

Standards Working Group IEEE 802.15

Wireless Personal Area Networks™

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Dear IEEE-SA Sponsor Ballot Pool Member:

Subject: WPAN™ Invitation-to-Ballot form

Re: IEEE Std 802.15.1-[2001] Draft 1.0; Bluetooth™ experts are kindly requested to participate

You have indicated your interest in participating in Sponsor Ballots on 802.15 projects. This is an invitation for you to become a member of the 802.15.1 Balloting Group and ballot on the Standard described below:

What will be balloted:

- Designation: IEEE Std 802.15.1-[2001] Draft 1.0
- Title: STANDARD FOR Telecommunications and Information Exchange Between Systems -LAN/MAN Specific Requirements - Part 15: Wireless Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) specifications for Wireless Personal Area Networks (WPAN)

This ballot will be conducted **only** by electronic means. The draft 99000D1P802-15-1__Draft_Standard.PDF will be approximately 4MB and prints out to approximately 1053 pages. The IEEE – Balloting Center will **not** distribute paper copies of the draft.

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- HAVE ACCESS TO THE WWW
- HAVE ADOBE ACROBAT OR ACROBAT READER
- BE AN IEEE-SA MEMBER IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE
- RETURN YOUR INVITATION BALLOT BY CLOSING DATE ON THE INVITATION

When the ballot opens, the IEEE – Balloting Center will send an e-mail announcing the opening and closing dates, instructions for submitting your vote and comments electronically, how to download the draft, and the user name and password required in order to retrieve the draft. We anticipate the Sponsor Ballot starting in March 2001. The draft will be posted on the password protected IEEE web site at <http://ieee802.org/15/pub/SB1/SB1.html>

On the attached form please note the invitation **due date** and follow all the instructions found on the reverse side of the Invitation-to-Ballot form. Make sure you check your address, if it has changed, fill in all the address information **including the e-mail address** on the reverse side.

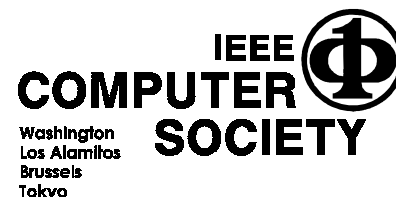
We will send you an e-mail when the 802.15.1 Balloting Pool is formed to validate your e-mail address. You must reply to this message to actually finalize your membership in the Balloting Pool. An out-of-the office automatic reply is sufficient.

We welcome your interest and participation in the review of this document.

Sincerely,

Bob Heile, Chair 802.15

Attachment: Invitation-to-Ballot IEEE Std 802.15.1-[2001] Draft 1.0



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Attached please find a preliminary invitation for PS02.15.1 for your approval.
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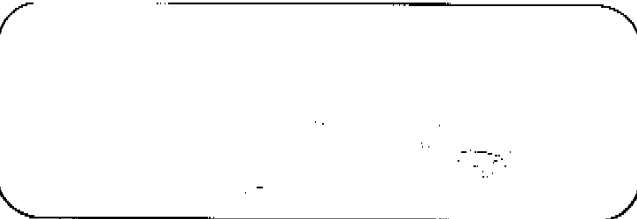
The Local and Metropolitan Area Networks Committee of the IEEE Computer Society

invites you to ballot on:

Title: P802.15.1 - Standard for Telecommunications and Information Exchange Between Systems - LAN/MAN Specific Requirements - Part 15: Wireless Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) specifications for Wireless Personal Area Networks (WPAN)

Scope: To define PHY and MAC specifications for wireless connectivity with fixed, portable and moving devices within or entering a Personal Operating Space (POS). A goal of the WPAN Group will be to achieve a level of interoperability which could allow the transfer of data between a WPAN device and an 802.11 device. A Personal Operating Space (POS) is the space about a person or object that typically extends up to 10 meters in all directions and envelopes the person whether stationary or in motion. The proposed WPAN Standards will be developed to ensure coexistence with all 802.11 Networks.

Purpose: To provide a standard for low complexity, low power consumption wireless connectivity to support interoperability among devices within or entering the Personal Operating Space (POS). This includes devices (see 12c) that are carried, worn or located near the body. The proposed project will address Quality of Service to support a variety of traffic classes. Examples of devices, which can be networked, include Computers, Personal Digital Assistants (PDAs), Handheld Personal Computers (HPCs), printers, microphones, speakers, headsets, bar code readers, sensors, displays, pagers, and cellular & Personal Communications Service (PCS) phones.



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Comments: THANK YOU! LOOKS FINE. PLEASE SEND.

