IEEE P802.3ct 100 Gb/s over DWDM systems Procedure for conditional approval to forward a draft standard report

The following is the Clause 12 'Procedure for conditional approval to forward a draft standard' report for IEEE P802.3ct 100 Gb/s over DWDM systems which received conditional approval to proceed to RevCom submittal at the 18th March 2021 IEEE 802 teleconference meeting.

a) Recirculation ballot is completed. Generally, the recirculation ballot and resolution should occur in accordance with the schedule presented at the time of conditional approval

The recirculation balloting is complete. The second and third recirculation ballots occurred essentially in accordance of the plan presented.

| 3 rd Standards Association recirculation ballot day one | 10 th March 2021 |
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| 3 rd Standards Association recirculation ballot close | 25 th March 2021 |
| IEEE P802.3ct comment resolution meeting | 2 nd April 2021 |
| 4 th Standards Association recirculation ballot day one | 30 th April 2021 |
| 4 th Standards Association recirculation ballot close | 15 th May 2021 |
| IEEE P802.3ct comment resolution meeting | Week of 24 th May 2021 |
| The actual schedule was: | |
| 3 rd Standards Association recirculation ballot day one | 10 th March 2021 |
| 3 rd Standards Association recirculation ballot close | 25 th March 2021 |
| IEEE P802.3ct comment resolution meeting | 2 nd April 2021 |
| 4 th Standards Association recirculation ballot day one | 30 th April 2021 |
| 4 th Standards Association recirculation ballot close | 14 th May 2021 |
| IEEE P802.3ct comment resolution meeting | Not required |

Note: As no comments were submitted during the 4th Standards Association recirculation ballot the final IEEE P802.3ct comment resolution meeting is not required.

b) After resolution of the recirculation ballot is completed, the approval percentage is at least 75% and there are no new valid DISAPPROVE votes.

The approval rate after resolution of the recirculation ballot is greater than 75% and there are no new disapprove votes.

The ballot results after resolution are:

- 103 Voters
- 88 Approve
- 1 Disapprove with comment
- 0 Disapprove without comment
- 3 Abstain
- 89 Ballots returned
- 89% Response Rate ($\geq 75\%$ required)
- 3% Abstain Rate (< 30% required)
- 98% Approval Rate (\geq 75% required)
 - 0 Comment received

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c) No technical changes, as determined by the WG Chair, were made as a result of the recirculation ballot.

No changes have been made.

d) No new valid DISAPPROVE comments on new issues that are not resolved to the satisfaction of the submitter from existing DISAPPROVE voters.

There are no new valid DISAPPROVE votes or comments on new issues.

e) If the WG Chair determines that there is a new invalid DISAPPROVE comment or vote, the WG Chair shall promptly provide details to the Sponsor.

There are no new invalid DISAPPROVE votes which require details to the Sponsor.

f) The WG Chair shall immediately report the results of the ballot to the Sponsor including: the date the ballot closed, vote tally and comments associated with any remaining disapproves (valid and invalid), the WG responses and the rationale for ruling any vote invalid.

Please see item (a) for the date the ballot closed and item (b) for the vote tally. There are no new disapproves votes.