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Dear P802.16a Balloting Group:

The P802.16a Second Recirculation Ballot closed on 9 November 2002. We received no new Disapprove votes, but we did receive additional comments. The IEEE 802.16 Working Group decided to convene a meeting of its "Task Group a" to act as the Ballot Resolution Committee and address these comments during the regularly scheduled Working Group session of 11-14 November. A set of resolutions was developed; this set was unanimously approved by both the Task Group and the full Working Group. I am now requesting that the IEEE Balloting Center initiate a ten-day Third Recirculation Ballot. The ballot package includes a new Draft 7 (P802.16a/D7; file **P80216a_D7.zip**). Also included is the comment resolution document IEEE 802.16-02/62r1 (file **80216-02_62r1.pdf**), including:

- Comments 360, 363, 370, 373, 374, 375, 379, and 380, which were accepted. The comment responses indicate the accepted changes that were made in the transition to Draft 7. Some of the accepted changes refer to external documents. These are included in the ballot package inside the ZIP file change_files.zip: Documents C802.16a-02/93 (file C80216a-02_93.pdf), C802.16a-02/98 (file C80216a-02_98.pdf), and C802.16a-02/99 (file C80216a-02_99.pdf).
- Comments 357, 358, 359, 361, 362, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, and 369, which were rejected. Explanations of the Ballot Resolution Committee are included. Some of the comments refer to contributed documents; these are included in the ballot package inside the ZIP file comment_files.zip: Documents C802.16a-02/94r1 (file C80216a-02_94r1.pdf), C802.16a-02/95 (file C80216a-02_95.pdf), C802.16a-02/96r1 (file C80216a-02_96r1.pdf), and C802.16a-02/97 (file C80216a-02_97.pdf).

Please take this opportunity to review the package. You need not reply; if you do not, your current vote will stand. Instructions have been provided by the IEEE Balloting Center.

Sincerely,

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