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Subject: Liaison letter to IEC TC86 requesting updates on standardization of A4j

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Dear Mr. Pondillo,

The IEEE P802.3dh Task Force is considering referencing IEC A4j fiber in its automotive Ethernet project utilizing Plastic Optical Fiber (POF). The task force respectfully requests an update on the status of A4j fiber standardization within IEC SC 86A WG1 and requests that IEC SC86A WG1 share A4j testing requirements for use in the automotive environment.

Sincerely,
David Law
Chair, IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Working Group

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