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Reply to:	John Lohmeyer Bill Ham

To: Membership of T10

From: John Lohmeyer, chair SDV working group
Bill Ham, Secy SDV working group

Subject: Draft minutes of T10 SDV working group on March 26-27, 2001

Agenda

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Results of Meeting

1. Opening remarks and introductions

John Lohmeyer led the meeting. He opened the meeting at 1:00 p.m. and thanked Ron Roberts of Adaptec for hosting this meeting. Bill Ham took these minutes.

Attendance and membership

Name	S	Organization	Electronic Mail Address
Mr. Ron Roberts	P	Adaptec, Inc.	Ron_Roberts@adaptec.com
Mr. Trung Luu	V	Adaptec, Inc.	tluu@corp.adaptec.com
Mr. Mike Rogers	V	Adaptec, Inc.	mike_rogers@adaptec.com
Dr. William Ham	A	Compaq Computer Corp.	bill_ham@ix.netcom.com
Mr. John Lohmeyer	P	LSI Logic Corp.	lohmeier@t10.org
Mr. Terry Gibbons	V	LSI Logic Corp.	terry.gibbons@lsil.com
Mr. Mark Evans	P	Quantum Corp.	mark.evans@quantum.com
Mr. Paul D. Aloisi	P	Texas Instruments	Paul_Aloisi@ti.com

8 People Present

Status Key: P - Principal
 A,A# - Alternate
 AV - Advisory Member
 L - Liaison
 V - Visitor

2. Approve agenda

The agenda shown above was used by agreement of the group.

3. Document distribution

Documents are distributed electronically by means of the T10 web site:
www.t10.org.

4. Review minutes of previous meeting

John Lohmeyer noted that the document number for Terry Gibbons proposal was incorrect in the action items. The correct number is 01-033.

Motion Lohmeyer/Ham that the draft minutes as modified be approved from the last meeting. Motion passed without objection.

5. Review old action items

The action items from the last meeting were reviewed and the status is noted in the action items section.

6. Old Business

6.1 Domain Validation Testing Methods (01-033) [Gibbons]

Terry Gibbons reviewed 01-033r2 and made further changes that the group recommended. He planned to send these changes to Ron for inclusion in Rev 5 of SDV.

6.2 SDV working draft review [Roberts]

Ron led the review of the latest document, SDV rev 04.

6.3 Definition of margin fields in mode pages [Ham]

After considerable discussion, four parameters were defined for the driver. Driver asymmetry, Driver pre comp, Driver strength, and slew rate.

No parameters have so far been defined for receiver parameters.

6.4 Definition of values in margin fields [Ham]

After much discussion a list of field value were agreed where the field values indicate absolute conditions (i.e. not depending on previous history) centered around the value of the parameters as shipped by the supplier. This is based on the so-called 2's complement scheme where there are 7 values above the shipped parameter value and 8 values below the shipped parameter value.

Motion Aloisi/Evans that SDV recommend to the parallel SCSI working group that the material in SDV rev 5 contained in subclause 5.3.3.1 be incorporated into subclause 18.1.4.1 and Annex G of SPI-4 rev 3 in place of material presently in place. Bill Ham to do the action item.

Motion passes unanimously.

7. New Business

7.1 Reconciliation with SPI-4

Discussion is ongoing and will be moved to Old Business.

8. Review action items

8.1 Action items from previous meetings

Terry Gibbons to produce a new revision of 01-033 (rev 2) that incorporates the results of discussions in this meeting
Status:

Ron Roberts create rev 04 of SDV before the next meeting that contains the changes agreed at this meeting.
Status: done

8.2 New action items from this meeting

Bill Ham to deliver the recommendation of SDV to change the margin control information presently in SPI-4.

Status: new

Ron and Terry to do another rev of 01-033.

Status: new

Ron to issue the next rev of SDV.

Status: new

9. Next meetings

The next meeting will be on July 16 9 to 5 in Colorado Springs.

The meeting on April 30, 2001 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m in Nashua, NH has been canceled.

No interim meetings are presently planned.

10. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday March 27, 2001.