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Summary of Voting on SC 2 N 3333

	Approve	Approve with Comments	Disapprove	Abstain	Comment
P-member					
Armenia					
Australia				X	
Austria					
Belgium	X				
Brazil				X	
Canada	X				
China	X				
Denmark	X				
Egypt	X				
Finland	X				
France	X				
Germany	X				
Greece	X				
Iceland					
India					
Iran					
Ireland					
Israel		X			Attachment 1
Italy	X				
Japan	X				
Korea Rep. of	X				
Morocco					
Netherlands		X			Attachment 2
Norway				X	
Poland			X		Attachment 3
Romania	X				
Russian Federation					
Singapore					
Slovenia					
Sweden		X			Attachment 4
Thailand		X			Attachment 5
Tunisia				X	
Turkey					
UK	X				
USA			X		Attachment 6
Viet Nam					
Yugoslavia					
	14	4	2	4	
Total	18		2	4	
O-Member					
Portugal	1				

## **Attachment 1 - Israel**

Israel votes YES provided that the relevant (\*) national body also approves this draft - otherwise our vote is ABSTAIN.

(\*) relevant national body = the national body for which this character collection describes its national language.

## **Attachment 2 - Netherlands**

The following changes should be applied to the text:

Page 1, Scope, paragraph starting with "This part of ..."  
Insert after 10367: "or from the appropriate registration".

Page 7. last line: change xxx to 166.

## **Attachment 3 - Poland**

Reasons for disapproval of  
ISO/IEC FDC 8859-11  
8-bit single-byte coded graphic character sets  
Part 11: Latin/Thai alphabet

The clause on page 1 (inherited from the earlier parts of the standard)

This part of ISO/IEC 8859 may not be used in conjunction with any other of ISO/IEC 8859. If coded characters from more than one part are to be used together, by means of code extension techniques, the equivalent coded character sets from ISO/IEC 10367 should be used instead within a version of ISO/IEC 4873 at level 2 or level 3.

no longer makes sense, because the ISO/IEC 8859 standard family contains now characters not included ISO/IEC 10367 (e. g. Thai).

## **Attachment 4 - Sweden**

Swedish comment to SC 2 N 3333 on FCD 8859-11

The Swedish NB is of the opinion that the rules for using the Thai combining characters shall be included in the standard. (ISO/IEC 2022: "A standard that defines a character set should specify which characters, if any, are combining characters, and how they may be used, since a registration does not require such details to be stated.")

**TISI, THAILAND**  
**Comments on ISO/IEC FCD 8859-11(E)**

**1. Table 1**

1) Bit combination 12/15

"THAI CHARACTER PAI YAN NOI" should be replaced by  
"THAI CHARACTER PAIYAN NOI"

2) Bit combination 14/05

"THAI CHARACTER LAK KHANG YAO" should be replaced by  
"THAI CHARACTER LAKKHANG YAO"

3) Bit combination 14/07

"THAI CHARACTER MAI TAI KHU" should be replaced by  
"THAI CHARACTER MAI TAIKHU"

**2. Table 2**

The font in bit combination 15/15 , i.e. " © " should be replaced by "© ".

**3. Clause 7.1**

At line 19, "xx/xx" should be replaced by "05/04" for both positions.

**4. Clause 7.3**

At the last line, "xxx" should be replaced by "166".

## **Attachment 6 - USA**

August 27, 1999

**Ballot:** FCD letter ballot for ISO 8859-11 - Latin/Thai  
**Document:** N3333

### **The U.S. votes to disapprove the FCD 8859-11**

#### **Comments:**

1. With the approval of ISO/IEC 10646, the US sees no need for more international standards for 8-bit coded character sets for character already included in 10646.
2. The names in 8859-11 must match the names from 10646-1 exactly. ISO/IEC 8859 parts derive their character names now by normative reference to 10646-1 (see clause 5.3). In addition, please remove the extraneous spaces introduced in the names for the characters at CE, CF, E3, E4, E5, E6, and E7.
3. There is an error in the generation of Table 1 that shows 10646 code points associated with unassigned characters in 8859-1 [did Ken mean 8859-1 or 8859-11?] at code positions DB..DE, and FC..FF. These entries must be removed.
4. The Bibliography in the informative Annex B should reference TIS 620-2533 since 8859-11 is clearly based on TIS 620-2533.