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|-----|---------------|---------------------|--|-----------------|-----------|--------|------------|------|--------|---|
| 1 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 3 | 3.2 | 2 | 27 | PRF is already defined in the base standard |
| 22 | Laurent Ouvry | CEA-Leti | laurent.ouvry@cea.fr | +33438789388 | Technical | | 4.4.1 | 4 | 4 | It is unclear why a new PHY in the 2.4GHz band is needed, especially when 15.4f is an amendment to 15.4-2006 where a PHY is already available. |
| 19 | Clint Chaplin | Samsung Electronics | clint.chaplin@gmail.com | +1-408-768-0827 | Editorial | | | 4 | 26 | "Change5.1.3.1 Association" |
| 2 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 5 | 5.1.6.1 | 5 | 33 | Technically this change is unnecessary, since CSMA-CA requires CCA one method of which is ALOHA which says the channel is always clear, (this is how is 4a UWB ALOHA gets allowed). |

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| 3 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 5 | 5.1.6.1 | 5 | 36 | Technically this change is unnecessary, since the CCA ALOHA of the RFD-TX device will always report a clear channel, ie the CSMA-CA won't fail. |
| 4 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 5 | 5.1.6.1 | 5 | 36 | Why mention RFD-RX (an RX only device) in a paragraph about transmission? |
| 5 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 5 | 5.1.6.1 | 5 | 42 | Security procedures are already optional, so no need to say again that they are optional |
| 6 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 6 | 6.2.17.2 | 8 | 1 | In the CalTx_RMARKER_Offset description it says "For the UWB-LRP UWB PHYthe LSB of a time value...", the first "UWB-" not correct. Also there should be a space between "PHY" and "the". |
| 7 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 6 | 6.3.1 | 8 | 25 | Coding parameter, I think was for MSK but as the MSK PHY does not mention coding, I suspect this is not required any more. |
| 8 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 6 | 6.3.1 | 9 | 3 | Table 46 row for "Coding" relates to MSK. However the MSK PHY does not mention coding, so I suspect this is not required any more. |
| 9 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 6 | 6.3.1 | 9 | 3 | Table 46 "Coding" description ends with the sentence "This parameter does not apply to the UWB PHY." but as it is only for MSK PHY, it should not apply to all other PHY. |
| 10 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 6 | 6.3.2 | 10 | 4 | In RangingCounterStart description in Table 47 the hex value should be written beginning with "0x", not just "x". |
| 11 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 8 | 8.1.2 | 12 | 9 | The word PHY should follow "LRP UWB" on this line. |
| 21 | Timothy Harrington | Zebra Technologies | tharrington@zebra.com | 408-309-2503 | Editorial | 8.1.2.6 | Table 68a | 13 | 7 | Incorrect Frequency for channel 1 and 2, the frequenmcies are correct in clauses and sub clauses 17.XXX |
| 12 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 9 | 9.2 | 15 | 4 | 0.815ms should have space between number and units. |

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| 13 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 9 | 9.3 | 15 | 8 | In sentence beginning "For the LRP UWB PHYthe LSB"... Need to add space between "PHY" and "the", and the 2 to power of minus 20 needs to be kept on a single line to make it readable. |
| 14 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 17 | 17.1.2.1 | 23 | 13 | The sentence "These four chips (1 symbol of pulses) of are removed in the PHY before the received pulse (Viterbi) decoding that of the user data" does not read correctly. |
| 15 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 17 | 17.2.1.1 | 24 | 15 | "1MHz" needs space between number and units |
| 16 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 17 | 17.2.1.3 | 25 | 5 | "2MHz" needs space between number and units |
| 17 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 17 | 17.5 | 28 | 10 | "1MHz" needs space between number and units |
| 18 | Billy Verso | DecaWave Limited | billy.verso@decawave.com | +353-87-2337323 | Editorial | 17 | 17.5 | 28 | 11 | "2MHz" needs space between number and units |
| 23 | Laurent Ouvry | CEA-Leti | laurent.ouvry@cea.fr | +33438789388 | Technical | | 17.6.3 | 29 | 5 | The minimum bandwidth of 400 MHz at 10dB is smaller than the 500 MHz band after FCC part 15 rules except part 15.250 which is not applicable to all proposed channels |
| 24 | Laurent Ouvry | CEA-Leti | laurent.ouvry@cea.fr | +33438789388 | Technical | | 17.6.3 | 29 | 7 | The band plan is loose and the effect on other IEEE devices can vary a lot. |

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| 26 | Huan-Bang Li | NICT | lee@nict.go.jp | 81-468475104 | TR | | 17.6.3 | 29 | 7 | In Table 17.10, none of the three PSD masks satisfy Japanese and Korean regulations. The low end frequency of the PSD mask of Band 2 starts from 7121.92 MHz which is out of the regulated PSD mask of 7.25 GHz in Japan and is also out of the range of regulated PSD mask of 7.2 GHz in Korea. Also, the minimum bandwidth of 400 MHz does not satisfy the Japanese and Korean regulation rules. As an international standard, it should be satisfy the regulations of Asian countries such as Japan and Korea. |
| 25 | Laurent Ouvry | CEA-Leti | laurent.ouvry@cea.fr | +33438789388 | Technical | | 17.7 | 30 | 3 | There is no required sensitivity, nor max input power, nor adjacent channel protection requirements |
| 20 | Clint Chaplin | Samsung Electronics | clint.chaplin@gmail.com | +1-408-768-0827 | Editorial | | | 37 | 13 | "E.1.5 Change Management of crystal offsets" |

