## Wireless Innovation Forum Announces Endorsement of Standard Spectrum Resource Format Version 3.x

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## For Immediate Release

**Washington, DC – 14 January 2015 –** The Wireless Innovation Forum, a non-profit international industry association dedicated to driving the future of radio communications and systems worldwide, today announced member endorsement of Standard Spectrum Resource Format Version 3.x, a government specification published by the Military Communications Electronics Board and is issued under the authority of DOD Directive 5100.35.

"SSRF is an important core technology for spectrum administration and already enables critical spectrum sharing and frequency coordination services. This endorsement recognizes the community's interest in SSRF and its value for commercial and government users worldwide." said Jesse Caulfield of Key Bridge Global LLC and Chair the Forum's Open SSRF Working Group, which is producing an open reference implementation of the standard.

The SSRF specification is plublicly available and is already used in many government spectrum management systems. Members of the Forum believe that wider adoption of this standard can help to facilitate spectrum sharing between and amongst government and commercial users globally and have undertaken to develop and certify an open source reference implementation of the standard.

Forum members' endorsement of the SSRF specification as a preferred standard is non-exclusive.

More information about this endorsement, the SSRF specificaton and the Forum's open source development project is available online at the links below:

Endorsement statement: <u>http://groups.winnforum.org/d/do/7941</u>. Open SSRF development project: <u>http://groups.winnforum.org/d/do/7435</u>. The specification is here: <u>http://groups.winnforum.org/d/do/7107</u>.

## About the Wireless Innovation Forum

Established in 1996, The Wireless Innovation Forum (SDR Forum Version 2.0) is a non-profit mutual benefit corporation dedicated to advocating for spectrum innovation, and advancing radio technologies that support essential or critical communications worldwide. Members bring a broad base of experience in Software Defined Radio (SDR), Cognitive Radio(CR) and Dynamic Spectrum Access (DSA) technologies in diverse markets and at all levels of the wireless value chain to address emerging wireless communications requirements. To learn more about The Wireless Innovation Forum, its meetings and membership benefits, visit www.WirelessInnovation.org.

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