

IEEE P802.3bj 100 Gb/s Operation Over Backplanes and Copper Cables

Procedure for conditional approval to forward a draft standard report

The following is the Clause 12 'Procedure for conditional approval to forward a draft standard' report for IEEE P802.3bj 100 Gb/s Operation Over Backplanes and Copper Cables which received conditional approval to proceed to RevCom submittal at the March 2014 IEEE 802 Plenary meeting.

a) Recirculation ballot is completed. Generally, the recirculation ballot and resolution should occur in accordance with the schedule presented at the time of conditional approval

The schedule presented to March 2014 closing IEEE 802 EC meeting when requesting conditional approval was:

15 th Apr 2014	2 nd Sponsor recirculation ballot open
30 th Apr 2014	2 nd Sponsor recirculation ballot close
12 th May 2014	Comment resolution meeting (if required)

Ballot opened: Tuesday 15th April 2014

Ballot closed: Wednesday 30th Apr 2014 11:59 p.m. EDT

The recirculation occurred essentially in accordance with the plan presented.

b) After resolution of the recirculation ballot is completed, the approval percentage is at least 75% and there are no new valid DISAPPROVE votes.

The ballot results after resolution are:

Voters	109
Approve	85
Disapprove with comment	1
Disapprove without comment	0
Abstain	4
Returns	90
Response Rate	82%
Approval Rate	98%
Comments received	0

The approval rate after resolution of the ballot is greater than 75% and there were no new negative DISAPPROVE votes.

c) No technical changes, as determined by the WG Chair, were made as a result of the recirculation ballot.

No technical changes have been made.

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d) No new valid DISAPPROVE comments on new issues that are not resolved to the satisfaction of the submitter from existing DISAPPROVE voters.

There were no new valid DISAPPROVE comments.

e) If the WG Chair determines that there is a new invalid DISAPPROVE comment or vote, the WG Chair shall promptly provide details to the Sponsor.

There were no new invalid DISAPPROVE comments or votes.

f) The WG Chair shall immediately report the results of the ballot to the Sponsor including: the date the ballot closed, vote tally and comments associated with any remaining disapproves (valid and invalid), the WG responses and the rationale for ruling any vote invalid.

Please see above for the date the ballot closed and the vote tally. In respect to comments associated with any remaining disapproves, there are no unresolved negative comments, the one remaining disapprove voter has no comments marked as required (Must Be Satisfied (MBS) in the myBallot system).