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SuggestedRemedy

Review each use of "may" in the document and repair the incorrect uses, keeping in mind that "within the limits of this standard" (that is, within the scope of what this standard). In each that is stating a consequence of an action, or a statement of fact or possibility, replace "may" with a word not defined by IEEE SA as normative. Ensure the remaining "mays" describe an observable, verifiable action or behavior. As the question "can I test this?" and if not, it is not a proper nominative statement.

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Both CID and OUI are missing from the abbreviation list.

SuggestedRemedy

Add abbreviations for Organizationally Unique Identifier (OUI) and Company ID (CID).

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"the IEEE 802.3 OUI of 0x0180C2" is significantly problematic, for several reasons: (1) 0x0180C2 is not an OUI because the M (or I/G) bit is set to 0 in an OUI but is set to 1 in the hex value here; (2) the object appears to be specified per the "EightOTwoOui" syntax, which is described as containing an "OUI"; (3) Per the RA's OUI tutorial, "The assignee of an OUI... is exclusively authorized to assign group MAC addresses, with I/G=1, by extending a modified version of the assigned OUI... in which the M bit is set to 1. In this sense, 0x0180C2 is derived from the actual OUI 0x0080C2. However, OUI 0x0080C2 is not an "IEEE 802.3 OUI"; instead, it is assigned to the 802.1 WG. Note that two group addresses so derived (01-80-C2-00-00-02 and 01-80-C2-00-00-02) are specified in IEEE Std 802.3. However, these addresses are assigned for this use per IEEE Std 802.1Q (Table 8-1).

SuggestedRemedy

Correct the three uses of 0x0180C2 on page 122. Delete indications that this is an OUI. Delete indications that this is an "802.3" identifier. ALSO: If the intent is to use this non-OUI value here, then align the definitions of all objects accordingly so that they are inclusive not only of OUI and CID values but also this value, which is neither OUI nor CID.

Response

Response Status W

ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

[1] Changed the first two sentences of the DESCRIPTION text of the dot3OamEventLogOui object to read:

A value indicating the entity defining the object type. All IEEE 802.3 defined events (as appearing in IEEE Std 802.3 except for the Organizationally Unique Event TLVs) use the value 71874 (0x0180C2 in hex).

[2] Changed the first two sentences of the DESCRIPTION text of the dot3OamEventLogType object to read:

The type of event that generated this entry in the event log. When the value of the dot3OamEventLogOui object is 71874 (0x0180C2 in hex), the following event types are defined:

[3] Changed the penultimate sentences of the DESCRIPTION text of the dot3OamEventLogType object to read:

When the value of the dot3OamEventLogOui object is not 71874 (0x0180C2 in hex), the OUI value of the dot3OamEventLogOui object identifies the organization that has defined the event space.

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" since multiple occurrences may

be required to cross the threshold," is a misuse of "may" (see clause 1.3) - the phrase "are likely" suggests this is stating a possibility. It is not clear to which values "these values" refer.

SuggestedRemedy

Change sentence to: "For threshold crossing events when multiple occurrences cross the threshold, the number of events and the number of resultant Event Notifications are likely to be different.

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ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

Changed all instances of "For threshold crossing events, since multiple occurrences may be required to cross the threshold, these values are likely

different." to "For threshold crossing events when multiple occurrences cross the threshold, the number of events and the number of resulting Event Notifications are likely to be different."

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be required to cross the threshold," is stating a possibility, and so is misuse of "may".

SuggestedRemedy

Change "may" to "can". Clarify to which values "these values" refer.

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ACCEPT IN PRINCIPLE.

Changed all instances of "For threshold crossing events, since multiple occurrences may be required to cross the threshold, these values are likely different." to "For threshold crossing events when multiple occurrences cross the threshold, the number of events and the number of resulting Event Notifications are likely to be different."

