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Dear Mr. Bois and members of the OIF,

Thank you for your liaison letter from May 2024 regarding the OIF CEI-224G-LR revision 05 specification.

The IEEE P802.3dj project recently initiated the second Task Force review and is actively working towards a technically complete document.

The IEEE P802.3dj Task Force heard presentations and proposals addressing copper cable and backplane PHYs that may be of interest to your work on CEI-224G-LR. These presentations may be found at <https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/24_05/index.html>, <https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/24_06/index.html>, and <https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/24_07/index.html>.

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Additionally, there are contributions on the AUI C2C and AUI C2M electrical interfaces (at the URLs referenced above) that may be of interest to OIF for the CEI-224G-MR and CEI-224G-VSR specifications.

We look forward to the continued collaboration between our two groups.

Sincerely,

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