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## **1. Opening of Meeting**

The 14th Plenary Meeting of ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 2 was held in Mountain View, CA, USA on 27th April 2006. Mr. Tatsuo Kobayashi, Chairman of SC 2, opened the meeting at 15:30 p.m.

## **2. Roll call of delegates**

The meeting had 18 participants from the following National Bodies and Liaison organization: Canada, Finland, Ireland, Japan, Republic of Korea, Poland, UK (by proxy granted to Ireland), USA, and the Unicode Consortium. Attendance list is attached to document SC 2 N 3865.

## **3. Remarks by host**

The US NB and the Unicode Consortium welcomed the participants.

## **4. Adoption of Agenda**

The 2nd draft agenda in document N 3855 was adopted with the following additional documents:

Item 13.1 d)	SC 2 N 3857	SC 35 Liaison Report
Item 13.2 b)	SC 2 N 3863	IETF Liaison Report
Item 13.2 d)	SC 2 N 3858	Liaison Statement from ITU-T/SG 16

## **5. Appointment of Drafting Committee**

Mr. Mike Ksar, Dr. Uma Umamaheswaran, Mr. Yasuhiro Anan, Mr. Erkki Kolehmainen and Ms. Toshiko Kimura were appointed as the drafting committee members.

## **6. Results from the 13th SC 2 Plenary Meeting (Document: N3755, N3781)**

Regarding Resolution M13-03a and 13b, the Secretary reported that the request for free availability of ISO/IEC 10646 and ISO/IEC 14651 was approved by JTC 1 and has been distributed to ISO and IEC for consideration..

## **7. Review of Secretariat Report (Document: N3838)**

The Secretary reported the following membership changes since the last plenary:

O to P: Indonesia (2005-07), UK (2005-12)

P to O: Israel (2004-09), Slovenia (2006-03)

P to non members: Austria (2005-12), Denmark (2006-01)

## **8. Reports and Review of JTC 1 Activities Affecting SC 2**

The Chairman reviewed the resolutions of JTC 1 Berlin and Banff plenary meetings.

### **JTC 1 Berlin Plenary Meeting -- Document: N 3767 (2004-11)**

- Resolution 5 - Scope of SC 2 -- Approved.
- Resolution 11 - Appointment/Re-appointment of Officers  
Mr. Kobayashi was appointed as SC 2 Chairman.

### **JTC 1 Banff Plenary Meeting Document N3824 (2005-11)**

- Resolution 6 – Request to ITTF for Status Information on Documents Submitted for Processing

It was pointed out that the US National Body contribution (JTC 1 N 7941) requesting improvement of ITTF process including the PDF version issue has not yet been accommodated and therefore be submitted via SC 2 to JTC 1 again. (This was not resulted in any Resolution. The SC 2 Secretariat will follow-up on this as action item.)

- **Resolution 13 - Ad Hoc Group on IT Vocabulary (ISO/IEC 2382)**  
Mr. Kolehmainen represented SC 2 at this ad hoc group meeting held in Zurich, 2006-03. His report is contained in document SC 2 N 3853. After discussion, in view of users' needs of SC 2 standards, it was decided to publish multilingual vocabulary of SC 2 standards on the WG 2 website (with link to SC 2 website). National Bodies are asked to provide WG 2 with their translation of SC 2 vocabulary. The JTC 1 ad hoc group on ISO/IEC 2382 is free to use the information on the website (Resolution M14-02).
- **Resolution 14 – Alignment of the JTC 1 Directives with the ISO/IEC Directives**
- **Resolution 15 – Establishment of a JTC 1 Special Working Group on the Directives (SWG - Directives)**
- **Resolution 16 – Revision of Annex N to the JTC 1 Directives, Edition 5 (N3827), N3841: ARO Overview of Unicode)**  
Document N 3841 was approved for submittal to JTC 1 (Resolution M14-01).
- **Resolution 17 – Revision of Clause 4.6 and Annex H to the JTC 1 Directives, Edition 5 - Responsibility of Keeping Records**  
SC 2 adopted Resolution M14-03 for sending to JTC 1 as feedback to Recommendation 1 of the SWG-Directives meeting in document JTC 1 N 3845.

### **9. Report and Recommendations of Editing Group on 14651**

Mr. Alain LaBonté, Project Editor, of ISO/IEC 14651, presented document SC 2 N 3813 and N 3809. Based on the recommendations of Editing Group, SC 2 approved the following:

- Change the name of Editing group to OWG-SORT (Resolution M14-04)
- Progression of FPDAM 3 of ISO/IEC 14651 to FDAM (Resolution M14-06)
- Revision of ISO/IEC 14651: 2001 (Resolution M14-07)

### **10. Report and Recommendations of WG 2**

Document: N 3840, N 3784, N 3815, N 3820

Mr. Mike Ksar, Convener of WG 2, reported the activities of WG 2 since the last plenary. Based on the recommendations of WG 2, SC 2 approved the following.

