

## IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Working Group Liaison Communication

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Dear Mr. Sadler and members of OIF,

The IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Working Group thanks the OIF for sharing with us your progress and a copy of the draft for the MLG 2.0 implementation agreement. We have called this to the attention of our membership.

We are pleased that the OIF is able to find new ways to reuse our technology, and look forward to continued collaboration in the future.

Sincerely,

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