

**IEEE P802.11
Wireless LANs**

802.11 maintenance PAR as pre-submitted to NesCom

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**IEEE Standards Board:
Project Authorization Request
(PAR) Form**

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1. Sponsor Date of Request:
1997-10-23

2. Assigned Project Number:
802.11

3. PAR Approval Date:

4. Project Title, Copyright Agreement, and Working Group for this Project

I will write/revise a Standards Publication with the following TITLE: **STANDARD [FOR] STANDARD for Information Technology-Telecommunications and information exchange between systems-Local and Metropolitan networks-Specific requirements-Part 11: Wireless LAN Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) specifications**

I hereby acknowledge my appointment as Official Reporter (usually the W.G. Chair) to the **IEEE P802.11, Working Group for Wireless LANs**

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</P>5. Describe This Project:

- I. Update an existing PAR Yes ☒ No
(Indicate PAR Number/Approval Date.)
Is this project in ballot now? Yes No
- II. NEW STANDARD
☒ REVISION of an existing standard. (Indicate Standard Number and Year): **IEEE Std 802.11-1997**
SUPPLEMENT to an existing standard (Indicate Standard Number and Year):
- III. ☒ FULL USE (5-year life cycle)
TRIAL USE (2-year life cycle)
- IV. TARGET COMPLETION DATE for submittal to IEEE Standards Review Committee (REVCOM):
June 1998

</P>6. Scope of Proposed Project: To rectify a number of errors in the current standard and changes input from the JTC1 review to result in a single JTC1/IEEE standard

7. Purpose of Proposed Project: To correct the numerous errors resulting from the review of an interpretation request to the current standard and from JTC1 review

8. Sponsor: Computer Society

Society/Committee: **Computer Society/LMSC**

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* *(a.1) Are you aware of any patents relevant to this project? Yes (Attach Expl.)
☒ No

* *(a.2) Are you aware of any copyrights relevant to this project? Yes (Attach Expl.)
☒ No

* *(a.3) Are you aware of any trademarks relevant to this project? Yes (Attach Expl.)
☒ No

- * ***(b)** Are you aware of any other standards or projects with a similar scope? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
- * ***(c)** Is this standard intended to form the basis of an international project? **X** Yes
No (Attach Expl.)
Do not know
- * ***(d)** Is this project intended to focus on health, safety or environmental issues? Yes (Attach Expl.)
X No
Do not know

10. Proposed Coordination/Recommended Method of Coordination

I. Mandatory Coordination

SCC 10 (IEEE Dictionary) and IEEE Staff Editorial Review by Circulation of Drafts
SCC 14 (Quantities, Units and Letter symbols) by Circulation of Drafts

II. IEEE Coordination requested by Sponsor: *

COORDINATION

US TAG for JTC1/SC6/WG1

METHOD OF COORDINATION

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• Additional Coordination Requested by Others:

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