- 2nd PDAM ballot of Amendment 3 and updated target dates (Resolution M14-05)
- WG 2 response to Liaison statement form ITU-T/SG 17 (Resolution M14-10)
- Re-appointment of Dr. LuQin as IRG Rapporteur (Resolution M14-15)
- Establishment of Category C liaison with UC Berkeley (Resolution M14-11)

#### **10.1 Report of Ideographic Rapporteur Group**

The summary report of IRG meetings since the last SC 2 plenary is contained in SC 2 N 3854.

### **11. Report of the Registration Authority**

IPSJ/ITSCJ, Registration Authority of ISO/IEC 2375, presented Document N3849.

#### **11.1 Appointment of RA Joint Advisory Committee members**

All of the RA-JAC members were re-appointed. (Resolution M14-19)

### **12. Activity Reports from National Bodies**

Japan reported that it is now revising JIS X 0221 (translation of ISO/IEC 10646-1:2001) to synchronize with ISO/IEC 10646: 2003.

### **13. Reports and Review of Liaison Activities**

#### **13.1 Liaisons within ISO/IEC**

- a) ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 22 - No report.
- b) ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 31 - No report.
- c) ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 32 - No report.
- d) ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 35

Mr. Alain LaBonté, Liaison officer to SC 35, presented document SC 2 N 3857. His report includes the status of Project for IS 24757: "Keyboard Interaction model -- Machine-readable keyboard description" (using ISO/IEC 10646 identifiers for characters, in particular)..

- e) ISO/TC 37/SC 2 - No report.
- f) ISO/TC 46/SC 4 - No report.
- g) ISO/TC 211 - No report.

#### **13.2 External Liaisons**

- a) Unicode Consortium

The report of the Unicode Consortium was distributed as SC 2 N 3868 after the meeting.

- b) ISOC/IETF

Mr. Michel Suignard, liaison officer to IETF, presented document SC 2 N 3863. His report covered the status of IRI (Internationalized Resource Identifiers), IDNA (International Domain Name), and EAI (Email Address Internationalization).

- c) W3C - No report.
- d) ITU-T

Liaison statement from ITU-T SG 16 contained in SC 2 N 3858 was reviewed. SC 2 appointed Mr. Mike Ksar as its representative to ITU-T. Also, SC 2 adopted document N 3864 as its response to both SG 16 and SG 17 (Resolution M14-10).

#### **13.3 Proposal for Establishment of Liaison**

- a) ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC 34

To monitor the activities of SC 34, establishment of a formal liaison with SC 34 was decided. Dr. Asmus Freytag was appointed as SC 2 representative to SC 34 (Resolution M14-13).

- b) UC Berkeley

As per Recommendation of WG 2, document N 3848 containing the request for establishment of Category C liaison with UC Berkeley was approved.

#### **13.4 Confirmation/Appointment of Liaison Officers**

### **14 Recommendation for JTC 1 Periodical Review**

#### **14.1 Review of SC 2 Stabilized Standards**

Document: N 3838

No change in the current stabilized standards.

#### **14.2 Recommendation for 2007 and 2008 JTC 1 Review**

Document: N 3839

The recommendations of SC 2 for 2007 and 2008 JTC 1 five years review were adopted as Resolution M14-08.

### **15 Appointment of Conveners, Rapporteur and Project Editors**

Mr. Alain LaBonté was appointed as the Convener of OWG-SORT through the next SC 2 plenary (Resolution M14-14).

Dr. LuQin was re-appointed as the IRG Rapporteur through the next SC 2 plenary (Resolution M14-15).

### **15.2 Project Editors/Contributing Editors**

Project editors and contributing editors were confirmed as in Resolution M14-16 and M14-17.

### **16 SC 2 Web Site Review**

There was no comment on this subject.

### **17. Review and Development of SC 2 Business Plan for 2006/2007**

Document:N 3818

The chairman asked NBs to provide him with any update/input for preparing the SC 2 business plan for 2006/2007 to be submitted to the JTC 1 plenary to be held November 2006.

### **18 Subsequent Meetings**

The subsequent meetings of SC 2 Plenary, OWG-SORT, WG 2 and IRG were planned and adopted as Resolution M14-19

### **19 Any Other Business**

There was no other business.

### **20 Approval of Resolutions**

All the resolutions were adopted unanimously.

### **21 Closure of the Meeting**

The meeting was adjourned at 19:00 p.m. on 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2006.