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Ms. Catherine A. Kachurik
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Dear Cathy:

As you are probably aware the Executive Standards Council approved the accreditation of IT8 at their September 10 meeting. They encouraged IT8 and X3 to develop a liaison relationship. As you know, we have used X3.27 as a model for our color picture exchange standard and we are currently exploring the feasibility of using X3T9.2 as a model for our device exchange format for digital color proofing equipment.

I have corresponded direct with John Lohmeyer of X3T9.2 but thought it would be appropriate to coordinate through you a formal liaison relationship.

Enclosed is an invitation to our November 16 meeting in Chicago. We would be glad to have X3 representatives attend and learn more about our activities. Please call if you require further information and I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,



William K. Smythe
Secretary, IT8 Committee

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Enclosure

cc: Frank Benham
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