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| US |  | Latin Extended-D | T.1. | We reiterate that this character is unnecessary and is a damaging duplication for the standard and should be removed from the amendment. The change of name to “GLOTTAL DOT” only introduced additional problems, for it specifically mentions the function of the character, and opens the door for potential future requests for "non-glottal" middle dot letters as well.  Justification for the request to remove this character is contained in N3678 (L2/09‐278). A viable alternative to encoding a separate letter middle dot, for the purposes cited by the original proposal, would be to use the already encoded modifier letter, U+02D1 MODIFIER LETTER HALF TRIANGULAR COLON. | The U.S. objects to the renaming of LATIN LETTER MIDDLE DOT from the original amendment to U+A78F LATIN LETTER GLOTTAL DOT, as it is a middle dot, and requests the removal of this character. |  |
| US |  | Batak | T.2. | The evidence provided in N3320 does not demonstrate these marks to be characters, but rather to be graphic page elements that do not behave at all as characters.  Compare the following two figures from N3320.  U+ 1BFA BATAK SYMBOL BINDU GODANG in figure 11:  U+1BFB BATAK SYMBOL BINDU PINARJOLM in figure 13 :  In the above examples, it is clear that the symbols are large ornaments, with text wrapping underneath them. In our assessment such elements should be represented by images, textual markup, or other mechanisms rather than being encoded as single characters. | The U.S. requests the removal of the following two characters:  1BFA BATAK SYMBOL BINDU GODANG  1BFB BATAK SYMBOL BINDU PINARJOLM |  |
| US |  | Optical Character Recognition | T.3 | The names for U+2448 and U+2449 are Magnetic Ink Character Recognition (MICR) symbols used by banks on checks. The two characters U+2448 and U+2449 originally encoded in 10646-1:1993 were inadvertently mixed up; as a result their current names are misleading about their identity. The formal aliases provide the correct names. Additional corroboration is provided on the following websites: http://www.barcodesoft.com/e13bmapping.htm http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Magnetic\_ink\_character\_recognition  http://www.printerm.com/fonts2C.htm http://mindprod.com/jgloss/micr.html | The U.S. asks two formal name aliases be added as listed below:  a. U+2448 OCR DASH  Add the following formal alias: 2448 MICR ON US SYMBOL  b. U+2449 OCR CUSTOMER ACCOUNT NUMBER  Add the following formal alias: 2449 MICR DASH SYMBOL |  |
| US |  | NUSI.txt | T.4 | Adding named sequences for 2 symbols from ISO/IEC 9995-7 is premature, pending a complete analysis of the encoding requirements for the repertoire of symbols from that keyboard standard. | The U.S. requests the removal of the following two named sequences, as requested in N3897:  U+21F3 U+20E2 KEYBOARD SYMBOL SCROLLING  U+2139 U+20E2 KEYBOARD SYMBOL HELP |  |
| US |  | CJK Fonts | E.1. | (see Proposed Change) | The U.S. is aware of a large number of glyph errors in Extension B fonts that have been discovered in the course of IRG and national body review. These glyph errors must be fixed before publication of the third edition. |  |
| US |  | Arrows | E.2. | The proposed glyph changes, as proposed in N3987, need further review, as part of the full analysis of the encoding requirements for the repertoire of symbols from the ISO 9995-7 keyboard standard | The U.S. requests the glyph changes for U+21E6 - U+21F0 and U+21F3 in the Arrows block, as included in the current ballot, be reverted. While the U.S. is open to improvements to glyphs, the new glyphs are out of sync with the set of arrows at U+2B00-U+2B04 in the Miscellaneous Symbols and Arrows block. |  |
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