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CI 7	SC	7.3.2	P 142	L 30	# I-51		CI 7	SC	7.3.2	P144	L 50	# I-53
Rolfe, Ber	njamin		Blind Creek	Associates			Rolfe, Be	enjamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates	
Comment	Туре	TR	Comment Status A			MAY	Commen	t Type	TR	Comment Status A		MAY
"may	or may native n	not", and not normat	 not be possible depending possible" all wrapped as a tive. 			at"	"may	eived duri /". Since	e none of	st may or may not be transfer the other listed items appears is shouldn't either.		
		-	for some port types it is not p	ossible to physic	cally remove the r	oort.	Suggeste	edRemed	ly			
Response	-		Response Status W				chan	ge to: Pa	ackets re	eceived during the test can be	but are not req	uired to be transferred
ACCE							Response	е		Response Status W		
							ACC	EPT IN F	RINCIPL	_E.		
CI 7	SC	7.3.2	P144	L 34	# I-52		Char	and "Do	alvata raa	aived during the test may are	and not be trans	formed " to "Deckate
Rolfe, Ber	njamin		Blind Creek	Associates						eived during the test may or n at can be transferred."	hay not be trans	sierred. to Packets
Comment	,,	TR	Comment Status A			MAY	CI 7		7.3.2	P 147	L13	# 1-54
			y choose to delay the reset lo nitted." well the implementer i						1.3.2			# 1-54
respo							Rolfe, Be	enjamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates	
	ard, so		prescribe requirements, ever	optional ones, c	on the implemente	ər.	<u></u>	(T		0		
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standa Perha entire Suggested chang SNMF Response ACCE Chang	ps on the paragra d <i>Remed</i> ge to: Fo P responde PT IN I PT IN I	we can't p the implen caph seem dy or exampl nose to be PRINCIPL or example	nentation. I don't thin this is no to be informative Thus my le, it is possible, and may be transmitted. <i>Response Status</i> W LE. e, the implementor may choo	what the group n guess: desired, to delay se to delay the n	neans because the reset to allow	he w the	"A dia when Suggeste chan Responsi	scontinui n the valued Remed ge "may' e EPT.	ty may oo ue of obje ly	ccur in the value ect rptrMonitorPortLastChang	e changes" is s	
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standa Perha entire Suggested chang SNMF Response ACCE Chang allow	ps on the paragrading of the par	we can't p the implem raph seem dy or exampl nose to be PRINCIPL or example MP respon	nentation. I don't thin this is no to be informative Thus my le, it is possible, and may be transmitted. <i>Response Status</i> W LE. e, the implementor may choo nse to be transmitted." to "Fo	what the group n guess: desired, to delay se to delay the n or example, it is p	neans because the reset to allow	he w the	"A dis when Suggeste chan Response ACC Cl 7 Rolfe, Be Commen This rptrN requi	e EPT. SC enjamin tr Type is a state MonitorPo irement.	ty may or ue of obje /y ' to "can" 7.3.2 TR ement of f ortLastCh	ccur in the value ect rptrMonitorPortLastChang <i>Response Status</i> W <i>P</i> 147 Blind Creek A <i>Comment Status</i> A fact: "A discontinuity may occi	L 43 ssociates ur in the value	tating a possibility. # <u>1-55</u> <i>MAY</i> when the value of object
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C/ 7 SC 7.3.2	P 148	L 20	# I-56		CI 7	SC 7	.3.2	P149	L 54	# <u>I-59</u>
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	ssociates			Rolfe, Be	enjamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates	
Comment Type TR	Comment Status A			MAY	Comment	t Type	TR	Comment Status A		MAY
rptrMonitorPortLastC	occur in the value when the va Change changes." is a statemen		ect use of "may".		norm	ative wor	d. The "n	sh" is a clear indication of a not budgeted for in this standa) of this standard!		
SuggestedRemedy	- "				Suggeste		· · ·	,		
change "may" to "ca <i>Response</i> ACCEPT.	Response Status W				chang the a	ge to: It r allowed to	nay be d lerance r	esirable to select the ShortE range to accommodate bit los for within this standard.		
C/ 7 SC 7.3.2	P148	L 52	# 1-57		Response	е		Response Status W		
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A				ACCE	EPT.				
Comment Type TR	Comment Status A			MAY	CI 7	SC 7	.3.2	P150	L5	# I-60
"A discontinuity may	occur in the value when the va				Rolfe, Be	eniamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates	
rptrMonitorPortLastC	Change changes." is a statemen	t of fact. Incorre	ect use of "may".		Comment	•	TR	Comment Status A		MAY
SuggestedRemedy	- "				"A dis	scontinuit	y may oc	ccur in the value when the va		
change "may" to "ca	n				rptrivi	IONILOTPOT	Lasiona	ange changes." is a statement	t of fact. Incorr	ect use of may.
