

1 **Meeting Minutes**
2 **PWG MFD Working Group Teleconference**
3 **November 8, 2007**

4 **Attendees:**
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- 8 ■ Due to the disk storage problem with the PWG email server, many people did not receive the
9 minutes distribution. The meeting proceeded without accepting the meeting minutes from Oct.
10 11, 2007.
 - 11 ■ Confirmation of the removal of “Retrieve Scan Document” Service Interface in the last telecon:
 - 12 ○ In the last teleconference we decided to remove all interfaces to the local scan document
13 repository including Retrieve and Delete scan document. What if a remote scan user still
14 need to retrieve the scan document from his desktop after the scan job is completed ?
 - 15 ○ We confirmed again that the Scan Service will always push scan document out to some
16 separate, independent document repository (local or remote). When there is a need to
17 support a remote user at a computer to retrieve a completed scan document, the scan
18 destination must be one of the followings so that the Scan Service can automatically push
19 the scan document out to the repository:
 - 20 1. a shared document repository between the remote Scan Client and the Scan Service,
 - 21 2. a separate, independent document repository co-located with the Scan Service.
 - 22 3. a storage location on the Scan Client.
 - 23 ○ For securely storing scan documents, a user must provide authentication information at
24 the MFD local UI in order for the Scan Service to operate in the user’s security context so
25 that the document can be created in the Document repository under the user’s ownership,
26 with the access rights of the end user. It is conceivable that the local document repository
27 can also provide interface to local UI so that walk-up user can retrieve scan document
28 from local repository via local pipe between the Scan service and local repository using
29 the user’s security context. The Scan Service SHALL be able to store the document with
30 the rights of the end user who has been authenticated by the Scan Service thus gained the
31 credentials of the Scan Service to store the scan document in the repository.
 - 32 ■ We continued the review of remaining comments in the same working draft that was used in the
33 last teleconference: <ftp://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/mfd/wd/wd-mfdscan10-20071018.pdf>
 - 34 ■ Comment on Line #609 – Why service discovery is specific to LDAP or DNS
 - 35 ○ Service discovery should be supported via directory service (e.g. LDAP) and discovery
36 protocols (e.g. WS-discovery, SLP, CIMs). The title of the use case should simply be
37 “Scan Service Discovery” – this is only for discovery of scan service type, whether
38 service capabilities should be discovered is a separate matter. The standard SLP printer
39 template and LDAP print schema actually defined 30 most important capabilities out of
150 printer properties.

- 1 ▪ Comment on Line#613 - Should Scan LDAP schema be defined?
 - 2 ○ Our assumption is the schema is based on Scan Service Schema. We still need to pick a
 - 3 smaller set of properties of Scan Service that SHALL be populated/ advertised in LDAP
 - 4 schema, or by dynamic discovery protocols. There should be a normative chapter or
 - 5 appendix for this information for Scan Service like it was done in IPP. We need to
 - 6 register the name of the LDAP schema with IANA, not every attribute in the schema. The
 - 7 LDAP print schema was actually published as a RFC. If we don't publish LDAP Scan
 - 8 Service schema as an RFC we can publish as a PWG standard and register the standard
 - 9 with a registry that the LDAP working group in IETF maintains. SLP or mDNS
 - 10 registration will need to be registered too. So is CIMs schema.
- 11 ▪ Comment on Line #614 - DNS service type naming convention
 - 12 ○ Yes, we need one such as PWG-scan-service.
 - 13 ○ We need to register a PWG scan service SRV type with IANA.
- 14 ▪ Use Case 8 Diagram Discussion:
 - 15 ○ The diagram should include discovery protocol.
 - 16 ○ Protocol binding will establish a standard mechanism for locating a scan service. A web
 - 17 service binding will perform WS-discovery & WS-transfer, both are used for discovery.
 - 18 ○ Capability is not in WS-discovery or WS-transfer, must be obtained directly from Scan
 - 19 Service.
 - 20 ○ There should be two high level service discovery processing flow diagrams: one using
 - 21 directory, one via discovery protocol.
 - 22 ○ Design requirements should parallel the two processing flow diagrams. We need the
 - 23 behavioral level requirements for discovery protocol, e.g. SSDP, SLP, ... behaviors are
 - 24 almost the same (i.e. At Start-up Service advertises itself, client makes discovery request,
 - 25 service responses to discovery request. Many discovery protocols use an agent.)
- 26 ▪ Scan ticket life cycle Diagram – we need to remove the footnote: “Any reference to a Scan Job
- 27 Ticket is either an instance of a Scan Job Ticket or a reference to a Scan Job Template”. Scan
- 28 Service model now uses template only by value for instantiating a Scan Job Ticket.
- 29 ▪ In the last meeting minutes, we said Scan Document is always being pushed by Scan Service to
- 30 “external location”, which should be changed to “separate, independent repository (local or
- 31 remote).
- 32 ▪ Section 9 comments – If we have a HoldUntil attribute, should we not also have a
- 33 PendingScanJobsQueue?
 - 34 ○ Yes, we should have Pending scan job queue. In the current Scan Service model, there
 - 35 are only two queues: the Active Job queue holds all jobs created and not started (i.e.
 - 36 pending), or in processing; the Job History holds all job completed. The Active Job queue
 - 37 is also pending job queue. The Scan Service must consider low-end devices that cannot
 - 38 have more than two queues due to resource constraints. CIMs model also has only one
 - 39 job queue and job history.
 - 40 ○ For obtaining the list of pending jobs or jobs in any specific state, client filtering can be
 - 41 used. In IPP, GetJob operation can have a filter as a parameter, making server do the
 - 42 filtering. We can let filter be just a list of states. Right now “ListJob” operation in Scan
 - 43 Service is only a simple request. This will be further discussed in the next face-to-face
 - 44 meeting. The working draft will be updated with Scan Service/operation definitions.
 - 45 ○ Line #719 - A scan Service is hosted locally on a MFD or remotely on another computer.

- 1 ○ Line#730 – The sentence “These Description elements are settable by Administrator or
2 read-only that can be controlled by a policy.” Should be removed. Descriptive elements
3 are normally settable.
- 4 ○ Many people were confused with the word “attribute” and “element” used in the section.
5 The recommendation is to use the definition from IPP – “attribute” is a simple element,
6 an element that consists of a collection of elements is a “group element”. We need the
7 definitions of these two in “Terminology” section. – element group: a collection of
8 elements – use element/attribute interchangeably.
- 9 ▪ Recommended changes to the last meeting minutes:
- 10 ○ External repository -> separate, or independent repository (local or remote).
11 ○ Change teleconference date Nov 22 to Nov 29.
- 12 ▪ Plan before face-to-face meeting
- 13 ○ Next teleconference: work from the same working draft and continue discussion from the
14 rest of section 9.
- 15 ○ We will start to work on the definitions of more scan elements.
- 16 ○ Pete will post updated schema and WSDL before face-to-face meeting.
- 17 ▪ **Plan for Teleconferences:**
- 18 ○ **Next Teleconference: November 15, 2007, Thursday, 3pm EDT.**
- 19 ○ **TBD - November 29, 2007, Thursday, 3pm EDT (depending on the progress made**
20 **on Nov. 15)**