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| Proposed Change | Must Be Satisfied? (enter Yes or No) | Resolution Status | Resolution Detail |
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| remove line | no | Accepted | Delete PRF acronym |
| Add to the coexistence assurance document more evidences to demonstrate the superiority of the proposed PHY compared to the 15.4-2006 2.4GHz PHY. | Yes | Rejected | Invalid comment. This text has not changed in the last several revisions. The TG4f MSK PHY is proposed as a narrowband unspread PHY which coexists well other other services by operating on one of multiple frequencies chosen to avoid existing IEEE 802 standards. Refer to the TG4f PAR. TG4f was advised by the 802.15 Technical Editor to exclude adding text that would describe the advantages of each PHY for RFID applications. This comment was previously resolved in LB 63 CIDs 202, 274. In addition the 2.4 GHz band MSK PHY is discussed in Annex L. |
| "5.1.3.1 Association" | Yes | Accepted | Delete the word "Change" |
| Remove paragraph | yes | Accepted | Paragraph removed |

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| Remove paragraph | yes | Accepted | Comment refers to wrong paragraph, However, commenter is correct; CCA can't fail for RFD TX device. Paragraph removed |
| Remove "RFD-RX and" | yes | Revised | Paragraph deleted in resolution of previous comment |
| Remove paragraph | yes | Rejected | Security is optional, but processing the frame as described in 7.2.1 isn't. The procedure in 7.2.1 allows for the case of devices in which the security is not implemented, but that is handled in that section. |
| Delete leading "UWB-", and add a space between the words "PHY" and "the". | yes | Accepted | Deleted "UWB" and added space. |
| Delete line | no | Accepted | Line deleted |
| Delete row | no | Accepted | Row Deleted |
| Either delete the sentence or make it more clear. | yes | Revised | Line deleted in resolution of previous comment |
| Change "x00000000" to "0x00000000" | yes | Accepted | Changed "x00000000" to "0x00000000" |
| change "LRP UWB" to "LRP UWB PHY" | yes | Accepted | Added the word "PHY" |
| Change to 6988.8 MHz and 7987.2 MHz respectively | Yes | Accepted | Corrected error |
| Add space between "0.815" and "ms" | no | Accepted | Added space |

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| Add space between "PHY" and "the", make "2 ⁻²⁰ " appear on a single line, by using a non-line-breaking hyphen or some other means. | yes | Revised | Added space; this corrected problem with line break |
| Change to "These four chips (1 symbol of pulses) are removed in the PHY before the received pulse (Viterbi) decoding" | yes | Accepted | Deleted extra words so that sentence reads correctly. |
| change to "1 MHz" | no | Accepted | Added space |
| change to "2 MHz" | no | Accepted | Added space |
| change to "1 MHz" | no | Accepted | Added space |
| change to "2 MHz" | no | Accepted | Added space |
| Add an explanation about the limitations of using a narrower channel than 500 MHz in the different channels and different regional places | Yes | Rejected | The minimum occupancy mask was chosen in order to force there to be some level of compatibility between different implementations, while allowing freedom to optimize signals for different purposes. It is only a minimum occupancy limit, is relative to peak PSD, and does not specify spectral symmetry. Wider bandwidths can comply with both this standard and regional regulatory requirements. In this manner, implementations with different bandwidths and different roll-offs can interact. It is designed to accommodate relevant regulatory requirements while allowing flexibility. (Also see resolution detail to CID 26 below for additional information regarding this topic) |
| Improve the coexistence assurance document with an analysis of the effect on 15.4a devices for all kind of 15.4f transmitter configurations (Bandwidth, channel) | Yes | Rejected | Current coexistence document provides explanation regarding coexistence with 15.4a. Channel specific details are not a factor. 15.4f devices are blink mode devices with short, infrequent, packets. Lower PRF and different modulation from 15.4a provide non-interfering coexistence. The maximum PSD limits of the 15.4f channel masks are matched to the maximum PSD limits of appropriate 15.4a bands. |

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| <p>Make the low end frequency of the PSD mask of Band 2 be higher than 7.25 GHz and the minimum bandwidth being larger 450 MHz.</p> | <p>Yes</p> | <p>Rejected</p> | <p>The PSD masks provide a minimum and a maximum for each of the bands. The bands allow, but do not guarantee, compliance with all national regulatory rules. They provide the ability to design a compliant device that meets all known regulations with regard to frequency. This includes compliance with Korean and Japanese regulations. The mask upper limits correspond to 15.4a bands, while the lower limits guarantee a minimum level of interoperability (see CID 23 response). The upper limits allow for flexibility in choice of bandwidth, while not precluding compliance with Korean or Japanese regulations. The lower bound of band 2 can be utilized for indoor operation in the US, but a device does not have to reach down to that frequency to be fully compliant with the 4f standard. For example, a device may have a PSD lower bound of 7.2 GHz, or 7.25 GHz and still be fully compliant with the draft standard, and Korean or Japanese regulatory requirements.</p> |
| <p>Specify some lower bounds on typical receiver performances</p> | <p>Yes</p> | <p>Rejected</p> | <p>There is no reason to specify receiver performance. Some applications require very low receiver performance. Furthermore, 15.4f is intended for blink mode operation, in which adjacent channel operation is unlikely and is not considered to be interfering. A very wide band receiver capable of detecting blink packets on all three bands simultaneously, with non-optimal performance for each, is well within the scope of the 15.4f vision.</p> |
| <p>"E.1.5 Management of crystal offsets"</p> | <p>Yes</p> | <p>Accepted</p> | <p>Deleted the word "Change".</p> |