Approved by General Counsel

TR-42 Meeting Report

Date(s): 10/03/2016 - 10/03/2016

Location: Philadelphia, PA

Approved: 10/07/2016

<u>MEETING REPORT – OPENING PLENARY</u>

Organization: TIA TR-42 Engineering Committee on Telecommunications Cabling

Systems

Chair: Ray Emplit, Harger Lightning and Grounding, (610) 273-2648

Vice Chair: Greg Sandels, OFS, (770) 798-2036

Date/Time: October 3, 2016, 9:00 – 11:45 AM

Location: DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Philadelphia Center City

237 South Broad St Philadelphia, PA 19107

1 Administration

1.1 Call to order

1.2 The chair, Ray Emplit, called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

Attendees were advised of the Important Notice of Participation

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1.3 Attendance (introductions, electronic roster)

The attendees introduced themselves and registered attendance using the on-line system. This is an informational meeting and quorum is not taken. Attendees:

| Attendee | Company | Attendee | Company | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Franc, Henry | Belden | Dearing, Mark | Leviton | |
| Shuman, Brian | Belden | Diminico, Christopher | MC Communications | |
| Dallmann, Richard | Cablexpress | Woodman, Brad | Molex Inc. | |
| Chambal, Melissa | CNet Training | Larsen, Wayne | Network Solutions | |
| Shariff, Masood | CommScope | Forbes, Diane | NW Information Services | |
| Alley, Chad | Corning | Sexton, Glenn | NW Information Services | |
| Kuniyoshi, Cristina | Furukawa Ind. S.A | Lounsbury, Bob | ODVA | |
| Emplit, Ray | Harger, Inc. | Borgman, Michael | Panduit Corp | |
| Harger, Mark | Harger, Inc. | Vaden, Sterling | Surtec Industries | |
| Stafford, Vicki | Intertek Testing Services | Ehredt, Allen | Telegartner | |

| Jew, Jonathan | J&M Consultants | Valentukonis, David | The Siemon Company |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Chadha, Herminder | JP Morgan Chase | Montgomery, Stephanie | TIA |
| Montstream, Cindy | Legrand | Palangdao, Germaine | TIA |

1.4 Approval of agenda

The meeting agenda (TR42-2016-10-121) was approved with the addition of the opening plenary review from TR-42.11 without objection.

1.4 Intellectual property rights statement (early disclosure policy)

The Chair brought to the attention of the attendees the TIA policy regarding intellectual property rights:

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1.5 Distribution of documents and contributions

The following documents were distributed on the TR-42 FTP site:

| Document # | Title | Company | Contributor |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| 2016-10-121 | TR-42 Opening Plenary Agenda Portland | TR-42 | Emplit |
| 2016-10-123a | TR-42 Opening Plenary Report | TR-42 | Emplit |
| 2016-10-124 | TR-42.1 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.1 | Franc |
| 2016-10-125 | TR-42.3 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.3 | Montstream |
| 2016-10-126 | TR-42.5 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.5 | Forbes |
| 2016-10-127 | TR-42.6 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.6 | Jew |
| 2016-10-128 | TR-42.7 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.7 | Larsen |
| 2016-10-129 | TR-42.9 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.9 | Lounsbury |
| 2016-10-130 | TR-42.10 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.10 | Sexton |
| 2016-10-131 | TR-42.11 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.11 | Kolesar |
| 2016-10-134 | TR-42.16 Opening Plenary Preview | TR-42.16 | Harger |
| 2016-10-135 | IEEE 802.3 Liaison Report | IEEE 802.3 | DiMinico |
| 2016-10-136 | ISO IEC JTC1 SC25 WG3 Liaison Report | US TAG | Hess |
| 2016-10-140 | BICSI Liaison Report | BICSI | Silviera |
| 2016-10-141 | ODVA Liaison Report | ODVA | Lounsbury |
| 2016-10-143 | Shariff NFPA Update 2016-09-22 | CommScope | Shariff |

1.6 Chair's report and general items

The Chair presented the Opening Plenary Report (TR42-2016-10-123a).

2 Subcommittee work items this week

2.1 TR-42.1 – Generic Telecommunications Cabling and Premises Cabling

Henry Franc presented TR42-2016-10-124.

2.2 TR-42.3 – Telecommunications Pathways and Spaces

Cindy Montstream presented TR42-2016-10-125.

