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

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Alternative Approval Process (AAP) defined in Recommendation ITU-T A.8 applies to Recommendations that 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.

Any member wishing to submit a comment relative to a Recommendation under AAP is encouraged to use the on-line AAP comment submission form available on the page of the Recommendation via [https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/) (see **Annex 2**). Alternatively, comments may 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.

Yours faithfully,

Chaesub Lee
Director of the Telecommunication Standardization Bureau

**Annexes:** 3

Annex 1

(to TSB AAP-84)

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

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Situation concerning Study Group 5 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LCResult** | **LJResult** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **ARResult** | **AJResult** |
| [K.21 (2019) Amd.1 (K.21 Amd.1)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8728) | Amendment 1 to Recommendation ITU-T K.21: Resistibility of telecommunication equipment installed in customer premises to overvoltages and overcurrents ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022180801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.45 (2019) Amd.1 (K.45 Amd.1)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8729) | Amendment 1 to Recommendation ITU-T K.45: Resistibility of telecommunication equipment installed in the access and trunk networks to overvoltages and overcurrents ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022190801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.50 (2018) Amd.1 (K.50 Amd.1)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8725) | Amendment 1 to Recommendation ITU-T K.50: Safe limits for operating voltages and currents of telecommunication systems powered over the network. ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022150801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.56 (K.56)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8723) | Protection of radio base stations against lightning discharges ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022130801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [K.64 (K.64 (2016))](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8726) | Safe working practices for outside equipment installed in particular environments ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022160801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.83 (K.83)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8739) | Monitoring of electromagnetic field levels ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022230802MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.91 (K.91)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8730) | Guidance for assessment, evaluation and monitoring of human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200221A0801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.98 (Corr.2) (K.98 (2014))](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8727) | Corrigendum 2 to Recommendation ITU-T K.98: Overvoltage protection guide for telecommunication equipment installed in customer premises ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022170801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.112 (K.112)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8724) | Lightning protection, earthing and bonding: Practical procedures for radio base stations ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022140802MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [K.146 (K.int)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8731) | Management of interferences on telecommunication transmissions on copper other than speech ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200221B0801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [K.147 (K.Eth)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8732) | Ethernet port resistibility testing for overvoltages and overcurrents ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200221C0801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [L.1023 (L.CE\_2)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8738) | Assessment method for Circular Scoring ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022220801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1310 (Revision of ITU-T L.1310)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8733) | Energy efficiency metrics and measurement methods for telecommunication equipment ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200221D0801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1331 (Revision of ITU-T L.1331)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8734) | Assessment of mobile network energy efficiency ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200221E0801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1371 (L.SP\_OB)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8736) | A methodology for assessing and scoring the sustainability performance of office buildings ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022200803MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [L.1381 (L.SE\_DC)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8735) | Smart energy solution for data centre ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200221F0802MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |
| [L.1382 (L.SE\_TR)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8737) | Smart energy solution for telecommunication rooms ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022210801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-28 | A  |  |  |  |  |  | A  |

Situation concerning Study Group 13 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LCResult** | **LJResult** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **ARResult** | **AJResult** |
| [Y.3652 (Y.bDDN-req)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8703) | Big data driven networking – requirements ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020021FF0802MSWE.docx&group=13)) | 2020-04-01 | 2020-04-28 | LJ | AR | 2020-06-01 | 2020-06-21 | AC |  | AC |

Situation concerning Study Group 15 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LCResult** | **LJResult** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **ARResult** | **AJResult** |
| [G.9960 (2018) Amd.2](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8687) | Unified high-speed wire-line based home networking transceivers - System architecture and physical layer specification ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020021EF0801MSWE.docx&group=15)) | 2020-02-16 | 2020-03-14 | LJ | AR | 2020-07-01 | 2020-07-21 |  |  | AR |
| [G.9961 (2018) Amd.2](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8689) | Unified high-speed wireline-based home networking transceivers - Data link layer specification - Amendment 2 ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020021F10801MSWE.docx&group=15)) | 2020-02-16 | 2020-03-14 | LJ | AR | 2020-07-01 | 2020-07-21 |  |  | AR |

Situation concerning Study Group 17 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LCResult** | **LJResult** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **ARResult** | **AJResult** |
| [X.1402 (X.sra-dlt)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=8708) | Security framework for distributed ledger technology ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020022040801MSWE.docx&group=17)) | 2020-05-01 | 2020-05-28 | LJ | AR | 2020-07-01 | 2020-07-21 |  |  | AR |

Annex 2

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Using the on-line comment submission form

Comment submission

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



2) Select your Recommendation



3) Click the "Submit Comment" button



4) Complete the on-line form and click on "Submit"



For more information, read the AAP tutorial on:
<https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aapinfo/files/AAPTutorial.pdf>

Annex 3

(to TSB AAP-84)

Recommendations under LC/AR – Comment submission form

*(Separate form for each Recommendation being commented upon)*

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| ITU-T AAP comment submission form |
| **Study Group:** |  |
| **Announcement number:** |  |
| **Recommendation number:** |  |
| **Date consented:** |  |
| **Recommendation under:** | [ ]  Last call (LC)[ ]  Additional Review (AR) |
| **Country:** |  |
| **Administration/Company:** |  |
| **Name of AAP Contact Person:** |  |
| **Email of AAP Contact Person:** |  |
| **Sender name:(if different from AAP Contact Person)** |  |
| **Sender email address:** |  |
| **Telephone:** |  |
| **Comments:(Choose as applicable)** | [ ]  We do not support this text. Reasons are given in the attachment.[ ]  We support this text on the condition that it be modified as per revision shown in the attachment. |
| **Observations:** |  |

 [ ]  **No attachment:** Comments are given in the Observation field, no attachment needed

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