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Subject: **Situation concerning Recommendations under the Alternative Approval Process (AAP)**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Alternative Approval Process (AAP) defined in Rec. ITU-T A.8 (2006) applies to Recommendations which do not have policy or regulatory implications and which, therefore, do not require formal consultation of Member States (see ITU Convention 246B).

Annex 1 lists those texts whose status has changed compared with previous TSB AAP Announcements.

If you wish to submit a comment relative to a Recommendation under AAP, you are encouraged to use the on-line AAP comment submission form available on the page of the Recommendation in the AAP area of the ITU-T website at <http://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap> (see **Annex 2**). Alternatively, comments can be submitted by completing the form in **Annex 3** and sending it to the secretariat of the concerned study group.

Please note that comments that simply support adoption of the text in question are not encouraged.

In view of ITU closing at the end of December period, please note that no AAP announcement will be issued on 1 January 2009. Consequently, the deadline for some texts has been exceptionally extended, since it falls around that period.

Yours faithfully,

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Annex 1

(to TSB AAP-4)

Status codes used in the AAP announcements:

LC = Last Call

LJ = Last Call Judgment (includes comment resolution)

AR = Additional Review

AJ = Additional Review Judgment (includes comment resolution)

SG = For Study Group approval

A = Approved

AT = Approved with typographic corrections

AC = Approved after Additional Review of Comments

NA = Not approved

TAP = Moved to TAP (ITU-T A.8 / § 5.2)

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Situation concerning Study Group 5 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
K.11	Principles of protection against overvoltages and overcurrents	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
K.77 (K.var)	Characteristics of Metal Oxide Varistors (MOVs) for the protection of telecommunications installations	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC

Situation concerning Study Group 12 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
G.1080 (G.IPTV-QoE)	Quality of experience requirements for IPTV services	2008-06-16	2008-07-13	LJ	AR	2008-11-16	2008-12-06	AC		AC
Y.1563 (Y.ETHperf)	Ethernet frame transfer and availability performance	2008-06-16	2008-07-13	LJ	AR	2008-12-16	2009-01-12			AR

Situation concerning Study Group 13 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
Y.2015 (Y.ipsplit)	General requirements for ID/locator separation in NGN	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	LJ	SG					SG
Y.2111 (Y.RACF-R2)	Resource and admission control functions in Next Generation Networks	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	LJ	AT					AT
Y.2113 (Y.enet)	Ethernet QoS control for Next Generation Networks	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	LJ	SG					SG
Y.2235 (Y.cwbs)	Converged web-browsing service scenarios in NGN	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	LJ	AT					AT
Y.2612 (Y.FPBN-addr)	Generic requirements and framework of FPBN addressing, routing and forwarding	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	LJ	SG					SG
Y.2807 (Y.mpls-mob)	MPLS-based mobility capabilities for NGN services	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	LJ	SG					SG

Situation concerning Study Group 15 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
G.671	Transmission characteristics of optical components and subsystems	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.709/Y.1331 Cor.2	Interfaces for the Optical Transport Network (OTN)	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.798 Cor.1	Characteristics of optical transport network hierarchy equipment functional blocks	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.800 Amd.1	Unified functional architecture of transport networks	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.806	Characteristics of Transport Equipment - Description Methodology and Generic Functionality	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.808.1 (2006) Amd.1	Generic protection switching - Linear trail and subnetwork protection	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.985 Amd.1	100 Mbit/s point-to-point Ethernet based optical access system	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.992.3	Asymmetric digital subscriber line transceivers 2 (ADSL2)	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.992.5	Asymmetric Digital subscriber Line (ASDL) transceivers - Extended bandwidth ADSL2 (ADSL2plus)	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.993.2 (2006) Amd.4	Very high speed Digital subscriber Line Transceivers 2	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.7041 Amd.1	Generic framing procedure (GFP)	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.8011.1/Y.1307.1	Ethernet Private Line Service	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.8011.2/Y.1307.2	Ethernet Virtual Private Line Service	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
G.8011/Y.1307	Ethernet over Transport – Ethernet Service Characteristics	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.8021/Y.1341 Amd.1	Characteristics of Ethernet Transport Network Equipment Functional Blocks	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
G.9970 (G.hnta)	Generic Home Network Transport Architecture	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
O.182 Amd.1	Equipment to assess error performance on Optical Transport Network (OTN) interfaces	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
X.85/Y.1321 Amd.2	IP over SDH using LAPS	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
Y.1714	MPLS management and OAM Framework	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC

