

IEEE 802.17
Proposed Charter for
Performance Committee



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Where do we stand now?



- **Proposed charter and list of accomplishments posted on the reflector on April 30, 2001**
- **No concerns posted**
- **Some minor modifications made last night**

Proposed Charter ...



- **Set objectives for performance analysis study cases**
- **Set parameters, metrics and framework to help provide a consistent way of comparing architectural ideas and proposals:**
 - **Traffic Models**
 - **Performance Metrics**
 - **Test Scenarios**
 - **Results format/style (Common graph/chart/data format)**
 - **Others as needed**

Proposed Charter ...



- **These would be used by 802.17WG to:**
 - **Compare the performance characteristics of specific proposed RPR architectures**
 - **Compare performance characteristics of RPR vs. other relevant technologies (as and if needed)**
 - **Analyze simulations results presented in the 802.17 WG meetings**
 - **Evaluate generic technology tradeoffs**

Proposed Charter ...



- **Collect simulation results (based on the parameters, scenarios and metrics provided by the perf committee)**
- **Make these simulation results available to the 802.17 WG**
- **Set up comparisons matrices between various architectural proposals and make them available to the WG**

Proposed Charter ...



**The Performance Committee is NOT
chartered to run simulations for the
working group.**

Motion



Approve the formation of the performance committee for the IEEE 802.17 WG based on the charter presented on Wed (5/16/2001) by Khaled Amer and documented in file: ka_perf_charter.pdf

M: Khaled Amer

S: Harmen van As

Yes: 65

No: 0

Abstain: 4



Backup charts

Simulation Framework Definition



- **A set of models used to test a protocol or algorithm within a simulated environment including:**
 - **Topology of nodes and interconnecting links with associated performance parameters (i.e. link BW)**
 - **Traffic sources**
 - **Higher and lower layer protocols and algorithms both interfacing with the protocol and algorithm under test and any other protocols or algorithms being modeled in the nodes of the topology**
 - **Output statistics**