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Dear Mr. Parsons and members of ITU-T Study Group 15,

The IEEE 802.3 Working Group would like to thank you for your recent liaison regarding the update on your work on using ETCC as a transmitter quality metric and sharing the draft of G.698.2.

IEEE 802.3 continues our work on ETCC with some investigation into validating the spec against some industry test data. We reviewed a contribution which may be of interest to your members (https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/25_05/chayeb_3dj_02a_2505.pdf)

We look forward to continued conversations on this topic.

Sincerely,

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