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Mr. Peter J.J. Bessems  
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Dear Mr. Bessems:

Subject: SGFS Scope

In accordance with Resolution 31 of the JTC 1 Plenary Meeting in Berlin, 23-26 March 1993 (Reference Document JTC 1 N 2475), JTC 1 accepts the modified scope for JTC 1/SGFS given in Document JTC 1 N 2027 and the modifications as stated in Document JTC 1 N 2464.

For ease of reference, the complete text is shown as the attachment to this document.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Frances E. Schrotter'.

Frances E. Schrotter  
Secretariat, ISO/IEC JTC 1

cc: M.A. Lawler, Chairman JTC 1  
Mr. L. Visser, Chairman SGFS

TITLE: INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - SPECIAL GROUP ON FUNCTIONAL  
STANDARDIZATION

SCOPE

Functional Standardization in the field of Information Technology through the development, maintenance and application of procedures and management tools, including:

1. definition of functional standardization and functional standard;
2. development of a catalogue of functional standards with appropriate classification (known as the "Taxonomy");
3. definition of a methodology for achieving functional standardization;
4. preparation of International Standardization Profiles (ISPs) in accordance with user requirements. (An ISP is defined as 'An internationally harmonized document which identifies a group of standards, together with options and parameters, necessary to accomplish a function or set of function');
5. development of a set of operating procedures and assessment of resources;
6. execution of the review of proposed draft functional standards;
7. consideration of the requirements of functional standards on conformance and maintenance;
8. development of expeditions approval process.

Excluded from the scope of the SGFS are:

- a) standardization of base standards referenced in functional standards
- b) standardization of test suites for base standards in a) above

The area of functional standardization includes that of the domain of Open Systems Interconnection (OSI) and that of the development of Application Environment Profiles (AEPs) within the Open Systems Environment (OSE).