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From: Glenn Parsons, Chair, IEEE 802.1

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Colleagues,

Thank you for calling our attention to your new project on YANG Modules for MEF Services. We would like to inform you that the 802.1 Working Group has initiated the process to define YANG modules for 802.1 standards. The initial target for the project is the development of modules for 802.1Q Bridges, and the 802.1X Port-Based Network Access Control. We have authorized drafting the Project Authorization Request (PAR) which we anticipate being considered for approval in the IEEE 802 plenary meeting in July.

The PAR, including further details on scope of this work, will be developed at our May 19-22 interim meeting in Pittsburgh. We would welcome the participation of all interested experts to ensure that this activity meets industry needs.

Best regards,

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