

## Unapproved Minutes

400 Gb/s Ethernet Study Group Technical Feasibility Ad hoc

Teleconference January 7, 2014

Chaired by, and minutes taken by Steve Trowbridge, Alcatel-Lucent

The meeting was convened at 8:07am US Mountain Standard Time.

Documentation for the call can be found on the ad hoc page:

[http://ieee802.org/3/400GSG/public/adhoc/tech\\_feas/index.shtml](http://ieee802.org/3/400GSG/public/adhoc/tech_feas/index.shtml)

The agenda was presented and agreed. Slide 2 of the agenda provided a link to the guidelines for IEEE meetings. The chair asked if anyone on the call was not familiar with these guidelines, and no one responded.

Steve Trowbridge (Alcatel-Lucent) presented "400 Gb/s Ethernet Technical Feasibility Response Proposal", [trowbridge\\_tfa\\_01\\_14\\_0107.pdf](#). During discussion, it was agreed to remove some unnecessary language about bridging that appears to have been carried over from prior project technical feasibility responses as far as 1996. Several other editorial corrections were agreed.

Based on guidance from the 400 Gb/s Ethernet Study Group chair, a single presentation will be provided to the Indian Wells meeting including the ad hoc report and the resulting proposed technical feasibility response. Participants were invited to inform the ad hoc chair if they wish to be listed as a supporter of the technical feasibility response generated in this meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50am US Mountain Standard Time.

### Attendees:

Ghani Abbas (Ericsson)

Pete Anslow (Ciena)

John D'Ambrosia (Dell)

Piers Dawe (Mellanox)

Ali Ghiasi (Independent)

Keisuke Kojima (MERL)

David Law (HP)

David Lewis (JDSU)

Tom McDermott (Fujitsu)

Paul Mooney (Spirent)

Dale Murray (LightCounting)

Tom Palkert (Molex, Luxtera)

Randy Rannow (APIChip)

Sam Sambasivan (AT&T)

Jeff Slavick (Avago)

Peter Stassar (Huawei)

Brian Teipen (Adva Optical)

Alan Tipper (Semtech)

Nathan Tracy (TE Connectivity)

Steve Trowbridge (Alcatel-Lucent)

Alexander Umnov (Fujitsu)