2.3 TR-42.5 – Telecommunications Infrastructure Terms and Symbols

Diane Forbes presented TR42-2016-10-126.

2.4 TR-42.6 – Telecommunications Infrastructure and Equipment Administration

Jonathan Jew presented TR42-2016-10-127.

2.5 TR-42.7 – Telecommunications Copper Cabling Systems

Wayne Larsen presented TR42-2016-10-128.

2.6 TR-42.9 – Industrial Telecommunications Infrastructure

Bob Lounsbury presented TR42-2016-10-129.

2.7 TR-42.10 - Sustainable Information Communications Technology

Glenn Sexton presented TR42-2016-10-130.

2.8 TR-42.11 - Optical Fiber Systems

Ray Emplit presented TR42-2016-10-131 on behalf of Paul Kolesar.

2.9 TR-42.16 – Premises Bonding and Grounding

Mark Harger presented TR42-2016-10-134

3 Liaison letters and reports

3.1 Incoming liaison letters

3.1.1 IEEE 802.3 re enhanced return loss for array plugs and receptacles for singlemode application

The committee reviewed 2016-10-111 Incoming Liaison from IEEE 802.3 re Enhanced Return Loss for Array Plugs and Receptacles for Single-Mode Applications. No action is required.

3.1.2 IEEE 802.3 re power delivery over communications cabling

The committee reviewed 2016-10-112 Incoming Liaison from IEEE 802.3 re Power Delivery over Communications Cabling, to be addressed by TR-42.7.

3.1.3 Other incoming liaison letters

The committee reviewed the IEEE Liaison to ISO/IEC JTC 1 SC 25 WG 3 regarding single-pair cabling that is similar to the one that was sent to TR-42. The IEEE Liaison to TR-42 regarding single-pair cabling was posted after the meeting as 2016-10-114. It will be addressed by TR-42.7 and TR-42.9. TR-42.9 was requested to develop a response to the liaison.

A TR-42 single-pair cabling task group was established with the chairs of TR-42.1, TR-42.7 and TR-42.9 as co-chairs. The co-chairs were requested to establish a date for the first conference call before closing plenary.

3.2 Liaison reports

3.2.1 IEEE 802.3

Chris DiMinico presented 2016-10-135, the IEEE 802.3 report. No action is required.

3.2.2 ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 25/WG 3 (US TAG)

Jonathan Jew presented TR42-2016-10-136, the WG 3 report, on behalf of Dave Hess. No action is required.

3.2.3 ODVA

Bob Lounsbury presented TR42-2016-10-141, the ODVA Report ODVA Report. No action is required.

3.2.4 BICSI

Ray Emplit presented TR42-2016-10-140, the BICSI report on behalf of Jeff Silviera. No action is required.

3.2.5 NFPA - remote powering and 2017 National Electrical Code®

Masood Shariff presented 2016-10-143 – Clarification of 2017 NEC NFPA 70 articles related to remote power delivery over communications cabling.

Masood Shariff will draft a liaison to NFPA for consideration during the closing plenary.

3.2.6 TIA

Germaine Palangdao provided an oral TIA report regarding the TIA Data Center workshop in 10 Days. TR-42 members may attend the workshop at no cost.

Germaine Palangdao announced that Glenn Sexton will be receiving an ANSI Meritorious Service Award. There will be a reception on Wednesday evening.

4 New business and output documents

4.1 Output documents to be reviewed at the closing plenary

This topic was deferred to the closing plenary.

4.2 Other

There was no other new business.

4.3 Action items derived from this meeting

- TR-42.9 will develop a response to the IEEE 802.3 single-pair cabling liaison letter for consideration during the closing plenary.
- The chairs of TR-42.1, TR-42.7, and TR-42.9 will establish a date for the first conference call before closing plenary for the single-pair cabling task group.
- Masood Shariff will draft a liaison to NFPA for consideration during the closing plenary

5 Upcoming meetings

5.1 February 6 – 10, 2017: Philadelphia, PA

5.2 Subsequent meetings

- June 12 16, 2017 (date and location firm): Quebec
- September 18 22, 2017: Las Vegas
- 2018 meeting schedule to be discussed at closing plenary

6 Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:40 AM.

This meeting was conducted in accordance with the TIA Legal Guidelines and the engineering procedures.

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Questions and comments on this agenda should be submitted to:

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