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Ref: **TSB AAP-18** – To Administrations of Member States of the Union;  
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- To the Director of the Telecommunication Development Bureau;
- To the Director of the Radiocommunication Bureau

Subject: **Situation concerning Recommendations under the Alternative Approval Process (AAP)**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Alternative Approval Process (AAP) defined in Rec. ITU-T A.8 applies to Recommendations which 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-18)

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Situation concerning Study Group 2 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
<a href="#">M.3020</a>	Management interface specification methodology ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-05-01	2017-05-28	LJ	AR	2017-07-01	2017-07-21	AJ	A	A

Situation concerning Study Group 5 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
<a href="#">L.1220</a> <a href="#">(L.ENST1overview)</a>	Innovative energy storage technology for stationary use - Part 1: Overview of energy storage ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A

Situation concerning Study Group 13 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
<a href="#">Y.2241 (Y.fsul)</a>	Service framework to support web objects based ubiquitous self-directed learning ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-08-16	2017-09-12							LC
<a href="#">Y.3100 (Y.IMT2020-terms)</a>	Terms and definitions for IMT-2020 network ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-08-16	2017-09-12							LC
<a href="#">Y.3110 (Y.IMT2020-mgmt-req)</a>	IMT-2020 Network Management and Orchestration Requirements ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-08-16	2017-09-12							LC
<a href="#">Y.3111 (Y.IMT2020-mgmt-frame)</a>	IMT-2020 Network Management and Orchestration Framework ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-08-16	2017-09-12							LC
<a href="#">Y.3516 (Y.CCIC-arch)</a>	Cloud computing - Functional architecture of inter-cloud computing ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-08-16	2017-09-12							LC

Situation concerning Study Group 15 Recommendations under AAP

Rec #	Title	Last Call (LC) Period				Additional Review (AR) Period				Status
		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
<a href="#">G.650.3</a>	Test methods for installed single-mode optical fibre cable links ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.709 Cor.1</a>	Interfaces for the optical transport network (OTN): Corrigendum 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.798</a>	Characteristics of optical transport network hierarchy equipment functional blocks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.806 (2012) Cor.3</a>	Characteristics of transport equipment - Description methodology and generic functionality: Corrigendum 3 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.811.1</a>	Timing characteristics of enhanced primary reference clocks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.873.1</a>	Optical Transport Network (OTN): Linear protection ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.873.3 (G.odusmp)</a>	Optical Transport Network (OTN) - Shared Mesh Protection ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.874</a>	Management aspects of optical transport network elements ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.987.2 (2016) Amd.1</a>	10-Gigabit-capable passive optical networks (XG-PON): Physical media dependent (PMD) layer specification - Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.988</a>	ONU management and control interface (OMCI) specification ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ

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		LC Start	LC End	LC Result	LJ Result	AR Start	AR End	AR Result	AJ Result	
<a href="#">G.989.2 (2014) Amd.2</a>	40-Gigabit-capable passive optical networks 2 (NG-PON2): Physical media dependent (PMD) layer specification: Amendment 2 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.993.5 (2015) Amd.2</a>	Self-FEXT cancellation (vectoring) for use with VDSL2 transceivers: Amendment 2 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.994.1 (2012) Amd.9</a>	Handshake procedures for digital subscriber line transceivers: Amendment 9 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.996.2 (2009) Amd.5</a>	Single-ended line testing for digital subscriber lines (DSL): Amendment 5 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.997.1 (2012) Amd.7</a>	Physical layer management for digital subscriber line transceivers - Amendment 7 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.997.2 (2015) Amd.4</a>	Physical layer management for G.fast transceivers: Amendment 4 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.997.2 (2015) Cor.3</a>	Physical layer management for G.fast transceivers: Corrigendum 3 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.998.4 (2015) Cor.1</a>	Improved impulse noise protection for digital subscriber line (DSL) transceivers - Corrigendum 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.7714.1/Y.1705.1</a>	Protocol for automatic discovery in transport networks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A

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<a href="#">G.8032 Cor.1</a>	Corrigendum 1 to Recommendation ITU-T G.8032/Y.1344 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8051/Y.1345 (2015) Amd.1</a>	Management aspects of the Ethernet Transport (ET) capable network element: Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8112/Y.1371 (2015) Amd.1</a>	Interfaces for the MPLS Transport Profile layer network: Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8113.2/Y.1372.2 (2015) Amd.1</a>	Operations, administration and maintenance mechanisms for MPLS-TP networks using the tools defined for MPLS: Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8121/Y.1381 (2016) Amd.1</a>	Characteristics of MPLS-TP equipment functional blocks - Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8132/Y.1383</a>	MPLS-TP Shared Ring Protection ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8151/Y.1374</a>	Management aspects of the MPLS-TP network element ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8263/Y.1363</a>	Timing characteristics of packet-based equipment clocks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8271 (2016) Amd.1</a>	Time and phase synchronization aspects of telecommunications networks: Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	AT						AT
<a href="#">G.8271.1/Y.1366.1 (2013)</a>	Network limits for time synchronization in Packet networks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ



