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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.

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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

(to TSB AAP-108)

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 2 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | | | | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | | | | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [M.3365 (M.rvqms)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10046) | Requirements for QoE management of video in visual surveillance ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200273E0801MSWE.docx&group=2)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [Q.834.1 (2004) Amd.1](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10047) | ATM-PON requirements and managed entities for the network and network element views: Amendment 1 - Replace the reference to IEEE 802.1D by IEEE 802.1Q ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200273F0801MSWE.docx&group=2)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |
| [Q.834.4 (2003) Amd.2](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10048) | A CORBA interface specification for Broadband Passive Optical Networks based on UML interface requirements: Amendment 2 - Replace the reference to IEEE 802.1D by IEEE 802.1Q ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027400801MSWE.docx&group=2)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |
| [Q.838.1 (2004) Amd.1](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10049) | Requirements and analysis for the management interface of Ethernet Passive Optical Networks (EPON): Amendment 1 - Replace the reference to IEEE 802.1D by IEEE 802.1Q ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027410801MSWE.docx&group=2)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |

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** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [K.50 (2018) Cor. 2](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10028) | Safe limits for operating voltages and currents in telecommunication systems powered over the network - Corrigendum 2 ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200272C0801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |
| [L.1033 (L.HL\_e-waste)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10036) | Guide for the institutions of higher learning to contribute in the effective life cycle management of e-equipment and e-waste ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027340801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1050 (L.methodology\_arch)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10032) | Methodology to identify the key equipment in order to assess the environmental impact and e-waste generation of different network architectures ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027300801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1060 (L.GSP)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10033) | General principles for the green supply chain management of information and communication technology manufacturing industry ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027310801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |
| [L.1317 (L.gee\_bs)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10031) | Guidelines on energy efficient blockchain systems ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200272F0802MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1383 (L.SM\_EN)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10035) | Smart energy solutions for cities and home applications ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027330802MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [L.1471 (L.NetZero)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10034) | Guidance and criteria for information and communication technology organisations on setting Net Zero targets and strategies ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027320801MSWE.docx&group=5)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |

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** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [Y.3178 (Y.ML-IMT2020-serv-prov)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=9945) | Functional framework of AI-based network service provisioning in future networks including IMT-2020 ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020026D90801MSWE.docx&group=13)) | 2021-04-01 | 2021-04-28 | LJ | AR | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-06 | 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** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [G.989.3](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=9957) | 40-Gigabit-capable passive optical networks (NG-PON2): Transmission convergence layer specification ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020026E50801MSWE.docx&group=15)) | 2021-05-01 | 2021-05-28 | LJ | AT |  |  |  |  | AT |
| [G.8052.2/Y.1346.2](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=9970) | Resilience Information/Data Models for Ethernet Transport Network Element ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020026F20801MSWE.docx&group=15)) | 2021-05-01 | 2021-05-28 | LJ | AR | 2021-07-16 | 2021-08-05 |  |  | AR |
| [G.9802.1 (G.WDMPON.req)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=9963) | Wavelength division multiplexed passive optical networks (WDM PON): General requirements ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020026EB0803MSWE.docx&group=15)) | 2021-05-01 | 2021-05-28 | LJ | AR | 2021-07-16 | 2021-08-05 |  |  | AR |
| [G.9804.1 Amd.1 (G.hsp.req)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=9952) | Higher Speed Passive Optical Networks: Requirements - Amendment 1 ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020026E00801MSWE.docx&group=15)) | 2021-05-01 | 2021-05-28 | LJ | AR | 2021-07-16 | 2021-08-05 |  |  | AR |

Situation concerning Study Group 16 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | | | | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | | | | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [H.264 (V14)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10009) | Advanced video coding for generic audiovisual services ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027190801MSWE.docx&group=16)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [H.265 (V8)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10007) | High efficiency video coding ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027170801MSWE.docx&group=16)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [H.273 (V2)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10008) | Coding-independent code points for video signal type identification ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027180801MSWE.docx&group=16)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |

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** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [X.1061 (X.ciag)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10043) | Cyber insurance acquisition guideline ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200273B0801MSWE.docx&group=17)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | LJ |  |  |  |  |  | LJ |
| [X.1406 (X.stov)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10044) | Security threats to online voting system using distributed ledger technology ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200273C0801MSWE.docx&group=17)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |

Situation concerning Study Group 20 Recommendations under AAP

| **Rec #** | **Title** | **Last Call (LC) Period** | | | | **Additional Review (AR) Period** | | | | Status |
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| **LC Start** | **LC End** | **LC Result** | **LJ Result** | **AR Start** | **AR End** | **AR Result** | **AJ Result** |
| [Y.4122 (Y.IoT-EC-GW)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10040) | Requirements and capability framework of edge computing-enabled gateway in the IoT ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027380801MSWE.docx&group=20)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |
| [Y.4419 (Y.SUM)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10041) | Requirements and Capability Framework of Smart Utility Metering (SUM) ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T01020027390801MSWE.docx&group=20)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |
| [Y.4420 (Y.IoT-Lift)](http://www.itu.int/itu-t/aap/AAPRecDetails.aspx?AAPSeqNo=10042) | Framework of IoT based monitoring and management for Lift ([Summary](https://www.itu.int/ITU-T/aap/dologin_aap.asp?id=T010200273A0801MSWE.docx&group=20)) | 2021-06-16 | 2021-07-13 | A |  |  |  |  |  | A |

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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3) Click the "Submit Comment" button



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



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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)*

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| ITU-T AAP comment submission form | |
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| **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:** |  |

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