Questions to the CAP Proposed by the ADI SG

The ADI SG debated the method by which a LUN could be created that accepts commands, which operates on the same device as the "main" LUN, but is not subject to reservations currently in place on the device. In considering a W-LUN, multi-ported LUNs or other methods, we found ourselves needing more information. Hence, the questions:

- 1. Why does W-LUN have only mandatory commands? What is the real reason why this was decided, or was it arbitrary? Can it be changed?
- 2. Can we define a new peripheral device type, as an "extended" device by using Standard Inquiry page? Can we resurrect Device Type Modifier? Byte 1, bits 0-6 (set to RESERVED past SCSI-2).
- 3. Can the ADI SG get a new device type?