

TO: T10 Membership
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General

The Automation/Drive Interface – 2 working group met in Raleigh, North Carolina, on 10 March 2008 from 2:15 PM until 7:06 PM. There were six participants representing five companies. The minutes have been posted as 08-151r0.

The working group also conducted two interim teleconferences, on 30 January 2008 (minutes in 08-098r0) and on 13 February 2008 (minutes in 08-104r0).

We again issued a call for a permanent secretary; there have been no volunteers at this time. Curtis Ballard volunteered to be secretary for this meeting

ADC-3 Status

At a teleconference, the group reviewed the proposal for Automation Encryption Control. 08-029r1 was approved as modified and 08-029r2 was incorporated in the initial revision of ADC-3.

At the March meeting, a proposal for corrections to Automation Encryption Control was approved as modified (08-119r0). The working group discussed a potential security hole and concluded that the proper location for a fix is SSC-3; late letter ballot comments will be generated for SSC-3.

ADT-2 Status

One proposal for ADT-2 was discussed (07-469r1), Internet ADT (iADT). It will be revised and discussed at the next teleconference. An IP port number has been obtained from IANA in anticipation of its use by iADT (08-111r0).

The working group decided that because the standard RJ-45 Ethernet connector is too large to fit on the back of a tape drive, they will investigate standardizing a small connector. Any connector vendors who are interested should participate in the May 2008 meeting.

ADT-3 Status

The working group decided to withdraw the ADT-3 project proposal and to consider all pending work items under ADT-2. A motion recommending that the Plenary meeting withdraw the ADT-3 project proposal was approved unanimously.

Future Meetings

We request permission to hold one teleconference before the next plenary week, on 16 April (hosted by Quantum), 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM PDT.

Meeting requirements for March will be the same as for this week, for the ADI-2 meeting to begin Monday upon completion of the SMC-3 meeting and to end at 7:00 PM.

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