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Qualcomm and Leading Chinese Manufacturers Announce "5G Pioneer" Initiative

--Brings together Lenovo, OPPO, vivo, Xiaomi, ZTE and Wingtech to help advance reality of commercial availability of standard-compliant 5G New Radio (NR) devices expected in 2019--

BEIJING, Jan. 25, 2018 /PRNewswire/ -- Today, Qualcomm Technologies, Inc., a subsidiary of Qualcomm Incorporated (NASDAQ: QCOM) held the 2018 Qualcomm China Tech Day in Beijing. At the event, Qualcomm Technologies and leading Chinese manufacturers expressed interest in working together in an initiative to support China's smartphone industry for the global opportunities that will be made available by 5G and introduce 5G New Radio (NR) standard-compliant commercial devices expected as early as 2019, announced as the "5G Pioneer" Initiative. Representatives from Lenovo Group Ltd., Guangdong OPPO Mobile Telecommunications Corp., Ltd., vivo Communication Technology Co., Ltd., Xiaomi Communications Co., Ltd., ZTE Corporation and Wingtech Technology Co., Ltd. joined Qualcomm Incorporated president Cristiano Amon on stage to give support to working together on this initiative. These companies aim to accelerate the availability of commercial 5G premium tier devices expected in 2019.

The full release is available on the Qualcomm News Center website at

<https://www.qualcomm.com/news/releases/2018/01/08/qualcomm-technologies-announces-rf-front-end-design-wins-google-htc-lg>

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