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Document Status:	<p>As per JTC 1 Hawaii resolution 17, JTC 1 introduces the category of 'Stabilized Standards'. A stabilized standard is one that has ongoing validity and effectiveness but is mature and insofar as can be determined will not require further maintenance of any sort. While a standard is in stabilized status it will no longer be subject to periodic maintenance but will be retained to provide for the continued viability of existing products or servicing of equipment that is expected to have a long working life.</p> <p>JTC 1 adopts the proposal on Stabilized Standards as outlined in document JTC 1 N 6604, JTC 1 Stabilized Standards Process, and requests that the procedures for this new category of standards be consolidated into the revised JTC 1 Directives that are presently being undertaken.</p> <p>JTC 1 suggests to ISO and IEC that they examine JTC 1's experience with stabilized standards after an appropriate period of time to determine the wider applicability of this classification of standard.</p> <p>Noting the applicability of stabilized status to many OSI standards, JTC 1 encourages the OSI Maintenance Rapporteur to submit appropriate OSI standards for stabilized status.</p>
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