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ITU-T SG 7 at its 20-31 March 2000 meeting studied the subject of operation of Ethernet over SDH using LAPS to satisfy the requirements of data communications. Since the IEEE-SA standards Board on 10 Gigabit Ethernet and IEEE 802.3 is building up its technical expertise in SDH/SONET and related wide area transport mechanisms, Q.10/7 decides to change the draft Recommendation title “Ethernet over SDH” into “Ethernet over LAPS”. The rates adjustment is also added to the text. Attached, in the form of a draft Recommendation X.86 (X.eos), is determined to be approved at the next January 2001 meeting. IEEE 802 Committee is kindly requested to provide technical comments on this text preferably by August 2000 but no later than mid January 2001.

Attachment: Draft new Recommendation X.86 (X.eos) on Ethernet over LAPS (TD 3203/Rev.1)