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| **Abstract:** | During its second meeting in January 2018, ITU-T Study Group 9 discussed the ITU terms and definitions database. |

ITU-T SG9 would like to inform ITU-T Standardization Committee for Vocabulary (SCV) and ITU-R Coordination Committee for Vocabulary (CCV) that the ITU terms and definition database includes definitions of terms defined by every ITU Recommendation, without indicating whether the definition is found in an ITU Recommendation **in force** or in an ITU Recommendation **superseded** or in an ITU Recommendation **withdrawn**.

This seems an important information to provide to the users of the ITU terms and definitions database. Therefore we would propose and appreciate if the database was updated accordingly, by adding such information on the various definitions.

We take this occasion to inform you that ITU-T SG9 has decided to develop a Recommendation that will include all terms currently defined in ITU-T SG9 Recommendations in force. This draft Recommendation is planned for consent in October 2018. SG9 plans to maintain updated this terms and definition Recommendation by issuing revisions as needed, typically every 2 years.

We would like to express our appreciation for your consideration and look forward to fruitful collaboration with the ITU-T Standardization Committee for Vocabulary (SCV) and ITU-R Coordination Committee for Vocabulary (CCV).

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