

## 中国国家成员体的方案建议

### **To Mr. Ho-in Jeon:**

In the afternoon of August 30, 2005, representatives of Chinese National Body held a meeting with IEEE representatives and discussed the possibility of having a joint working team to harmonize the two proposals so that they can both be adopted into the international standard through consensus. Unfortunately no consensus was achieved during the meeting. Attached are the plan proposed by the Chinese delegation and some explanations. Thank you for your efforts.

### **Action plan proposed by Chinese National Body on August 30, 2005**

Due to the fact that WAPI and 11i proposal processing have experienced long delays and considering that the international community is in urgent need for advanced security solutions in WLAN, Chinese National Body propose the following action plan to resolve the conflict between WAPI and 11i proposals:

1. WAPI and 11i proposals will restart 5 month independent balloting as authorized by the Geneva Resolution.
2. It is agreed that the proposals are not mutually exclusive and may both be adopted and reside within 8802.11 standards as alternative security solutions.
3. In order to speed up the comment resolution process, during the balloting process, a special working team (SWT) is organized to start working on reconciling the differences between the two proposals. The work will focus on editing the amendments to achieve coherence and consistency between the two proposals and to make them both fit with the base standard. There will be no structural changes and the integrity of each proposal will be preserved. The work of SWT should be completed before the end of 5 month balloting and SWT would present the results to the resolution meeting.
4. If both proposals are adopted and no agreement is reached by the special working team, both proposals should proceed to publishing as IS.
5. If WAPI and 11i are adopted into IS, IEEE shall follow the reciprocal principle and start a process to readopt the new IS into 802 standards to prevent misalignment of ISO/IEC and IEEE standards.
6. If this plan is adopted, a document should be drafted to explain to National Bodies the importance and urgency for such an arrangement, so that this plan will have the understanding and support of National Bodies.

## **Explanation**

1. This plan is based on the belief that the international community has various needs and requirements and alternative solutions should be available to them.

2. WLAN has security problems and it is a responsible behavior to make advanced and reliable security amendments available to the international community.

3. This is a double track approach to have the editing work and balloting progressing simultaneously.

4. The editing work is to make the two amendments if adopted to fit into the base standard and to make them coherent and consistent.

5. The editing work usually starts after resolution meetings. This plan would start this editing process earlier so that it is done earlier than normal procedure to provide timely solutions.

6. The results is an editorial report which contains a list of changes proposed and made.

7. Potential discrepancies identified by comments produced in the ballot period could have been resolved in this editing process.

8. If there are other unresolved issues from the comments in ballot period, they should be resolved during the ballot resolution meetings.