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Dear David,

The Ethernet Alliance wishes to thank IEEE 802.3 for its reply from 14 May 2026.

As noted in our prior communication, the Ethernet Alliance provides resources to establish and demonstrate multi-vendor interoperability. We appreciate the update on our request for IEEE 802.3 to share its drafts with us., and ,assuming IEEE SA's approval of draft sharing, look forward to receiving the latest draft of IEEE P802.3dj 200 Gb/s, 400 Gb/s, 800 Gb/s, and 1.6 Tb/s Ethernet.

In that spirit, we would like to invite the IEEE 802.3 community to participate in an open industry call on 23 June 2026 where the Ethernet Alliance will discuss its "Vision 2027" and its expanded Interoperability Plugfest Event in support of the anticipated ratification of the IEEE P802.3dj standard. Details and registration for the call may be found at <https://ethernetalliance.org/event/strategic-direction/>.

We look forward to continuing cooperation with IEEE 802.3 as we chart Ethernet's future.

Regards,

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Chairman of the Board, Ethernet Alliance