

PWG WIMS/CIM Alignment Conference Call Minutes October 11, 2007

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General

- Meeting was convened at 12:00 EDT on 11 October and ended at 1:15 PM.
- The minutes from the 27 September Montreal meeting were approved.
- Because of the limited attendance, discussion concentrated on CIM update issues.

CIM Printing Issues

- CIM Status: 2 CRs outstanding (add transitioning to operating status) in Ballot
 - Alert record: one yes vote, one no vote. Issue is style but we follow record log profile.
 - Review of how alerts were edited?
- Printer profile effort? Probably lower priority. First priority is to get classes out and prototyped so that they can proceed beyond experimental classification.
- Need to support filters? Need to decide for industry. Probably will be identified as “should” for acceptance.
- Notification with filters – will printers support? Reliable notification. Would notification be needed?
- Potential problem in Console Lights. Color is in IANA registry.
 - Is it necessary to use Indicator LED Class? Should some existing colors revert to “other”?
 - Suggest that for Base class – can’t use printer element, must use Indicator LED class. But Indicator class is experimental.- Indicator Capabilities? Probably not for printers
 - New colors; multi-colored blinking indicators (can’t do in printer MIB). Suggest handle multicolor as separate indicators.

Action Items

- Rick to Send current message registry (DMTF – registry of message to come from various classes)
- Rick to write last two classes. Interlocks and Console Lights to try to get into CIM 2.17, since these are the last new classes.

- Shah to have System State and Counter MIB prototyping report by December F2F*
- Effort on CIM Best Practices document to proceed *
- Next WIMS/CIM conference call at 12 Noon ET on October 25.

Bill Wagner