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Dear Dr. Kramer,

Thank you for your letter of 24-June-2010 concerning the Slow Protocol frame transmission rate limitation. We have considered this topic and have also given consideration to a revision request that was submitted by one of our members addressing the same issue. Revision request number 1229 can be retrieved from the following URL:

http://www.ieee802.org/3/maint/requests/maint_1229.pdf

This revision request will be considered in the next revision project of IEEE Std 802.3, and we will keep you informed about the status of this project as it develops. We respectfully request that the membership of IEEE P1904.1 review the aforementioned revision request to determine whether it addresses the concerns expressed in your liaison letter.

Sincerely,

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