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**Title: VIDEOCONFERENCE CONFIDENTIALITY MECHANISM FOR THE SECOND  
GENERATION VIDEOCONFERENCING PRIVACY SYSTEM**

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The purpose of this document is to inform the Specialists Group that several European countries have been collaborating to produce a specification according to the above title. The proposed specification, which should be completed by December 1989, will cover all matters relating to the design of a videoconference privacy system. Topics such as encryption algorithm, encryption keys, initialisation vectors, control channel framing, and authentication will be described in detail. A draft version of this privacy system specification has now been prepared and this can be made available to interested parties at this Specialists Group meeting.