Hi John,

I would like to note that these documents (T10/00-417 and T10/00-418) were disclosed in the November 2000 MMC WG meeting. Philips requested that I disclose the information for the purpose of promoting inclusion into MMC3. There were no objections in the WG. Some of this has already made its way into the MMC3 draft 7. I expect to have all of it in MMC3 draft 8 which will be sent to you by Feb 20 for posting on the website.

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