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To: David Law and participants of the IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Working Group

cc: John D'Ambrosia – IEEE P802.3dj Task Force Chair

Subject: 800LR/800ZR IA Project updates

From: Karl Bois, OIF Technical Committee Chair

Dear Mr. Law and participants of IEEE 802.3 Working Group,

The OIF Q4'24 Technical and MA&E Committees meetings were held from November 5 through November 7 in Melbourne, Australia. The 800ZR Implementation Agreement first release is now published. We have progressed optical specifications for both C-band and O-band applications in 800LR sufficiently to hold a straw ballot.

We request that access to the attached document be restricted to IEEE 802.3 participants only and that you acknowledge the OIF in any derivative work.

Sincerely,

Karl Bois,

OIF Technical Committee Chair

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