



IEEE 802.17 Resilient Packet Ring Closing Report

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Officer Elections



- Michael Takefman ran un-opposed as Chair
 - confirmed unanimously by the WG
 - 9/0/0
- John Lemon ran un-opposed as Vice-Chair
 - confirmed unanimously by the WG
 - 9/0/0



Meeting Outcomes



- Progress on 802.17b
 - Comment Resolution of P802.17b D1.3
 - WG Ballot Passed 84.6% approve, 93% return
 - Editor authorized to create D1.4
 - 15 day recirc-ballot on D1.4 authorized
 - Plan is to recirculate 3 times before July Plenary
 - goal is to initiate Sponsor Ballot after July



Meeting Outcomes



- ITU-T SG15 Liaison was sent to 802.1/17 on Ethernet Ring Protection
 - response created jointly with .1 and approved in each closing plenary (no negative votes in either group)
 - 802.3 was shown the response in their plenary
 - Chair of 802.17 to forward the response to ITU-T SG15



Meeting Outcomes

- 802.17 Maintenance Task Force met and processed a good amount of the MRs received to date
- Discussion on starting a maintenance PAR to address the MRs



Next Sessions

- April 19/20, 2006 teleconference
 - CRG for 802.17b D1.4
- June 14/15, 2006 Interim session in Sunnyvale, CA
 - Sponsored by Cortina Systems
- July 15th, 2006 Plenary session