

Meeting Minutes PDCC Ad Hoc

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1 PM ET

1:02 Meeting called to order. Meeting started by the Ad Hoc Chair, Chad Jones.

1:05 Agenda approved. The Chair starts reviewing agenda slides.

1:06 The Chair informs the group that minutes for 18 and 25 February 2026 are posted, asked if anyone that wanted to review the minutes hadn't had the chance to review, and asked if there were any changes to be made to these minutes. None responded. The minutes were approved by unanimous consent. The Chair instructed the webmaster to change the status of these minutes to confirmed.

1:06 The Chair read aloud the IEEE SA Patent Policy. The call for patents was made and none responded.

1:07 the Chair covered the IEEE SA Copyright Policy, code of ethics and conduct, individual process, equitable consideration of all viewpoints, meeting decorum, and the IEEE ethics reporting line (slides 4-14 in the agenda deck).

1:09 Opening matter complete. The remaining agenda is three topics: IEC 63315, ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 25/WG 3, and IEC TC 65/SC 65C/MT 63444.

First item, IEC63315. The liaison officer reported that the scope was updated in a recent meeting and now states that "PSEs which limit the output power to 100 W under all three conditions: normal operating conditions, abnormal operating conditions and single fault conditions are considered out of scope of this document." This implies that PoE systems are no longer in scope for IEC 63315 – though there was discussion that a multiport PSE that shares a power supply might still be in scope and that it depends on the definition of a single fault condition. More work is required there. It was then pointed out that the foreword of 63315 states that it "cancels and replaces IEC 62368-3:2017, Clause 5". The 60364 liaison pointed out that IEC 60364-7-716 specifically calls out Clause 5 and this was key to get PoE into the wiring regulations. Need to figure out where Annex Q is referenced in 62368 other than -3, Clause 5. If not, we cannot have Clause 5 deleted.

1:29 Item two, ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 25/WG 3. There are two contributions that are of interest to the IEEE 802.3 delegation, number 25 from Engels and number 31 from Sharif. The delegation is encouraged to review before the ad hoc that occurs on Thursday evening (19 March, tomorrow night). And the delegation should be present for that conversation.

1:38 Item three, IEC TC 65/SC 65C/MT 63444. The liaison led the group through a review of comments that were submitted and a spreadsheet that calculated cable temperatures according to the document. These are available in the public area, just below these minutes. The group ran out

of time to finish the comment review. As the chair will be unavailable to host next week (25 March), the liaison will run the PDCC ad hoc meeting next week and finish the comment review.

2:03 The next scheduled meeting is the standard weekly Wednesday meeting series on 25 March 2026, 1PM EST (GMT-5). See the 802.3 call and meeting calendar for details:
<https://www.ieee802.org/3/calendar.html>.

2:03 The Chair asked if there was any other business, none responded. Having exhausted the agenda, the meeting was adjourned.

Attendance (from Webex and IMAT – noted by W, I):

| Name | Employer; Affiliation | Present |
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| Bob Voss | Panduit Corp.; Panduit Corp. | W |
| Chad Jones | Cisco Systems, Inc.; Cisco Systems, Inc. | W |
| David Law | Hewlett Packard Enterprise; Hewlett Packard Enterprise | W |
| Geoff Thompson | GraCaSI S.A.; INDEPENDENT | W |
| George Zimmerman | CME Consulting, Inc.; CME Consulting/ADI, APL Group, Cisco, Marvell, OnSemi, SenTekSe LLC, Sony | W |
| Peter Fischer | SwissBES GmbH; SwissBES GmbH | W |
| Steve Carlson | Retired; Unaffiliated | W |