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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,

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.

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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

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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.21 (2019) Amd.1 (K.21 Amd.1)	Amendment 1 to Recommendation ITU-T K.21: Resistibility of telecommunication equipment installed in customer premises to overvoltages and overcurrents (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.45 (2019) Amd.1 (K.45 Amd.1)	Amendment 1 to Recommendation ITU-T K.45: Resistibility of telecommunication equipment installed in the access and trunk networks to overvoltages and overcurrents (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.50 (2018) Amd.1 (K.50 Amd.1)	Amendment 1 to Recommendation ITU-T K.50: Safe limits for operating voltages and currents of telecommunication systems powered over the network. (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.56 (K.56)	Protection of radio base stations against lightning discharges (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	LJ						LJ
K.64 (K.64 (2016))	Safe working practices for outside equipment installed in particular environments (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.83 (K.83)	Monitoring of electromagnetic field levels (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.91 (K.91)	Guidance for assessment, evaluation and monitoring of human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	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	
K.98 (Corr.2) (K.98 (2014))	Corrigendum 2 to Recommendation ITU-T K.98: Overvoltage protection guide for telecommunication equipment installed in customer premises (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.112 (K.112)	Lightning protection, earthing and bonding: Practical procedures for radio base stations (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	LJ						LJ
K.146 (K.int)	Management of interferences on telecommunication transmissions on copper other than speech (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
K.147 (K.Eth)	Ethernet port resistibility testing for overvoltages and overcurrents (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
L.1023 (L.CE_2)	Assessment method for Circular Scoring (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	LJ						LJ
L.1310 (Revision of ITU-T L.1310)	Energy efficiency metrics and measurement methods for telecommunication equipment (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	LJ						LJ
L.1331 (Revision of ITU-T L.1331)	Assessment of mobile network energy efficiency (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	LJ						LJ
L.1371 (L.SP_OB)	A methodology for assessing and scoring the sustainability performance of office buildings (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
L.1381 (L.SE_DC)	Smart energy solution for data centre (Summary)	2020-06-01	2020-06-28	A						A
L.1382 (L.SE_TR)	Smart energy solution for telecommunication rooms (Summary)	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
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
Y.3652 (Y.bDDN-req)	Big data driven networking – requirements (Summary)	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
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
G.9960 (2018) Amd.2	Unified high-speed wire-line based home networking transceivers - System architecture and physical layer specification (Summary)	2020-02-16	2020-03-14	LJ	AR	2020-07-01	2020-07-21			AR
G.9961 (2018) Amd.2	Unified high-speed wireline-based home networking transceivers - Data link layer specification - Amendment 2 (Summary)	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
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
X.1402 (X.sra-dlt)	Security framework for distributed ledger technology (Summary)	2020-05-01	2020-05-28	LJ	AR	2020-07-01	2020-07-21			AR

Annex 2

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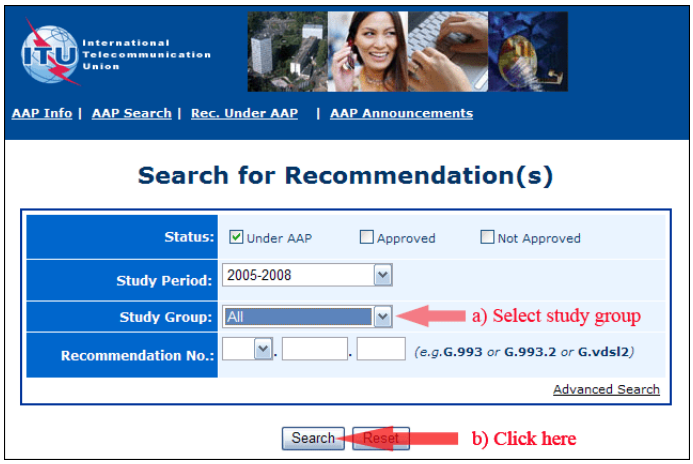
Using the on-line comment submission form

