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Subject: Liaison: Status of IEEE P802.3cx Task Force

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Dear Mr. Ruffini,

The IEEE P802.3cx Improved PTP Timestamping Accuracy Task Force work has completed Task Force review and progressed to the IEEE 802.3 Working Group ballot phase. Current draft **D2.1 is attached** for your information. It addresses the identified aspects of some recently adopted Ethernet PHYs that could potentially limit the accuracy of transporting PTP timestamps, which were listed in a previous liaison, and provides an informative appendix to describe the potential limitations and solutions.

Links to the project scope, objectives and adopted timeline can be found at <https://www.ieee802.org/3/cx/index.html>. Note that the timeline is subject to updates.

Sincerely,

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