INCITS T11 Liaison Report to 802.3
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T11 has meet twice since the last Plenary of 802.3:

- **Aug 3-7, 2009 Salt Lake City, UT.**
- **Oct 5-9, 2009   Sacramento, CA.**

FC-PI-5

- **FC-PI-5 comment resolution**
  - All comments, TBDs, and editors notes have been resolved.

- **FC-PI-5 changes**
  - The 800-SA linear variants will be put in an Annex.
  - Older Fiber types were removed.
  - A delta T jitter tolerance test will be added to FC-PI-5
  - Adam Healey provided the text for transmitter requirements for 1600-DF-EA-S. Similar to IEEE P802.3ba/D2.3 Clause 85
  - TWDP will not be used for 16GFC
  - A proposal for trading off connection loss with distance was accepted. This also allows 16GFC to support 150 meter channels.

- **T11.2 will conduct a letter ballot for FC-PI-5**
  - FC-PI-5 is ahead of schedule

Other Items of Interest

- **MSQS work is picking up but the document will probably not be forwarded to T11.2 until Feb 2010. MSQS will contain test procedures required for FC-PI-5 so it needs to remain as close as possible with FC-PI-5.**

- **At the joint T11-2/3 meeting it was decided to align with IEEE nomenclature for 'Preset" and "Initialize" bits of the training frame.**

- **The 3rd FCoE Plugfest is being held this week at UNH-IOL.**

- **Initial discussions for 32GFC have started.**

Upcoming Meetings

- **Dec 7-11, 2009 New Orleans, LA.**
- **Feb 1-5, 2010   San Antonio, TX.**

- **For additional information**
  - **http://www.t11.org/index.html**