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## X3, Information Processing Systems

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Subject: Response to Unregistered Public Review Comment on BSR X3.221, AT Attachment

Dear Mr. McGrath:

Thank you for your interest in the draft AT Attachment standard, BSR X3.221. Your comment proposes the addition of a download microcode function and the need for 3.3 volt operation.

Since your request for a download microcode function was an entirely new function, it was assigned to the ATA Extensions project (948-D). A change was made in revision 3.1 of the draft AT Attachment standard to accommodate your request for 3.3 volt operation. X3T9.2 has requested that silicon vendors review this change.

Enclosed is a copy of the latest revision of the draft AT Attachment standard. We appreciate your interest in improving the draft AT Attachment standard.

Please send a written statement to the X3 Secretariat (Attn: Lynn Barra) within fifteen days saying whether you accept or reject this response. If you do not respond within fifteen days, the Secretariat will assume that you have withdrawn the comment.

Sincerely,

Del Shoemaker, Chair X3T9

cc: Lynn Barra, X3 Secretariat John Lohmeyer, X3T9.2 Chair