

To: oneM2M Officers, oneM2M Secretariat, oneM2M members

## Letter of support for the nomination of Dr Saïd Gharout as Chair of oneM2M WG1 (REQ+ MAS data models)

Dear oneM2M Officers, oneM2M Secretariat, oneM2M members,

On behalf of Orange, I am pleased to announce that Mr Saïd Gharout is standing as a candidate for the position of chair of oneM2M Technical Plenary Working Group 1 (REQ+ MAS data models), through Orange membership under ETSI organization.

Dr Gharout has a lot of experience in the domains of M2M, IoT, as well as (e)SIM. Prior to his engagement in oneM2M, he has demonstrated his chairmanship qualities through chairing many working groups in GSMA related to (e)SIM, security and certification. He is also involved in GSMA IoT activities representing Orange.

For more than a year Dr Gharout has been particularly active in technical and strategic discussions in oneM2M.

Dr Gharout, with his leadership and vision, will work on the consolidation and influence of oneM2M in the IoT world as well as its applicability in the business area.

Orange fully supports the creation and adoption of open and interoperable standards for IoT.

Be sure Orange will provide all the necessary support for Dr Gharout, if elected, to allow him to undertake this role of WG1 chair.

Kind regards,

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