Comment submission

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



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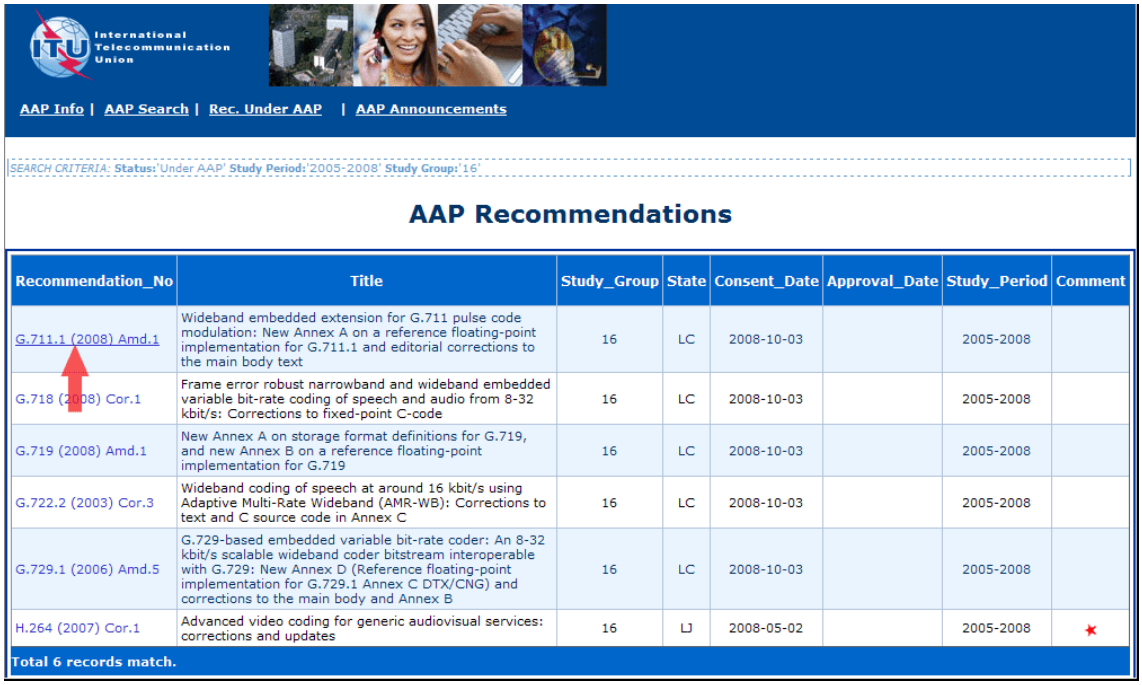

Recommendation_No	Title	Study_Group	State	Consent_Date	Approval_Date	Study_Period	Comment
G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1	Wideband embedded extension for G.711 pulse code modulation: New Annex A on a reference floating-point implementation for G.711.1 and editorial corrections to the main body text	16	LC	2008-10-03		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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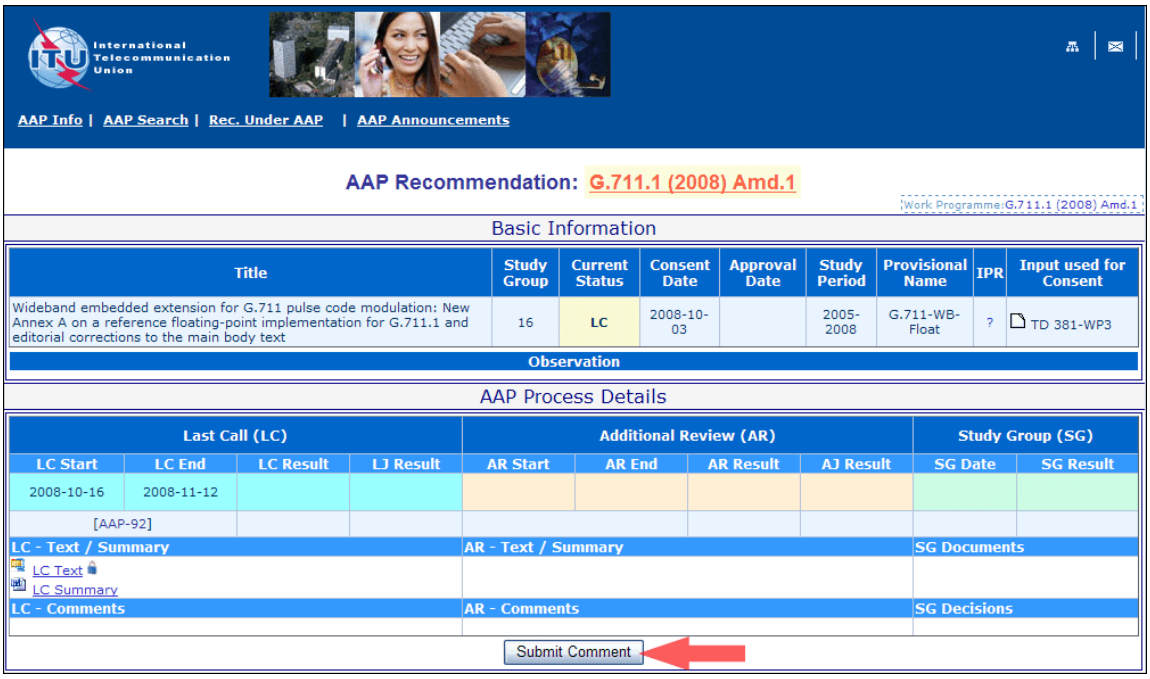

