**TDD sub-Task Force – Minutes August 12, 2013**

**Provided the IEEE-SA Patent Policy link. Everyone on the call was familiar with the patent policy.**

* https://development.standards.ieee.org/myproject/Public/mytools/mob/slideset.pdf

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**EPoC TDD – A proposal for DS Transmission and related timing**

**(Steve Shellhammer and Andrea Garavaglia)**

* Gate message is synchronization of CNU. Is this sufficient for synchronization? Every time you send an MPCP control message, it has an MPCP clock, which is used to synchronize MPCP level. This is not PHY synchronization.
* So the TDD cycle begins with any message (possibly the special Gate message). Yes, we want to resynchronize when the message comes again.
* Having a special character is too complicated, as discussed in May. So always sending a message to being the downstream time window is the preferred approach.

Canceling next week’s meeting since there is a conflict due to another meeting. We will meet again in two weeks.

**Attendance**

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