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- To the ITU-T Study Group Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen;
- To the Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau;
- To the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau

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

Dear Sir/Madam,

1. The World Telecommunication Standardization Assembly (WTSA-04), which was held in Florianópolis, Brazil, from 5 to 14 October 2004, decided to maintain in force the ITU-T Recommendation A.8 "Alternative Approval Process (AAP)".

The AAP 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).

2. **Annex 1** lists those texts whose status has changed compared to previous TSB AAP Announcements.

3. You will find an AAP comment submission form by clicking the study group of your choice in the AAP area of the ITU-T Website at <http://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/>. See also **Annex 2**.

4 In view of ITU closing at the end of December period, please note that no AAP announcement will be issued on 1 January 2008. Consequently, the deadline for some texts has been exceptionally extended, since it falls around that period.

Yours faithfully,

Malcolm Johnson
Director of the Telecommunication
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Annexes: 2

ANNEX 1
(to TSB AAP-73)

Status codes used in the AAP announcements:

LC = Last Call
LJ = Last Call Judgment
AR = Additional Review
AJ = Additional Review Judgment
SG = For Study Group approval
A = Approved
AT = Approved with typographic corrections
AC = Approved after Additional Review of Comments
NA = Not approved

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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	
E.412.1 (E.41arstn)	The assessment for the running status of transport networks	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A

Situation concerning Study Group 6 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	
L.73 (L.irud)	Methods for inspecting and repairing underground plastic ducts	2007-12-16	2008-01-12							LC

Situation concerning Study Group 9 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	
J.83 rev	Digital Multi Programme systems for television sound and data services for cable distribution	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.122 rev	Second-generation transmission systems for interactive cable television services – IP cable modems	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.125 rev	Link privacy for cable modem implementations	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.126 rev	Embedded Cable Modem device specification	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.162 rev	Network call signalling protocol for the delivery of time-critical services over cable television networks using cable modems	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.163 rev	Dynamic quality of service for the provision of real-time services over cable television networks using cable modems	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.164 rev	Event message requirements for the support of real-time services over cable television networks using cable modems	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.166 rev	IPCablecom Management Information Base (MIB) framework	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.167 rev	Media Terminal Adapter (MTA) device provisioning requirements for the delivery of real time services over cable television networks using cable modems	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.215 (J.cdpi)	Client digital Program Insertion API	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.222.0 (J.cm3oview)	Overview of third-generation transmission systems for interactive cable television services - IP cable modems	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A

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	
J.284 (J.engip)	Requirements and Framework for Electronic Content Material Gathering over IP network	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.285 (J.spt-arch)	Architecture for synchronised programme transfer with pull operation over IP networks	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	A						A
J.700 (J.iptvfra)	IPTV Service Requirements and Framework for Secondary Distribution	2007-11-16	2007-12-13	LJ						LJ

Situation concerning Study Group 11 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	
Q.3201 (Q.NGN-nacf.sec)	EAP-based Security Signalling Protocol Architecture for Network Attachment	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	A					A
Q.3300 (Q.rcp0)	Architectural framework for the Q.33xx series of Recommendations	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	SG					SG
Q.3304.1 (Q.rcp4.1 (Rc))	Resource Control Protocol no. 4 (rcp4). Protocol at the interface between a Transport Resource Control Physical Entity (TRC-PE) and a Transport Physical Entity (T-PE) (Rc interface): COPS alternative	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	A					A
Q.3304.2 (Q.rcp4.2 (Rc))	Resource control protocol no. 4 SNMP Profile Protocol at the Rc interface between a Transport Resource Control Physical Entity (TRC-PE) and a Transport Physical Entity (T-PE) (Rc interface)	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	A					A
Q.3901 (Q.tt3)	Distribution of tests and services for NGN technical means testing in the model and operator networks	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	SG					SG
Q.3902 (Q.tt4)	Parameters to be monitored in the process of operation when implementing NGN technical means in public telecommunication networks	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	SG					SG

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	2007-10-16	2007-11-12	LJ	AT					AT

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.1372/G.8113 (Y.17tor)	Requirements for OAM functions in T-MPLS based networks	2007-05-16	2007-06-12	LJ	SG					SG
Y.1373/G.8114 (Y.17tom)	Operation and maintenance mechanism for T-MPLS layer networks	2007-05-16	2007-06-12	LJ	SG					SG
Y.2121 (Y.flowreq)	Requirements for the support of flow state aware transport technology in an NGN	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	LJ	SG					SG
Y.2232 (Y.wsconv)	NGN convergence service model and scenario using web services	2007-10-01	2007-10-28	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.984.4	Gigabit-capable Passive Optical Networks (G PON): ONT management and control interface specification	2007-07-01	2007-07-28	LJ	AR	2007-12-16	2008-01-12			AR
G.998.2 (2005) Amd.2	Ethernet-based multi-pair bonding	2007-07-01	2007-07-28	LJ	AR	2007-11-16	2007-12-06	A		A

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.1083 (X.bip)	Information Technology - BioAPI interworking protocol	2007-10-16	2007-11-12	LJ	AT					AT
X.1112 (X.homesec-2)	Device certificate profile for the home network	2007-10-16	2007-11-12	LJ	AT					AT
X.1125 (X.crs)	Correlative Reacting System in Mobile Data Communication	2007-10-16	2007-11-12	LJ	AR	2007-12-16	2008-01-12			AR

ANNEX 2
(to TSB AAP-73)

Recommendations under LC/AR – Comment submission form
(Separate form for each Recommendation being commented upon)

ITU-T AAP Comments Submission Form for the period 2005-2008

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