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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 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.

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

Yours faithfully,

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Annex 1

(to TSB AAP-55)

Status codes used in the AAP announcements:

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AR = Additional Review

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SG = For Study Group approval

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Situation concerning Study Group 2 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	
M.727 (M.7pnop)	Planned Outage Notification Point	2010-12-01	2011-01-12	A						A

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.83 (K.monitor)	Monitoring of EMF levels	2010-12-16	2011-01-12	LJ	AR	2011-02-16	2011-03-08	AC		AC
L.1400 (L.methodology umbrella)	Overview and general principles of methodologies for assessing the environmental impact of ICT	2010-10-16	2010-11-12	LJ	AR	2011-02-01	2011-02-21	AJ	AC	AC

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.1050	Network model for evaluating multimedia transmission performance over Internet Protocol	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	A						A
P.56	Objective measurement of active speech level	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	A						A
P.311	Transmission characteristics for wideband digital handset and headset telephones	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	A						A
P.341	Transmission characteristics for wideband digital loudspeaking and hands-free telephony terminals	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	A						A
P.1100	Narrowband hands-free communication in motor vehicles	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	A						A
Y.1540	Internet protocol data communication service – IP packet transfer and availability performance parameters	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	A						A
Y.1564 (Y.156sam)	Ethernet service activation test methodology	2011-02-01	2011-02-28	AT						AT

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.663	Application related aspects of optical amplifier devices and subsystems	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.709/Y.1331 (2009) Amd.2	Interfaces for the Optical Transport Network (OTN): Amendment 2	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.798 (2010) Amd.1	Characteristics of optical transport network hierarchy equipment functional blocks: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.798 (2010) Cor.1	Characteristics of optical transport network hierarchy equipment functional blocks: Corrigendum 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.798.1	Types and characteristics of Optical Transport Network (OTN) equipment	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.806 (2009) Amd.1	Characteristics of transport equipment – Description methodology and generic functionality: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.873.1	Optical Transport Network (OTN): Linear protection	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.874 (2010) Cor.1	Management aspects of optical transport network elements: Corrigendum 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.959.1 (2009) Amd.1	Optical transport networks physical layer interfaces: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.972	Definition of terms relevant to optical fibre submarine cable systems	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.973.2 (G.mdasub)	Multichannel DWDM applications with single channel optical interfaces for repeaterless optical fibre submarine cable systems	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
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G.977	Characteristics of optically amplified optical fibre submarine cable systems	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.988 (2010-10) Amd.1	ONU management and control interface (OMCI) specification: Amendment 1 - Maintenance	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.992.3 (2009) Cor.2	Asymmetric digital subscriber line transceivers 2 (ADSL2): Corrigendum 2	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.993.2 (2006) Amd.7	Very high speed digital subscriber line transceivers 2 (VDSL2): Amendment 7	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.993.2 (2006) Cor.4	Very high speed digital subscriber line transceivers 2 (VDSL2): Corrigendum 4	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.993.5 (2010) Cor.1 (G.vector)	Self-FEXT cancellation (vectoring) for use with VDSL2 transceivers: Corrigendum 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.994.1 (2007) Amd.7	Handshake procedures for digital subscriber line (DSL) transceivers: Amendment 7	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.997.1 (2009) Amd.3	Physical layer management for digital subscriber line (DSL) transceivers: Amendment 3	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.998.4 (2010) Amd.1	Improved impulse noise protection for DSL transceivers: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.998.4 (2010) Cor.2	Improved impulse noise protection for DSL transceivers: Corrigendum 2	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.7041/Y.1303	Generic framing procedure (GFP)	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.7710/Y.1701 (2007) Cor.2	Common equipment management function requirements: Corrigendum 2	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8001/Y.1354	Terms and definitions for Ethernet frames over Transport	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC

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G.8013/Y.1731 (Y.1731)	OAM functions and mechanisms for Ethernet based networks	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8021/Y.1341 (2010) Amd.1	Characteristics of Ethernet transport network equipment functional blocks: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8031/Y.1342	Ethernet linear protection switching	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8051/Y.1345 (2009) Amd.1 (G.eot-mgmt)	Management aspects of the Ethernet-over-Transport (EoT) capable network element: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8110.1/Y.1370.1	Architecture of MPLS Transport Profile (MPLS-TP) layer network	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8201	Error performance parameters and objectives for multi-operator international paths within the Optical Transport Network (OTN)	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8251 (2010) Amd.1	The control of jitter and wander within the optical transport network (OTN): Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.8265.1/Y.1365.1 (2010) Amd.1	Precision time protocol telecom profile for frequency synchronization: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.9956 (G.hnem)	Narrow-band OFDM power line communication transceivers - Data link layer specification	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.9961 (2010) Amd.1	Data link layer (DLL) for unified high-speed wire-line based home networking transceivers: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC
G.9961 (2010) Cor.1	Data link layer (DLL) for unified high-speed wire-line based home networking transceivers: Corrigendum 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC

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O.174 (2009) Amd.1	Jitter and wander measuring equipment for digital systems which are based on synchronous Ethernet technology: Amendment 1	2011-03-16	2011-04-12							LC

Annex 2

(to TSB AAP-55)

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								
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LC Text									
LC Summary									
LC - Comments				AR - Comments				SG Decisions	

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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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