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          Approval and Maintenance Process

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             Resolution 5

Subject: U.S. Comments

The U. S. National Body submits the following comments on SGFS N601 (SGFS Procedures). These comments are in addition to our comments on SGFS N590 and SGFS N603: comments on both of those documents also request changes to SGFS N601.

1. Clause 1: ITTF is defined twice in the Abbreviations.

2. Clause 3.5: Change "TR 1000-2" to "TR 10000-2", penultimate line. Also provide the SD number for the Directory (SD-4).

3. Clause 4.2 a) 5): Delete extraneous "or" (sixth word).

4. According to SGFS N626, Resolution 3, PDISP Explanatory Reports and Review Reports shall consider whether ISO/IEC and CCITT documents specify aligned or similar text. To address this Resolution, we propose the following changes to N601:

   a. Clause 4.2 b) 1): add new sentence

   "When an ISP specifies ISO/IEC International Standards and/or CCITT Recommendations which contain aligned or identical text, both the ISO/IEC International Standard and the CCITT Recommendation shall be referenced in the ISP."

   b. Clause 5.3: add new sentence

   "If an ISP specifies ISO/IEC International Standards and/or CCITT Recommendations which contain aligned or identical text, ensure that both the ISO/IEC International Standard and the CCITT Recommendation are referenced in the ISP."

5. In response to the questions raised in SGFS N612, we request

   a. addition of a new item in Clause 4.2, after item b) and just before item c), as follows:

   "_) Registration requirements

      1) A list of ISO, IEC, and ISO/IEC registration references, including their numbers, dates, and titles.

      2) A list of any new registration requirements or procedures required.

      3) A list of any national or regional registration requirements, including their numbers, dates, and titles, together with a statement as to why these are required. These references should be informative, not normative."

   b. add to Clause 5.2, as the third item in the list of review pool members:

   "SWG/RA if registration is included in the PDISP,"

   c. modify the end of Clause 5.3, subitem c), as follows:

   "... base standards, including conformance aspects, *and any registration requirements.*"

6. To align with WDTR 10000-1.3 (SGFS N442), Clauses 6.1.2 (Normative References) and 6.1.3 (Informative References), replace the final sentence of N601 Clause 5.3 d) with:

   "Specific attention should be paid to ensuring that these references are only informative, not normative. Any violations shall be noted in the Review Report."