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To: David Law (IEEE 802.3 WG Chair),

CC: John D' Ambrosia and participants of IEEE P802.3df Task Force,  
Jon Lewis (IEEE 802.3 WG Secretary) and participants of IEEE 802.3

Subject: 800G Coherent Project Status

From: Klaus Holger-Otto, OIF Technical Committee Chair

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Dear Mr. Law,

Thank you for your liaison letter dated November 8, 2021 informing OIF about the formation of the IEEE P802.3df Task Force and your continued interest in the OIF 800G coherent project. The OIF Q1 Technical and MA&E Committees meetings were held virtually from Feb 8th through Feb 10th, 2022. At this meeting the Physical and Link Layer (PLL) Working Group discussed multiple technical contributions to define both the 800ZR and 800LR coherent interfaces.

Since the 802.3 is interested in details of these interfaces we will continue to liaise the draft implementation agreements when available periodically during the project.

Sincerely,

Klaus-Holger Otto,

OIF Technical Committee Chair ( [REDACTED] )