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ACTION REQUESTED

Date:   April 9, 1998
Project:  396-D

NCITS/L2 Rec. to JTC 1 TAG Administrator:   April 23, 1998
U.S. Vote to ANSI:   May 5, 1998
JTC 1 Closing Date:   May  5, 1998

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To:   NCITS/L2 Chairman:  A. Winkler (Email)
       NCITS/L2 Intl. Representative:  M. Suignard (Email)

From:  Barbara Bennett, for the JTC 1 TAG Administrator

Subject:   Advance Transmittal of ISO/IEC 10646-1:1993/FDAM 12:
Information technology - Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS) - Part 1: Architecture and Basic Multilingual Plane AMENDMENT 12: Cherokee

The subject FDAM is attached for action and information as indicated. This document is distributed for ISO/IEC JTC 1 final letter ballot. The U.S. TAG is required to recommend a vote for the National Body.

ATTENTION NCITS/L2
The NCITS/L2 committee is to coordinate and develop the U.S. recommended position to the JTC 1 TAG for approval for submission to ISO/IEC JTC 1. The position must be submitted in a format consistent with the guidelines specified by the JTC 1 Secretariat in JTC 1 N 3413.

The position options are: approve; approve with editorial comments; or disapprove for technical reasons which are to be explained in an attached paper with recommended wording which, if accepted, would change the U.S. vote to one of approval.

The committee should return the U.S. recommendation to the JTC 1 TAG Administrator as soon as possible but no later than April 23, 1998 so that it may be submitted to the JTC 1 TAG for approval by letter ballot and to ANSI by the JTC 1 closing date of May 5, 1998.

ACTION REQUIRED BY JTC 1 TAG

JTC 1 TAG members are required to begin reviewing the attachment to this transmittal in preparation for expeditiously determining their vote when the U.S. TAG recommendation is submitted to JTC 1 TAG for approval. JTC 1 TAG members noting objections are urged to forward their comments via email to the NCITS/L2 Chairman immediately but no later April 20, 1998. The address is: arnold.winkler@unisys.com (Mr. Arnold Winkler, Unisys Corporation, M/S/ B-254, 2450 Swedesford Road, Paoli, PA 19301).

Please retain the FDAM for reference during the upcoming JTC 1 TAG 30-day ballot period.