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The Honorable David Norquist
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Subj: Amended Appeal of Ballot Results, SAE/EIA748E, Earned Value Management Systems

Dear Hon. NDIA Pres. David Norquist:

I submitted an amended procedural appeal of the ballot results for SAE/EIA-748E Earned Value Management System. The originals procedural appeal is:

EIA748E is a proposed business standard that is outside of the scope and technology area of the G-47 Systems Engineering (SE) Committee.

The amended appeal adds evidence from page 1 of the draft standard. The evidence cites the SAE Technical Standards Board Rules.

The revised appeal includes the following:

SAE/EIA-748E does not meet the criterion set by the SAE Technical Standards Board Rules. The criterion, on page 1, follows:

SAE Technical Standards Board Rules provide that: "This report is published by SAE to advance the state of technical and engineering sciences. The use voluntary and its applicability and suitability for any particular use, including any patent infringement arising therefrom, is the sole responsibility of the use

There is nothing in EIA-748E that advances the state of technical and engineering sciences.

If you agree, please assign members of the NDIA Systems Engineering Division to join the Integrated Program Management Division members in overhauling EIA-748 so that it may advance the state of engineering sciences.

Yours truly,

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