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| Minutes of IEEE 802 JTC1 Standing Committee mixed-mode meeting in January 2024 | | |
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Abstract

Minutes of IEEE 802 JTC1 Standing Committee session during the IEEE 802 wireless interim session held in mixed mode in January 2024.

# Minutes of the IEEE 802 JTC1 SC meeting on Tuesday, 16 January 2024

### Order

* Peter Yee, the JTC1 SC chair, called the meeting to order at 4:02 p.m. EST.

### Agenda

* The SC agenda is found in [11-23/2168r01](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/23/11-23-2168-01-0jtc-agenda-for-january-2024-mixed-mode.pptx). The agenda was accepted by unanimous consent and without modification.
* The SC chair showed the meeting slides and did the call for patents. There was no response to the call for patents.
* Everyone was reminded to log attendance in IMAT.

### Minutes

* The minutes ([11-23/1638r02](https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/23/11-23-1638-02-0jtc-minutes-of-mixed-mode-meeting-in-september-2023.docx)) of the November meeting were approved by unanimous consent.

### JTC1 Goals

* Peter summarized the history and overview of the SC.

### Current Status

* There are 49 standards going through the process, for some definition of “going through”.
* Last time we notified SC6 about new projects in IEEE 802 was from July 2023.
* iMeetCentral area was updated in August 2023 and may need to be updated too.

### 802.1

* Comment responses on 60-day pre-ballots of IEEE 802.1AEdk and IEEE 802.1Qcz were approved/sent from November Plenary:
* Still waiting for IEEE 802.1Q FDIS ballot to start. And (now) for IEEE 802.1AEdk and IEEE 802.1Qcz.
* Jodi Haasz (IEEE) will check on the FDIS status.
* It was also noted that the systematic review (SR) for IEEE Std 802.1CB has started; it closes June 2024.

### 802.3

* Based on positive signs during the December SC 6 plenary, IEEE 802.3-Rev may see some motion. If so, then the amendments could start moving as well. This is all dependent on ISO receiving suitable patent declarations.

### 802.11

* IEEE 802.11 standards remain stuck in the IPR issues that were first noted as applying to IEEE 802.11ax, IEEE 802.11ay, and IEEE 802.11ba more than a year and a half ago. Until those are resolved, no further IEEE 802.11 specifications are expected to be able to progress through the PSDO process.
* Several newer IEEE 802.11 specifications are awaiting submission into the PSDO process, but they remain gated by the IPR issues.

### 802.15

* Not having any IPR issues, IEEE 802.15 documents can be sent for approval under the PSDO agreement.
* Also, the ballot on IEEE 802.15.9 passed with a comment (usual comment from China NB). The response is to be reviewed/approved during the January interim.

### 802.19

* There’s nothing in the pipeline for IEEE 802.19.

### 802.21

There’s nothing in the pipeline for IEEE 802.21.

### 802.22

* There’s nothing in the pipeline for IEEE 802.22.

### SC 6

* The previous SC 6 Plenary meeting was 11-15 December 2023 in China.
* Peter presented a liaison report at WG1 and SC6 Plenary meeting in December 2023. This is available as 6N18134.
* The current convenor for JTC 1/SC 6/WG 1, Mr. Zhenhai Huang (China NB), was reconfirmed for another term.
* Continued participation by IEEE 802 participants in the activities of the SC 6 AG 4 (MCS [Modulation and Coding Scheme] Innovation) is a question. The group was a broad scope that is only of limited overlap with IEEE 802 activities. And while IEEE 802.3 sent a liaison explaining the issues they had with one of the MCS reports and their lack of desire to continue interfacing with AG 4, that message does not seem to have been understood.
* After some discussion and wordsmithing, a motion was made by Paul Nikolich (various) and second by David Law (HPE) that read, “Move to recommend to the IEEE 802 Executive Committee that:
  + Any IEEE 802 participants active in AG4 withdraw.
  + Inform AG4 that IEEE 802 is withdrawing via a liaison letter.

This motion passed on a vote of 11/0/0. Peter has the action to inform the EC of the motion, which can be done on the next EC call.

### Action Items

* Peter is to reconfirm the list of IEEE participants in SC 6 and remove those who are no longer interested. Paul Congdon and Andrew Myles will be removed from the list. SC 6 is to be notified of this action.

### Adjournment

* There being no other business before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 4:57 p.m. EST.