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Subject: Minutes of CAM Working Group Meeting - March 14, 1994

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Results of Meeting

1. Opening Remarks

William Dallas the Editor of the CAM document, called the meeting to order at 9:08 am, Monday, 14 March 1994. He thanked Qlogic for hosting the meeting. As is customary, the people attending introduced themselves. A copy of the attendance list was circulated for attendance. It was stated that the meeting had been authorized by X3T10 and would be conducted under the X3 rules. The minutes of this meeting will be posted to the SCSI BBS and the SCSI Reflector and will be included in the next committee mailing.

2. Attendance and Membership

Attendance at Working Group meetings does not count toward minimum attendance requirements for X3T10 membership. Working group meetings are open to any person or company to attend and to express their opinion on the subjects being discussed.

The following people attended the meeting:

CAM Working Group Meeting Attendees

Name	Organization	Electronic Mail Address
Mr. Neil T. Wanamaker Mr. Gary Stephens Mr. Ralph Weber Mr. Colin Whitby-Strevens Mr. Carlos Orosco Mr. Ken Cummings Mr. Bill Dallas 7 people present	AMDAHL FSI Digital Equipment Corp. INMOS AST IBM Corp. Digital Equipment Corp.	ntw20@eng.amdahl.com 6363897@mcimail.com weber@star.enet.dec.com colinws@isnet.inmos.co.uk carlos.orosco@ast.com kenc@tvcvm2.vnet.ibm.com dallas@wasted.enet.dec.com

3. Approval of Agenda

The agenda developed at the meeting was approved.

4. Report on changes made on the document from Revision 5 to Revision 6.

Bill Dallas reported on the editorial and technical changes made in the CAM document which changed the revision from 5 to 6. These changes were the following:

- Changes made by the January 1994 CAM Working Group.
- Comments on Clause 11 made by Ralph Weber of Digital Equipment Corporation and Gary Porter of Ancot Corporation. Disposition of these comments are included at the end of these minutes.

5. Review of the Revision 6 of the CAM document.

The CAM Working Group started reviewing the CAM document from where it left off at the January CAM Working Group. A number of editorial changes were made to the document for clarification and correctness.

Gary Stephens of FSI objected to CAM not addressing SCSI-2 SOFT RESETS. Discussion of the CAM model pointed out that there is no central repository of Inquiry response data knowledge to determine if all Logical Units on the SCSI bus supports the SOFT RESET. Gary Stephens will be writing up a CAM soft reset functional specification for review by the CAM Working Group. I have since received this and will put it out on the SCSI reflector when I convert it from Word Perfect format to text.

A technical change was made to CAM, this involved XPT scan bus functionality. Currently CAM only allows the XTP to scan a SCSI bus to update it's internal edt[] tables. It was decided that this was to restrictive and a scan of a single Logical Unit was needed besides a SCSI bus scan. The editor was directed to include this functionality into CAM.

6. Action Items

Bill Dallas to post Gary Stephens CAM soft reset functional specification. Bill Dallas to make all working group changes to the CAM document. Document revision will change from 6 to 7.

7. Meeting Schedule

The next meeting of the CAM Working Group is planned for May 16, 1994 at the Sheraton Inn Harrisburg in Harrisburg, Pa. The meeting is expected to run from 9:00am-5:00pm.

8. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 pm. on Monday, 14 March, 1994.