2 Acronyms and Abbreviations

Appropriate page numbering should be used.

Reason:

Ease of reference.

Rejected because editor will clean up numbering and references

Resolution rejected

Notes: