

P802.1AC-2016/Cor 1

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Status: PAR for a Corrigendum to an existing IEEE Standard

Root Project: 802.1AC-2016

1.1 Project Number: P802.1AC-2016/Cor 1

1.2 Type of Document: Standard

1.3 Life Cycle: Full Use

2.1 Title: Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks -- Media Access Control (MAC) Service Definition - Corrigendum 1: Logical Link Control (LLC) Encapsulation EtherType

3.1 Working Group: Higher Layer LAN Protocols Working Group (C/LM/WG802.1)

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4.1 Type of Ballot: Individual

4.2 Expected Date of submission of draft to the IEEE-SA for Initial Sponsor Ballot: 01/2018

4.3 Projected Completion Date for Submittal to RevCom

Note: Usual minimum time between initial sponsor ballot and submission to Revcom is 6 months.: 08/2018

5.1 Approximate number of people expected to be actively involved in the development of this project: 25

5.2.a. Scope of the complete standard: The scope of this standard is to define the Media Access Control (MAC) Service provided by all IEEE 802(R) MACs, and the Internal Sublayer Service (ISS) provided within MAC Bridges, in abstract terms of the following: a) Their semantics, primitive actions, and events; and b) The parameters of, interrelationship between, and valid sequences of these actions and events.

5.2.b. Scope of the Proposed changes: Change the value of the LLC Encapsulation EtherType to the correct value.

5.3 Is the completion of this standard dependent upon the completion of another standard: No

5.4 Purpose: This document will not include a purpose clause.

5.5 Need for the Project: 802.1AC-2016 contained an assignment of the LLC Encapsulation Ethertype which is not consistent with industry practice.

It is necessary to correct this error.

5.6 Stakeholders for the Standard: Implementors and users of Networking equipment that bridges between 802.3 and 802.11 media.

Intellectual Property

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

6.1.b. Is the Sponsor aware of possible registration activity related to this project?: Yes

If yes please explain: This will correct the LLC Encapsulation Ethertype assignment.

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

7.2 Joint Development

Is it the intent to develop this document jointly with another organization?: No

8.1 Additional Explanatory Notes: