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To: David Law (IEEE 802.3 WG Chair),

CC: Beth Kochuparambil and participants of the IEEE P802.3ck 100 Gb/s Ethernet Task Force, Pete Anslow (IEEE 802.3 WG Secretary) and participants of IEEE 802.3

Subject: Progress on OIF CEI-112G project

From: Klaus-Holger Otto, OIF Technical Committee Chair
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Dear Mr. Law and participants of the IEEE 802.3 Working Group,

We are pleased to announce that the OIF has generated an updated revision .05 of the CEI-112G-VSR specification which we understand may be relevant to your work.

We have begun work on the CEI-112G-LR specification. We intend to liaise this document at the appropriate time. We have also approved the start of a CEI 112G-XSR project for die to die and die to OE communication at 112G per lane within a package. We have attached the project start proposal.

We request that access to the attached documents be restricted to 802.3 participants only and that you acknowledge the OIF in any derivative work.

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Sincerely,

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