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Re: P802 - Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks: Overview and Architecture

Dear Paul:

I am pleased to inform you that on 27 February 2007 the IEEE-SA Standards Board approved the above referenced project until 31 December 2011. A copy of the file can be found on our website at <http://standards.ieee.org/board/nes/projects/802.pdf>.

Now that your project has been approved, please forward a roster of participants involved in the development of this project. This request is in accordance with the IEEE-SA Operations Manual, Clause 5.1.2i under Duties of the Sponsor which states:

"Submit annually to the IEEE Standards Department an electronic roster of individuals participating on standards projects"

For your convenience, an Excel spreadsheet for your use has been posted on our website at <http://standards.ieee.org/guides/par/roster.xls>. Please forward this list to me via e-mail at s.hampton@ieee.org no later than 28 May 2007.

Please visit our website, IEEE Standards Development Online (<http://standards.ieee.org/resources/development/index.html>), for tools, forms and training to assist you in the standards development process. Also, we strongly recommend that a copy of your draft be sent to this office for review prior to the final vote by the working group to allow for a quick review by editorial staff before sponsor balloting begins.

If you should have any further questions, please contact me at +1 732 562 6003 or by email at s.hampton@ieee.org.

Sincerely,

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PAR Request Date: 20 November 2006**PAR Approval Date:** 27 February 2007**PAR Signature Page on File:** Yes**Type of PAR:** Revision to IEEE Standard**Status:** Revision to an Existing IEEE Std 802-2001**Root Project:****1.1 Project No.:** 802**1.2 Type of Document:** Standard**1.3 Life Cycle:** Full-Use**1.4 Is this document in ballot now?** No**2.1 Title**

Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks: Overview and Architecture

3.1 Working Group Name[Higher Layer LAN Protocols Working Group](#)**Working Group Chair**[Jeffree, Tony A](#)

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Name of Standards Liaison Representative (if applicable)**3.3 Joint Sponsor****4.1 Type of Ballot:** Individual**4.2 Expected Date of Submission for Initial Sponsor Ballot:** May 2010**4.3 Projected Completion Date for Submittal to RevCom:** November 2010**5.1 Approximate number of people expected to work on this project:** 50

5.2 Scope: This standard contains descriptions of the IEEE 802 Standards published by IEEE for Local Area Networks (LANs), Metropolitan Area Networks (MANs), and Personal Area Networks (PANs) networks considered as well as a reference model (RM) for protocol standards. Compliance with the family of IEEE 802 Standards is defined, and a standard for the identification of public, private, and standard protocols is included.

Old Scope: This document serves as the foundation for the family of IEEE 802@1 Standards published by IEEE for Local Area Networks (LANs) and Metropolitan Area Networks (MANs). It contains descriptions of the networks considered as well as a reference model (RM) for protocol standards. Compliance with the family of IEEE 802 Standards is defined, and a standard for the identification of public, private, and standard protocols is included.

5.3 Is the completion of this document contingent upon the completion of another document? No

5.4 Purpose: This standard serves as the foundation for the family of IEEE 802 Standards published by IEEE for Local Area Networks (LANs), Metropolitan Area Networks (MANs), and Personal Area Networks (PANs).

Old Purpose: Revision of existing IEEE 802-1990 standard to reflect the current IEEE 802 architecture and its suite of standards.

5.5 Need for the Project: Revision of existing IEEE 802-2001 standard is needed to remove redundant material and reflect the current IEEE 802 architecture and its suite of standards.

5.6 Stakeholders for the Standard: Standards developers within IEEE 802. Manufacturers, distributors, and users of products and services that conform to the LAN, MAN, and PAN standards developed by IEEE 802.

6.1.a. Has the IEEE-SA policy on intellectual property been presented to those responsible for preparing/submitting this PAR prior to the PAR submittal to the IEEE-SA Standards Board? Yes **Presented Date:** 2006-11-13

If no, please explain:

6.1.b. Is the Sponsor aware of any copyright permissions needed for this project? No

If yes, please explain:

6.1.c. Is the Sponsor aware of possible registration activity related to this project? No

If yes, please explain:

7.1 Are there other standards or projects with a similar scope? No

If yes, please explain:

Sponsor Organization:

Project/Standard Number:

Project/Standard Date: 0000-00-00

Project/Standard Title:

7.2 Is there potential for this standard (in part or in whole) to be adopted by another national, regional, or international organization? ? No

Technical Committee Name and Number:

Contact person:

Contact person Phone Number:

Contact person Email Address:

7.3 Will this project result in any health, safety, security, or environmental guidance that affects or applies to human health or safety? No

7.4 Additional Explanatory Notes:

Title matches the title on the current standard. Scope and Purpose amended to reflect current practice (there was no Purpose in the 2001 revision of the standard.)

8.1 Sponsor Information:

Is the Scope of this project within the approved scope/definition of the Sponsor's Charter? Yes

If no, please explain: