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PART A. Section Summary

A-1 Executive Summary

The Changwon Section was organized on February 3, 1991. During 2002, the Changwon Section organized 5 meetings: 3 Section Administrative Meetings and 2 Technical Seminars.

This year the Changwon Section will organize at least 5 meetings: 3 Section Executive Meetings and 2 Technical Seminars or Conferences during 2003.

A-2 Financial Report

Total receipts of the Changwon Section during 2002 amount to US\$2,900.74 and total expenses amount to US \$1,628.31.

A-3 Section Executive Committee Officers

The Changwon Section Executive Committee Officers on March 2003 are listed in the following. Our section elects new executive committee officers every December.

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PART B. Organizational Activities

B-1 Membership Growth

Overall membership of the Changwon Section as of Jan. 31, 2003 amounts to 226 (from 254 last year). Every effort is being made to recruit new members.

B-2 Territorial Organization

Most of members reside in the province of South Kyungsang and cities of Pusan and Ulsan.

B-3 Membership Development Programs

Membership applications and brochures are available from the Section's web site (<http://changwon.ieee.or.kr>), the Section Secretary, and Membership Development Committee. We send application forms upon request from interested persons. Efforts to recruit new members and student members are being made.

B-4 Student Activity

Currently, the Changwon Section has no Student Branch.

B-5 Conference Activities

1. Technical Seminar (September 25, 2002, Changwon National University)
90 persons were attended
Seminar title: Recent Trends in Communication Network Management
2. Technical Seminar (November 11, 2002, Changwon National University)
50 persons were attended
Seminar title: Vision and Development Strategy of Electronic Medical Appliances

PART C. 2003 Goals and Plans

C-1 Technical Meetings/Conferences

The Changwon Section sponsors or cosponsors two seminars or conferences:

- ① The ASK Conference of the Youngnam Section
- ② The IEEK Conferences of the Pusan-South Kyungsang Section

C-2 Student Branch

Currently, the Changwon Section has no Student Branch.. Changwon National University tried to set up its Student Branch but in vain last year, but is planning to set it up again in 2003.

C-3 Chapters

Currently, the Changwon Section has no Chapter. The Changwon Section is considering to set up at least a couple of chapters.

C-4 Proposed Budget

The Changwon Section proposes the budget about US \$4,000 during 2003 for Technical meetings and Conferences.

Part D. Others

D-1 Relationship with National Societies

There are many national academic societies in Korea such as;

- The Korea Institute of Electrical Engineers (KIEE)
- The Institute of Electronics Engineers of Korea (IEEK)
- The Korea Information Science Society (KISS)

The Korea Institute of Communication Science (KICS)

The Acoustical Society of Korea (ASK)

Since most of our members are affiliated with these societies, the Changwon Section enjoys a close relationship with these societies through the joint technical programs. Especially, the IEEK, the KICS, and the ASK have close ties with the IEEE activities.

D-2 Area Coordination

The Changwon Section is carrying out joint activities with other Sections in Korea.