

PWG WIMS Conference Call Minutes October 27, 2011

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1 Attendees

Ira McDonald	High North/Samsung
Glen Petrie	Epson
Bill Wagner	TIC
Pete Zehler	Xerox

2 General

- Meeting was convened at 1 PM EDT, October 27, 2011 and ended about 1:45 PM EDT
- Notice was made that the meeting was held in accord with the PWG Intellectual Property Policy. There were no objections.
- Minutes of the WIMS October Face-to-face meeting (<ftp://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/wims/minutes/wims-f2f-minutes-20111006.pdf>) were accepted without comment
- There were no changes to the posted agenda.

3 Action Items Review

- The action items listed in face to face meeting minutes were considered
 - Action: Ira to provide previously-used testing procedures for other MIBs to Mike - open
 - Action: Mike to propose test procedure at December 2011 F2F - open
 - Action: Ira to post position that vendors will fold PWG power states to DMTF when reporting via EMAN - done

4 Consider Tom Silver's Printer MIB request and Ira's Suggestion to Update RFC3805.

- Request was for:
 - add 'hundredthsOfInkSticks(20)' to the 'PrtMarkerSuppliesSupplyUnitTC', modified to "hundredthsOfInkSticks(20)"
 - add 'standardToner(35)' and 'matteToner(36)' to the 'PrtMarkerSuppliesTypeTC'
- Ira noted that 'PrtMarkerSuppliesSupplyUnitTC' was one of 33 (out of 60) textual conventions that were left in the body of the Printer MIB v2 in RFC 3805, for which additions cannot simply be IANA-registered in the IANA Printer MIB.
- It was agreed that 'matteToner(36)' could and would be reasonable added to 'PrtMarkerSuppliesTypeTC', which is in the IANA Printer MIB.
- It was agreed that adding 'standardToner' where 'toner' already exists would not clarify matters but rather may be confusing since toner already is assumed to be a standard toner. Therefore, that will not be added.

5 MFD Alerts Document Review

- Changes in document (<ftp://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/pmp/wd/wd-pmpmfdalerts10-20111026-rev.pdf>) were reviewed.
- Changes were generally accepted, but there were questions relative to the use of "parts" in Table 2. Understanding was that such parts were limited to field replaceable items such as rollers. It was unclear that there were any such parts not already specifically called out other than rollers. Therefore, it was

suggested that “parts” alerts in the Scanner were not necessary, and that “parts” alerts in the media path should refer to ‘rollers”

- It was observed that any new alerts (and existing alerts) must be checked to ensure that string length is within 31 characters.
- To get wider review, these items will be discussed at the IPP conference call. When stable, alerts information in Section 9 would be updated to be consistent with those in Table 2..

6 Action Items

- Next meeting on 10 November.
- Ira to provide previously-used testing procedures for other MIBs to Mike - open
- Mike to propose test procedure at December 2011 F2F - open
- MFD Alerts to be updated and discussed at IPP Conference call.