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ABSTRACT:

The NGN networks have being introduced as a need to the network operators to guarantee the Interoperability, Interconnection, Convergence of services and networks, Number Portability, New services and applications for ALL. Multiservice broadband networks require more and new spectrum, regulations, and policies, what need to be done to support the current and future deployment and operation of the NGN and Next Generation Broadband networks? Fiber Optic networks and high end applications demands more and more every day and we must be prepared to support those needs in a transparent way for the end users and with the pertinent regulatory frameworks.

What is the role of the end user in the NGN development? Are the NGN and future Next Generation Broadband networks and solutions considering the end user current and future needs?

We will analyze and answer these and many other concerns from the operators and the end user standing points.