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Subject: Withdrawal of IEEE 802 participation in the activities of ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 6/AG 4

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Dear Mr. Zhang and members of ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 6/AG 4:

The IEEE 802 LAN/MAN Standards Committee would like to inform you of the formal withdrawal of participation by IEEE 802 members from the activities of ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 6/AG 4. As noted in the 3 October 2023 liaison from IEEE 802.3, the value of IEEE 802 members’ continued participation in AG 4 is unclear. Either the output that is relevant to IEEE 802 modulation and coding schemes will be at too high a level to be practically useful or it will require a substantial investment of time by IEEE 802 experts that we are currently unable to sustain.

The current IEEE 802 participants in AG 4 are George Zimmerman and Peter Yee. I request that they be removed from the rolls of AG 4 participants. Peter Yee and other IEEE 802 designated experts to SC 6 will, of course, continue to participate in other SC 6 activities as necessary to facilitate the processing of IEEE 802 standards under the PSDO agreement between ISO and IEEE. IEEE 802 will also continue to provide IEEE 802 status reports to SC 6 plenaries and to notify SC 6 of new activities within IEEE 802.

Sincerely,

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