802-11 Review of PARs for Nov Plenary

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Excerpt for 802.3br (DMLT) with the responses from SG DMLT in blue color.

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5.2: "This standard defines Ethernet local area, access and metropolitan area networks". Is this sentence correct? Is "Ethernet local area" a description or is this really a "local area Ethernet"? How does "access" by itself apply?

DMLT answers:

- This sentence is correct. This means Ethernet which includes capabilities of being a local area network, an access network, and a metropolitan area network. An access network is also known as a "first mile" or "last mile" network. E.g. IEEE 802.3 EPONs.
- This text refers to 5.2.b. This subclause is the scope of the base standard. This amendment does not intend to change the scope of the base standard. If this is a significant concern, a maintenance request may be submitted by the commenter.
- **8.1** move the statement in **8.1** to **5.2b...** (see **802.3bt**)
- DMLT answer: Accepted in Principle: Deleted the sentence and adjusted the IEEE 802 Five-Criteria, Compatibility Requirement.
- 8.1 Need to provide the full names for standards referenced in the PAR form in 8.1.
- DMLT answer: No longer applicable, see comment above.