802.3ba xr ad hoc status

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Conclusions & Recommendation

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– From the straw poll results (Seoul Straw Poll #6), it can be concluded that there is insufficient interest or support in 803.3ba for extended reach that requires a new PMD or objective.
– Further, there also appears insufficient support for changing the 100 m MM objective to a longer reach.

Recommendation

– The Extended Reach, XR, ad hoc recommends that the XR ad hoc be placed in an inactive status pending solidification of 40GBASE-SR4, 100GBASE-SR10 and the associated PMD service interfaces, new opportunities are apparent and new contributions are available.