	n Response Status W				rptrivi Suggeste			ange changes. Is a statement	t of fact. Incorr	ect use of may .
					Suggeste		/	inge changes. Is a statement	t of fact. Incorr	ect use of may.
Response ACCEPT.		L 46	# <u>1-58</u>		Suggeste chanę Response	edRemedy ge "may" e	/	Response Status W	t of fact. Incorr	ect use of may .
Response ACCEPT.	Response Status W		# <mark>1-58</mark>		Suggeste chang	edRemedy ge "may" e	/		t of fact. Incom	ect use of may .
Response ACCEPT. Cl 7 SC 7.3.2 Rolfe, Benjamin	Response Status W		# [<u>1-58</u>	MAY	Suggeste chanę Response	edRemedy ge "may" e	/ to "can"		L 42	# [-61
Response ACCEPT. Cl 7 SC 7.3.2 Rolfe, Benjamin Comment Type TR Both uses of "may" in	Response Status W P149 Blind Creek A Comment Status A n this paragraph are incorrect: "	ssociates			Suggeste chang Response ACCI	edRemedy ge "may" e EPT. SC 7	/ to "can"	Response Status W	L 42	
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Response ACCEPT. Cl 7 SC 7.3.2 Rolfe, Benjamin Comment Type TR Both uses of "may" in generated noise hits to transmit Runts to a collision (which ma	Response Status W P149 Blind Creek A Comment Status A n this paragraph are incorrect: "	ssociates ShortEvents ma ting DTE and da	ay indicate externa	ally	Suggeste chang Response ACCI CI 7 Rolfe, Be Comment "A Ca may i	edRemedy ge "may" e EPT. SC 7 enjamin t Type arrierEver not be co	/ to "can" 7.3.2 TR nt greater unted as	Response Status W P150 Blind Creek A Comment Status A r than or equal to 552 bit time: a runt." We have misuse o	L 42 ssociates s but less than f "may" and a "i	# [<u>I-61</u> <i>MAY</i> 565 bit times may or may not" (never
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CI 7	SC	7.3.2	P 150	L 53	# I-62		CI 7		7.3.2		P 153	L17	# I-64
Rolfe, B	enjamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates			Rolfe, Be	njamin			Blind Creek A	Associates	
Commer	nt Type	TR	Comment Status A			MAY	Commen	t Type	TR	Comment St	tatus A		MA
fragı tech	ments m	ay exceed	associated with large diameter d ValidPacketMinTime." is an specification. If the latter this	informative sta	tement, or an		discre This the in	etion." sounds nplemer	like it might ntor's discre	t, possibly, be l etion". But we	niding an actu can't know be	ual (optional) re ecause this isn'i	ed, at the implementor's quirement! Hinted by "a a correct statement of
Suggest	edReme	edy											e following sentence ccur that is outside the
char	nge "may	y" to "can"					scope	e of this	standard.	If this is mean	it to convey a	n optional imple	ementation within the
Respons ACC	se EPT.		Response Status W				refere speci	enced he fied in tl	ere. If this he scope o	is stating a pos f this standard,	sible conseq	uence of imple	f those counters - and mentation choices not vord. In any event, "may
CI 7	SC	7.3.2	P150	L 58	# 1-63			,	s always w	rong.			
Rolfe, B	enjamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates			Suggeste		•	a 4 4			
Commer	nt Type	TR	Comment Status A			MAY			y or may no	ot" with "might"			
			ccur in the value when the va ange changes." is a statemen		ect use of "may".		Response ACCI			Response St	atus W		
Suggest	edReme	edy					C/ 11	SC	11.2.1.4		P 318	L 8	# 1-99
char	nge "may	y" to "can"					Rolfe, Be	njamin			Blind Creek A	Associates	
Respons	se		Response Status W				Commen	t Type	TR	Comment St	tatus A		MA
ACC <i>CI</i> 7	EPT. SC	7.3.2	P153	L 17	# <mark>I-72</mark>		"PAF	involve		ed to be a cond			F is involved" is the ? I think instead "may"
Rolfe, B	enjamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates			Suggeste						
Commer	nt Type	TR	Comment Status A			MAY			" to "can".				
		event occu	rs, other counters whose also	be incremente	ed, at the implemen	tor's	Response	9		Response St	atus W		
This the i such sugg scop scop refer spec	mpleme a. Which gests this be of this be of the renced h cified in t	ntor's disc n other cou s is an info standard standard, nere. If this	ht, possibly, be hiding an acture retion". But we can't know be unters may (optionally) be incro- tromative statement - that som . If this is meant to convey an it should be so indicated in th s is stating a possible consequence of this standard, then "might"	ecause this isn't remented? The ething might oc n optional imple ne description o uence of impler	a correct statemen following sentence cur that is outside t mentation within th f those counters - a nentation choices r	t of he e nd oot	ACCI	EPT.					
Suggest	•	•	5										
		-	not" with "might".										
Respons		-	Response Status W										
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ACCEPT.

