

**IEEE P802.11  
Wireless LANs**

**\*PAR 802.11c as approved**



**IEEE Standards Board:  
Project Authorization Request (PAR) Form**

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**1. Sponsor Date of Request:**  
1997-10-23

**2. Assigned Project Number:**  
802.11c

**3. PAR Approval Date:**  
9 Dec. 1997

**4. Project Title, Copyright Agreement, and Working Group for this Project**

I will write/revise a Standards Publication with the following TITLE: **STANDARD [FOR] Information Technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Local area networks - Media access control (MAC) bridges - Supplement for support by IEEE 802.11**

I hereby acknowledge my appointment as Official Reporter (usually the W.G. Chair) to the **IEEE P802.11, Working Group for Wireless LANs**

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Signature of Official Reporter: \_\_\_\_\_ was signed on \_\_\_\_\_ Date: Oct 23, 1997\*

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**5. Describe This Project:**

- I. Update an existing PAR Yes  No  
(Indicate PAR Number/Approval Date.)  
Is this project in ballot now? Yes  No

- II. NEW STANDARD  
REVISION of an existing standard. (Indicate Standard Number and Year):  
 SUPPLEMENT to an existing standard (Indicate Standard Number and Year): **IS 10038/802.1D-1993**

- III.  FULL USE (5-year life cycle)  
TRIAL USE (2-year life cycle)

IV. TARGET COMPLETION DATE for submittal to IEEE Standards Review Committee (REVCOM): June 1998

6. Scope of Proposed Project: To add a subclause under 2.5 Support of the Internal Sublayer Service by Specific MAC Procedures to cover bridge operation with IEEE 802.11 MACs. This supplement to IS 10038 (802.1D) will be developed by the 802.11 Working Group in cooperation with the 802.1 Working Group. Therefore, the project receives an 802.11 number

7. Purpose of Proposed Project: To provide the required 802.11 specific information to the IS 10038 (802.1D) standard

8. Sponsor: Computer Society

Society/Committee: Computer Society/LMSC

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- \* (a.1) Are you aware of any patents relevant to this project? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
\* (a.2) Are you aware of any copyrights relevant to this project? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
\* (a.3) Are you aware of any trademarks relevant to this project? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
\* (b) Are you aware of any other standards or projects with a similar scope? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
\* (c) Is this standard intended to form the basis of an international project? X Yes
No (Attach Expl.)
Do not know
\* (d) Is this project intended to focus on health, safety or environmental issues? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
Do not know

10. Proposed Coordination/Recommended Method of Coordination

I. Mandatory Coordination

SCC 10 (IEEE Dictionary) and IEEE Staff Editorial Review by Circulation of Drafts
SCC 14 (Quantities, Units and Letter symbols) by Circulation of Drafts

II. IEEE Coordination requested by Sponsor: \*

COORDINATION

US TAG for JTC1/SC6/WG1

METHOD OF COORDINATION

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Additional Coordination Requested by Others:

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Signature of Submitter:           was signed on          

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