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Q10/16 would like to thank IETF for the LS that provided background information on the Internet Wideband Codec working group establishment and the updates on the ongoing activities (our TD 266/Gen).

Q10/16 noted that IETF Codec WG seeks interaction with ITU-T. In order to facilitate the interaction with your group, clarifications on the type of expected interaction would be needed.

Q10/16 appreciates your feedback solicitation on the Internet Wideband Codec requirement document. To be able to provide useful feedback, Q10/16 would like to work on a nearly finalized version of it. For your information, in our process first targeted applications are defined and then requirements are set. Then the codec undergoes an extensive set of listening tests. Those listening tests are done in collaboration with SG 12. This allows the final codec to have the expecting capabilities considering the targeted applications.

The next Q10/16 meeting will be held during our SG16 Plenary meeting in March 2011 in Geneva.

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