TYPE: TR/technical required ER/editorial required GR/general required T/technical E/editorial G/general COMMENT STATUS: D/dispatched A/accepted R/rejected RESPONSE STATUS: O/open W/written C/closed U/unsatisfied Z/withdrawn SORT ORDER: Clause, Subclause, page, line

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C/ 11 SC 11.2.	1.4 P 318	L 17	# I-98	C/ 11 SC 11.4	P 322	L10	# <mark>I-91</mark>
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates		Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates	
Comment Type TR	Comment Status A		MAY	Comment Type TR	Comment Status A		MAY
"some interfaces may fail to initialize" failing seems an unlikely optionto permit within the scope of the standard. But a likely statement of factual consequence and "note that" suggests an informative statement.				action."may lead to"	incorrectly to describe a possib	le consequence,	not a permissible
SuggestedRemedy	alive statement.			SuggestedRemedy			
,	erfaces may fail to initialize while	others succeed"	to "some interfaces	change "may" to "mi	ght"		
	while others succeed"			Response	Response Status W		
Response	Response Status W			ACCEPT.			
ACCEPT IN PRING	CIPLE.			C/ 11 SC 11.4	P 322	L13	# 1-92
Changed "some in	terfaces may fail to initialize" to "	some interfaces	can fail to initialize"	Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates	
				Comment Type TR	Comment Status A		MAY
C/ 11 SC 11.2. Rolfe, Benjamin	3 P 320 Blind Creek A	L 43 Associates	# I-97	"may" is being used action."may lead to"	incorrectly to describe a possib	le consequence,	not a permissible
Comment Type TR	Comment Status A		MAY	SuggestedRemedy			
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•	misible action. Seems like some	etning to be avoid	dea, not permittea.	Response	Response Status W		
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Response	Response Status W			Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A		# 1-93
ACCEPT.				Comment Type TR	Comment Status A	ASSOCIALES	MAY
C/ 11 SC 11.4	P 322	L 6	# I-95		incorrectly to describe a possib	le consequence	
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates		action."may lead to	may lead to a wrongful	• •	
Comment Type TR	Comment Status A		MAY		wrongful discovery is a permitt ongly suspect this is not what is		the scope of this
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C/ 11 SC 11.4	P 322	L 20	# I-94		C/ 11	SC 11.	5.2	P 356	L 49	# I-88	
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates			Rolfe, Ben	ijamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates		
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SuggestedRemedy					Suggested	lRemedy					
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Response	Response Status W				Response			Response Status W			
ACCEPT.					ACCEI	PT.					
C/ 11 SC 11.4	P 322	L 27	# I-96		C/ 11	SC 11.	5.2	P 361	L 31	# I-87	
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates			Rolfe, Ben	ijamin		Blind Creek A	ssociates		
Comment Type TR	Comment Status A			MAY	Comment	Туре Т	R	Comment Status A			MAY
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Rolfe, Be	njamin	Blind Creek A	ssociates		Rolfe, Be	njamin	Blind Creek A	ssociates	
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	ge "may be" to "a				W PH				
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Rolfe, Be	njamin	Blind Creek A	ssociates		The o PHYs		use are used to manage interf	aces implemente	ed using 10GBASE-W
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		picious use of "may". Seems			C/ 12	SC 12.1.3	P 379	L10	# I-81
		definition, that this string can o			Rolfe, Be	njamin	Blind Creek A	ssociates	
	•	ral limitations. Are those other was mearly use these two bits	•	•	Comment		Comment Status A		MAY
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Chan	tring includes info	ormation of this particular prof	ile, for example,	, data rate and spectra	also p used I (perm	rovides the mea to re-initialize the	ans to put a device in standby e WIS." which seems to be no neans of reseting the device c	mode or to reset oting that the defi	it; the latter may be ned
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						ALL-MIR module	provides the means to put a	device in standy	
	SC 11.5.2	P372	L 54	# 1-83			used to re-initialize the WIS.		mode, or to reset the
2/ 11	-			# <mark>I-83</mark>		e. Reset can be			mode, or to reset the
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C/ 12	SC 12.3.2	P 393	L 59	# 1-80	C/ 13
Rolfe, Be	enjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates		Rolfe, Ber
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Response ACCI		Response Status W			standa questi
	LI I.				_ Suggestee
C/ 13	SC 13.2	P 401	L 24	# I-79	Chang
Rolfe, Be	enjamin	Blind Creek A	Associates		In som effects
Comment	t Type TR	Comment Status A		MA	
		connected to IEEE 802.3 rep native statement. BTW, wha			specif examp
kindo	of just is Ethernet,	right?			Response
Suggeste	edRemedy				ACCE
	ige to: s can be connecte	ed to IEEE 802.3 repeaters o	r IEEE 802.3 int	erfaces.	Chang
Response ACCI		Response Status W			In son effects specif require that it