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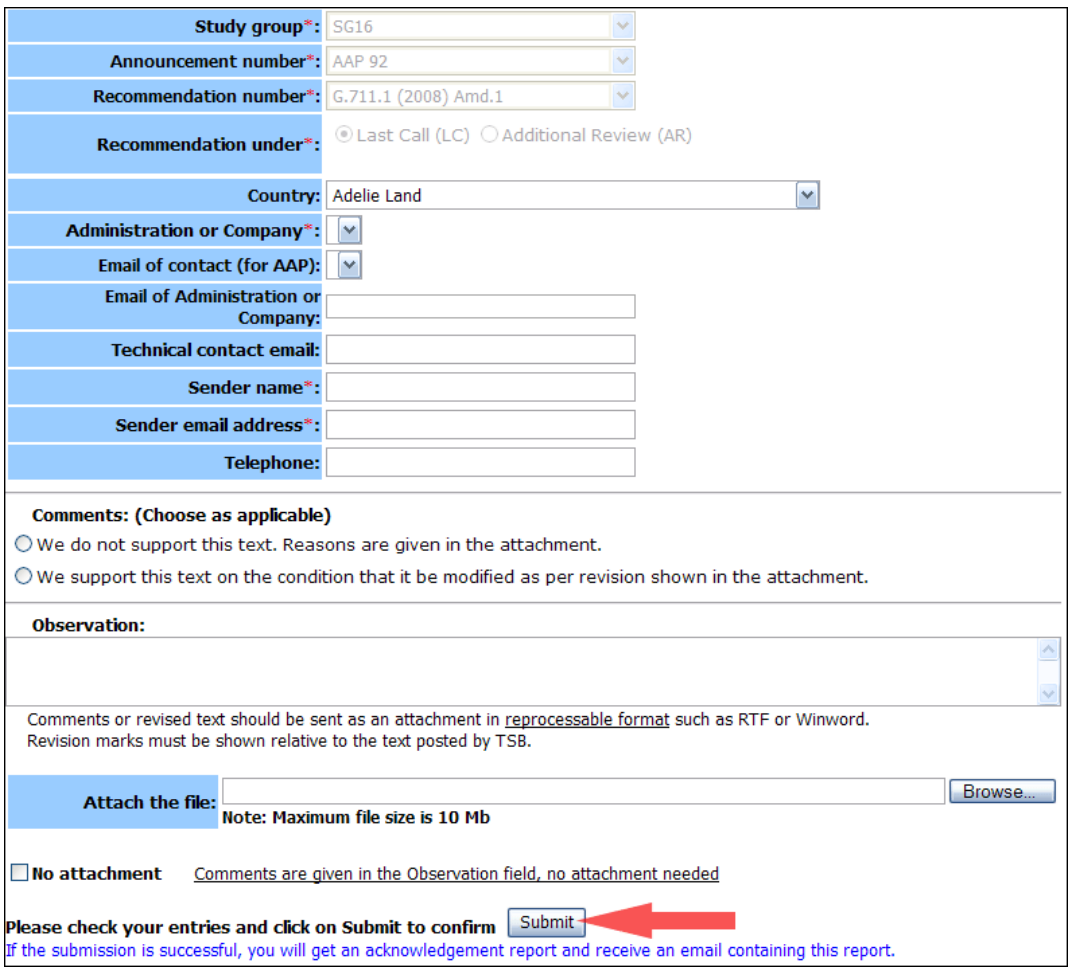

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Annex 3

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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

Study Group:	
Announcement number:	
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