

# IEEE P802.3by 25Gb/s Ethernet

## Procedure for conditional approval to forward a draft standard report

The following is the Clause 12 ‘Procedure for conditional approval to forward a draft standard’ report for IEEE P802.3by 25Gb/s Ethernet which received conditional approval to proceed to RevCom submittal at the March 2016 IEEE 802 Plenary meeting.

*a) Recirculation ballot is completed. Generally, the recirculation ballot and resolution should occur in accordance with the schedule presented at the time of conditional approval*

**The recirculation balloting is complete. The first recirculation ballot occurred essentially in accordance of the plan presented.**

The schedule presented at the March 2016 closing IEEE 802 EC meeting when conditional approval was granted was:

1 <sup>st</sup> April 2016	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sponsor recirculation ballot open date
14 <sup>th</sup> April 2016	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sponsor recirculation ballot close date
22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2016	Comment resolution meeting

The actual date schedule was:

1 <sup>st</sup> April 2016	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sponsor recirculation ballot open date
15 <sup>th</sup> April 2016	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sponsor recirculation ballot close date
22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2016	Comment resolution meeting cancelled

*b) After resolution of the recirculation ballot is completed, the approval percentage is at least 75% and there are no new valid DISAPPROVE votes.*

**The approval rate after resolution of the recirculation ballot is greater than 75% and there are no new disapprove votes.**

The ballot results after resolution are:

142	Voters
117	Approve
0	Disapprove with comment
1	Disapprove without comment
5	Abstain
123	Ballots returned
86.62%	Response Rate (> 50% required)
4.07%	Abstain Rate (< 30% required)
100.00%	Approval Rate (>= 75% required)
0	Comments received

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*c) No technical changes, as determined by the WG Chair, were made as a result of the recirculation ballot.*

**No changes have been made.**

*d) No new valid DISAPPROVE comments on new issues that are not resolved to the satisfaction of the submitter from existing DISAPPROVE voters.*

**There are no new valid DISAPPROVE votes or comments on new issues**

*e) If the WG Chair determines that there is a new invalid DISAPPROVE comment or vote, the WG Chair shall promptly provide details to the Sponsor.*

**There are no new invalid DISAPPROVE votes which require details to the Sponsor**

*f) The WG Chair shall immediately report the results of the ballot to the Sponsor including: the date the ballot closed, vote tally and comments associated with any remaining disapproves (valid and invalid), the WG responses and the rationale for ruling any vote invalid.*

Please see item (a) for the date the ballot closed and item (b) for the vote tally. There are no new disapproves votes.