Situation concerning Study Group 16 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
G.729.1 (2006) Amd.5	G.729-based embedded variable bit-rate coder: An 8-32 kbit/s scalable wideband coder bitstream interoperable with G.729: New Annex D (Reference floating-point implementation for G.729.1 Annex C DTX/CNG) and corrections to the main body and Annex B	2008-10-16	2008-11-12	AR		2008-11-16	2008-12-06	AC		AC
H.264 (2007) Cor.1	Advanced video coding for generic audiovisual services: corrections and updates	2008-06-16	2008-07-13	LJ	AR	2008-12-16	2009-01-12			AR

Situation concerning Study Group 17 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
X.1056 (X.sim)	Security incident management guidelines for telecommunications organizations	2008-12-16	2009-01-12							LC
Z.167 (Z.146)	Testing and Test Control Notation version 3 (TTCN-3): Using ASN.1 with TTCN-3	2008-11-01	2008-11-28	A						A
Z.169	Testing and Test Control Notation version 3 (TTCN-3): TTCN-3 and the Use of XML	2008-11-01	2008-11-28	A						A

Annex 2

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Using the on-line comment submission form

Comment submission

- Go to AAP search Web page at <http://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/>

- Select your Recommendation

Recommendation_No	Title	Study_Group	State	Consent_Date	Approval_Date	Study_Period	Comment
G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1	Wideband embedded extension for G.711 pulse code modulation; New Annex A on a reference floating-point implementation for G.711.1 and editorial corrections to the main body text	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.718 (2008) Cor.1	Frame error robust narrowband and wideband embedded variable bit-rate coding of speech and audio from 8-32 kbit/s; Corrections to fixed-point C-code	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.719 (2008) Amd.1	New Annex A on storage format definitions for G.719, and new Annex B on a reference floating-point implementation for G.719	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.722.2 (2003) Cor.3	Wideband coding of speech at around 16 kbit/s using Adaptive Multi-Rate Wideband (AMR-WB); Corrections to text and C source code in Annex C	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.729.1 (2006) Amd.5	G.729-based embedded variable bit-rate coder; An 8-32 kbit/s scalable wideband coder bitstream interoperable with G.729; New Annex D (Reference floating-point implementation for G.729.1 Annex C DTX/CNG) and corrections to the main body and Annex B	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
H.264 (2007) Cor.1	Advanced video coding for generic audiovisual services; corrections and updates	16	LJ	2008-05-02		2005-2008	★

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AAP Recommendation: G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1

Work Programme: G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1

Title	Study Group	Current Status	Consent Date	Approval Date	Study Period	Provisional Name	IPR	Input used for Consent
Wideband embedded extension for G.711 pulse code modulation: New Annex A on a reference floating-point implementation for G.711.1 and editorial corrections to the main body text	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	G.711-WB-Float	?	TD 381-WP3

Observation

AAP Process Details

Last Call (LC)				Additional Review (AR)				Study Group (SG)	
LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	SG Date	SG Result
2008-10-16	2008-11-12								
[AAP-92]									
LC - Text / Summary				AR - Text / Summary				SG Documents	
LC Text LC Summary									
LC - Comments				AR - Comments				SG Decisions	

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Announcement number*: AAP 92

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Recommendation under*: Last Call (LC) Additional Review (AR)

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Annex 3

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Recommendations under LC/AR – Comment submission form

(Separate form for each Recommendation being commented upon)

ITU-T AAP comment submission form for the period 2009-2012

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