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**Liaison letter from ISO/IEC JTC1/SC 25 WG3 to IEEE 802.3 regarding a technical report for  
40 Gbit/s cabling systems**

ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 25/WG 3 extends its congratulations to IEEE 802.3 with regard to the approval of its call for interest for NGBASE-T, and the strong level of support this received.

ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 25/WG 3 informs IEEE 802.3 of its project to develop a technical report on cabling systems in support of applications that would support data speeds of at least 40 Gbit/s. At this preliminary stage, SC 25/WG 3 has a working draft, which passed its first comment resolutions.

Further details can be provided by our IEEE liaison officer; however, we would also invite any interested parties to contribute to the national review of our PDTR (Proposed Draft Technical Report) which is expected to be circulated by mid of November 2012.

ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 25/WG 3 looks forward to supporting IEEE 802.3 in the development of both projects.

Sincerely,

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