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<a href="#">G.8271.2/Y.1366.2</a>	Network limits for time synchronization in packet networks with partial timing support from the network ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	AT						AT
<a href="#">G.8272.1/Y.1367.1 Amd.1</a>	Timing characteristics of enhanced primary reference time clocks - Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.8273.2/Y.1368.2 Amd.1</a>	Timing characteristics of telecom boundary clocks and telecom time slave clocks - Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	AT						AT
<a href="#">G.8273.3/Y.1368.3</a>	Timing characteristics of telecom transparent clocks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.8275/Y.1369</a>	Architecture and requirements for packet-based time and phase delivery ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.9701 (2014) Amd.4</a>	Fast access to subscriber terminals (G.fast) - Physical layer specification: Amendment 4 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.9701 (2014) Cor.4</a>	Fast access to subscriber terminals (G.fast) - Physical layer specification: Corrigendum 4 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.9807.1 Amd.1 (G.XGS-PON)</a>	10-Gigabit-capable symmetric passive optical network (XGS-PON)- Amendment 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.9807.2</a>	10 Gigabit-capable symmetric passive optical networks (XGS-PON): Reach extension ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A

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<a href="#">G.9903</a>	Narrow-band orthogonal frequency division multiplexing power line communication transceivers for G3-PLC networks ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.9961 (2015) Amd.3</a>	Unified high-speed wire-line based home networking transceivers - Data link layer specification: Amendment 3 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">G.9961 (2015) Cor.4</a>	Unified high-speed wire-line based home networking transceivers - Data link layer specification: Corrigendum 4 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.9973</a>	Protocol for identifying home network topology ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.9977 (2016) Cor.1</a>	Mitigation of interference between DSL and PLC - Corrigendum 1 ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">G.9978 (G.996sa)</a>	Secure admission in G.hn network ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	LJ						LJ
<a href="#">L.110 (L.dsa)</a>	Optical fibre cables for direct surface application ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	AT						AT
<a href="#">L.206 (L.oxcon)</a>	Requirements for passive optical nodes: outdoor optical cross connect cabinet ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	A						A
<a href="#">L.404 (L.fmc)</a>	Field mountable single-mode optical fibre connectors ( <a href="#">Summary</a> )	2017-07-16	2017-08-12	AT						AT

Annex 2

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Using the on-line comment submission form

Comment submission

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**AAP Recommendations**

Recommendation_No	Title	Study_Group	State	Consent_Date	Approval_Date	Study_Period	Comment
<b>G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1</b>	Wideband embedded extension for G.711 pulse code modulation: New Annex A on a reference floating-point implementation for G.711.1 and editorial corrections to the main body text	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.718 (2008) Cor.1	Frame error robust narrowband and wideband embedded variable bit-rate coding of speech and audio from 8-32 kbit/s: Corrections to fixed-point C-code	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.719 (2008) Amd.1	New Annex A on storage format definitions for G.719, and new Annex B on a reference floating-point implementation for G.719	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.722.2 (2003) Cor.3	Wideband coding of speech at around 16 kbit/s using Adaptive Multi-Rate Wideband (AMR-WB): Corrections to text and C source code in Annex C	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
G.729.1 (2006) Amd.5	G.729-based embedded variable bit-rate coder: An 8-32 kbit/s scalable wideband coder bitstream interoperable with G.729: New Annex D (Reference floating-point implementation for G.729.1 Annex C DTX/CNG) and corrections to the main body and Annex B	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	
H.264 (2007) Cor.1	Advanced video coding for generic audiovisual services: corrections and updates	16	LJ	2008-05-02		2005-2008	★

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**AAP Recommendation: G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1**

Work Programme: G.711.1 (2008) Amd.1

Title	Study Group	Current Status	Consent Date	Approval Date	Study Period	Provisional Name	IPR	Input used for Consent
Wideband embedded extension for G.711 pulse code modulation: New Annex A on a reference floating-point implementation for G.711.1 and editorial corrections to the main body text	16	LC	2008-10-03		2005-2008	G.711-WB-Float	?	TD 381-WP3

**Observation**

**AAP Process Details**

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