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Hans Verkuil | 13 Mar 13:31 2011

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Jason Hecker | 14 Mar 05:10 2011

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**Hans Verkuil** | 14 Mar 08:36 2011

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 **Picon Re: [ANN] Agenda for the Warsaw meeting.**

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When you do, make sure they post it to linux-media! FM support is part of the V4L API. We had support for a DAB device, but it turned out that: 1) the driver hadn't worked for ages and 2) the DAB API was never reviewed or documented, 3) the hardware wasn't available anymore, so it was removed recently.

I'd love to help create a proper DAB API.

Regards,

Hans

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> processing routines in OpenDAB or OpenMoko as I strongly suspect the
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**Alex Deucher** | 14 Mar 06:33 2011

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**Hans Verkuil | 14 Mar 08:24 2011**

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