

## IEEE P802.3bf Time Sync Task Force Informal Communication

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Dear Mr. Ferrant and members of ITU-T SG15,

We would like to update you on the status of our draft.

All IEEE P802.3bf Task Force public material may be found at <http://www.ieee802.org/3/bf/public/>. In order to assist ITU-T SG15 in its work of enhancing time synchronization over packet networks within ITU-T SG15, IEEE P802.3bf, Draft 2.0 is attached to this communication.

Please note, however, that this draft is still a work in progress and the detailed content of the amendment is expected to evolve through completion of the working group ballot process and the subsequent sponsor ballot process. We understand that access to this draft will be restricted to ITU-T membership only.

Sincerely,

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