

### P802.11 Maintenance PAR Proposal

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- 1. Sponsor Date of Request October 9<sup>th</sup>, 1997
- 2. Assigned Project Number (confer with staff) 802.11d
- 3. PAR Approval Date (leave blank) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Project Title, Copyright Agreement and Working Group Chair for This Project

*I will write/revise a Standards Publication with the following TITLE (Spell out all acronyms)*

Standard [for] (Document stressing the verb "SHALL."), or

Recommended Practice for (Document stressing the verb "SHOULD.") or

Guide for (Document stressing the verb "MAY.")

TITLE:

**[ Standard for Information Technology-Telecommunications and information exchange between systems-Local and Metropolitan networks-Specific requirements: Wireless LAN Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) specifications ]**

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**[ P802.11 Working Group for Wireless Local Area Networks ]**

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5. Describe this project: (Choose ONE from each group below)

a. [ ] Update an existing PAR  
 [ ] Yes or [ **X** ] No  
 If YES, project number/approval date) \_\_\_\_\_

Is this in ballot now? [ ] Yes or [ ] No

b. [ ] New Standard  
 [ ] Yes or [ ] No  
 [ **X** ] Revision of an existing standard.  
 [ **X** ] Yes standard number/year IEEE Std 802.11-97 or [ ] No  
 [ ] Supplement to an existing standard  
 [ ] Yes standard number/year \_\_\_\_\_ or [ ] No

c. [ **X** ] Full Use (5-year life cycle)  
 [ ] Trial Use (2-year life cycle)

d. Fill in target completion date for submittal to  
 IEEE Standards Review Committee (RevCom).

[ June 1998 ]

6. Scope of Proposed Project (*What is being done including the technical boundaries of the project?*)

[To rectify a number of errors in the current standard and changes input from the JTC1 review to result in a single JTC1/IEEE standard.]

7. Purpose of Proposed Project [*Why is it being done, including the intended user(s) and benefits to that user(s)*]

[To input the numerous errors resulting from the review of an interpretation request to the current standard and from JTC1 review.]

8. Sponsor (Give full name; spell out all acronyms) Society/Committee:

[ **Computer Society - LMSC** ]

9(a.1) [ **NO** ] Are you aware of any patents relevant to this project?  
 (If YES, attach explanation, or No)

9(a.2) [ **NO** ] Are you aware of any copyrights relevant to this project?  
 (If YES, attach explanation, or No)

9(a.3) [NO] Are you aware of any trademarks relevant to this project?  
(If YES, attach explanation, or No)

9b. [NO] Are you aware of any other standards or projects with a similar scope?  
(If YES, attach explanation, or No)

9c. [YES] Is this standard intended to form the basis of an international standard?  
(Yes, or if NO, attach explanation, or Do Not Know)

9d. [NO] Is this project intended to focus on health, safety or environmental issues?  
(If YES, attach explanation, or No, or Do Not Know))

10. Proposed Coordination/Recommended Method of Coordination (Coordination is accomplished in any of the following three ways:  
Circulation of Drafts or Liaison Membership or Common Membership.)

**10a. Mandatory Coordination**

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| SCC 10 (IEEE Dictionary)                       | Circulation of Drafts |
| IEEE Staff Editorial Review                    | Circulation of Drafts |
| SCC 14 (Quantities, Units, and Letter Symbols) | Circulation of Drafts |

**10b. IEEE Coordination requested by Sponsor:**

(Use additional page if necessary). If you believe your project will require a Registration Authority, please list IEEE RAC (refer to Working Guide).

- [ASC X3S3 (as US TAG for SC6) Circulation of Drafts
- JTC1 SC6 Circulation of Drafts]

**If coordination is not required, please attach an explanation.**

10c. Additional Coordination Requested by Others. (Leave blank. This will be completed by the Standards Staff).

11. Submitted by: (This **MUST** be the Sponsor Chair or the Sponsor's Liaison Representative to the IEEE Standards Board)

Signature of Submitter\_\_\_\_\_

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