

PWG WIMS CIM Alignment

Conference Call Minutes

August 3, 2006

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Meeting was called to order at approximately 2 p.m. EDT August 3, 2006 by Bill Wagner.

Attendees

Bill Wagner	TIC
Ira McDonald	High North
Rick Landau	Dell
Craig Whittle	Sharp
Harry Lewis	IBM
Pete Zehler	Xerox
Lee Farrell	Canon

General Discussion

- Bill sent out his comments with Harry's and Rick's comments included in the meeting announcement. Craig will add his comments. Ira's will complete his comments in plain text. Pete to also add a column for Xerox (possibly more than one column for multiple groups?).
- Rick is going on vacation for a couple of weeks. He will be back on the 24th (next concall?)
- Target: general mid-class enterprise printer (see WIMS-CIM working directory). Rick to add rationale as a new worksheet in the spreadsheet.
- The following items were discussed from the spreadsheet:
 - **prtGeneralConfigChanges**: This element is important for polling applications. This applies only to configurable CIM objects (independent from SNMP). Applications should not depend on traps (unreliable).
 - **prtGeneralCurrentOperator**: sysContact is refers to the SNMP agent only. sysName is a DNS name.

- Spreadsheet column definitions: A = must be visible, B = nice to have, C= not necessary
- Group needs to add to the spreadsheet any items in HR MIB and even MIB-2 that we feel especially should be included in the new CIM printer device model. (e.g., hrPrinterStatus, hrPrinterDetectedErrorState, and hrPrinterDevice.)

Next Steps / Open Actions:

- More opinions will be collected over the next three weeks. Peter, Craig, and Ira to update spreadsheet.
- Rick to add rationale as a new worksheet in the spreadsheet.
- Next teleconference is scheduled for August 24th.