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**Abstract**

The document comprises comments on Version 2 (dated April 14<sup>th</sup>) of Doc. m59257, i.e. CfP on VCM [1].

**Comment**

After the discussion among the experts of Polish NB, we came to the conclusion that the evaluation of the proposals for Video Coding for Machines should be executed in October. Therefore, we support the respective timelines in [1].

The experts underline that Call for proposals should be open for the prospective participants also from the groups that were not active in the preparation of the call. The recent discussions on the details of the CfP and CTC documents prove that we hopefully reach the consensus first during the April meeting. We believe that the deadline of June 24<sup>th</sup> is definitively too early taking into the account that huge amount of experimental data is expected to be delivered together with the proposals.

We definitely should avoid the situation that the Call gets only unsatisfactory proposals. Having in mind moderate results of the Call for Evidence, we strongly support the submission deadline of October 2022 for CfP on VCM.

## **References**

- [1] ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 29/WG 2, “Draft Call for Proposals on Video Coding for Machines”, doc. M59257, 14.04.2022.

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