C/ 13	SC 13.2.5.1	P 405	L 22	# I-78
Rolfe, Bei	njamin	Blind Creek As	sociates	
Comment	Type TR	Comment Status A		MAY

y use of "may" in this paragraph is wrong. This is clealry informative. It is describing ible FUTURE activities of a standards dvelopment group. This includes stating facts, equeinces and possiblities clearly outsdie the scope of this standard. Seems like this cut and pasted from an IETF document (in which context lower case "may" has rent, non-normative meaning). Other IETF langauge is not appropriate to this dard "e.g. what does "standards-track" mean in IEEE-SA? We need not leave this tion in the minds of the reader.

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C/ 13 SC 13.3	P 406	L6	# 1-77	C/ 13	SC 13.5.2	P 406	L 64	# I-75
Rolfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	-	# 1-77	Rolfe, Be		Blind Creek	•••	# 1-75
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	A-MAU-MIB module defines a ule and by other MIB modules			sed Suggeste	dRemedy			
Response ACCEPT.	Response Status W			mod Also				
C/ 13 SC 13.3	P 406	L 29	# I-76	Respons	e	Response Status W		
olfe, Benjamin	Blind Creek A	ssociates		, REJI				
context of an IEEE sta it is permissible, within informative warning, s always" which is what	means what you thin it means andard, "may be undesireavle" in the scope of this standard, to tating a fact. The "In some en I think you mean by "may be"	is not what you be undesireabl vironments" qua	mean. This says th e. This is an alilfies this as "not	at norm of thi and a	ative. In this cor s footnote has b	ote is informative (Style Manua ntext, the "may" statement is a seen balloted before in various juest for changes. ade.	appropriate as it i	s. Furthermore, the text
SuggestedRemedy Change "may be" to "	'o"			C/ 13	SC 13.5.2	P 414	L5	# I-74
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ACCEPT.				Use am g stand	of "may not". All uessing that this lard, which is us	uses of "may not" are incorre s is meant to define a permisik sing only asubset of the enume	ole action within t	andard. For this one I the scope if this
				case	the best coures	is delete the sentence.		
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C/ 13	SC 13	.5.2	P 4	19	L 54	# I-73		C/ 13	SC	13.5.2
Rolfe, Be	enjamin		Blind	Creek As	sociates			Rolfe, Ber	njamin	
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		using only a oures is delete t			ted values. I c	ould be worng ir	1 Which	Suggestee	Remea	dy
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More normative language in an informative statement. "Note that this MAU may be capable of operating as a MAU type that is beyond the scope of this MIB."

Delete the sentence. Change next sentence to: To indicate that this MAU is capable capable of operating as a MAU type that is beyond the scope of this MIB, return the bit value bOther in addition to the bit values set for standards capabilities that are listed in the IANAifMauAutoNegCapBits TC."

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Use of "may" in an informative statement (NOTE that). Which is clearly describing omething outside the scope of this MIB as it says "outside the scope of this MIB" in the entence. But there might be an actual requirement lurking here, if this is meant to clarify ne required action stated in the next sentence (I'm guessing), which is not all that clear (I hay be guessing wrong - which is why leaving the implementor to guess is not ideal).

Delete the sentence. Change next sentence to: To indicate that an interface or interfaces that support this MIB are attached to remote Auto-Negotiation entitles, return the bit value bOther in addition to the bit values set for standards capabilities that are listed in the IANAifMauAutoNegCapBits TC."

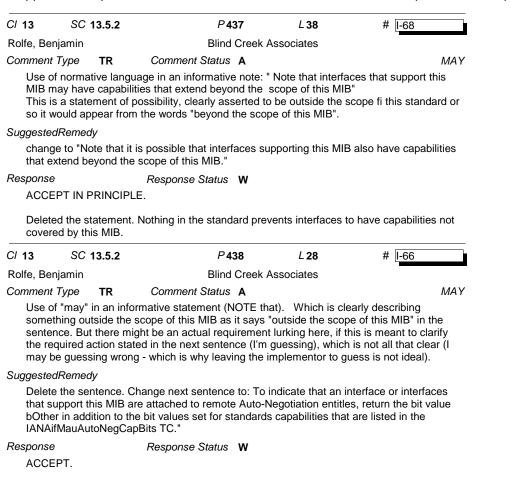
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