

## **ISO/IEC JTC1/SC22 PAG N0002**

### **Scope and Purpose of the SC22 Advisory Group for POSIX**

SC22 created an Advisory Group for POSIX at the last SC22 plenary as they would down the work of WG15. The following resolution from that meeting sets the terms of reference for this advisory group. It was unanimously passed.

#### **Resolution 04-20: Creation of SC 22 Advisory Group for POSIX**

Whereas maintenance and revision of POSIX-related work now takes place in the Austin Group, and no technical work has occurred directly within JTC 1/SC 22/WG 15 for at least four years, and whereas the JTC 1 Directives allow for assignment of project maintenance responsibilities to the project editor, SC 22 takes the following actions:

1. Disbands SC 22/WG 15 (POSIX)
2. Assigns all of SC 22/WG 15's responsibilities and remaining projects to SC 22 for completion or cancellation under the guidance of the respective project editors.
3. Creates a POSIX Advisory Group within SC 22 to monitor POSIX-related activities
4. SC 22 directs the POSIX Advisory Group to make recommendations to SC 22 how:
  - SC 22 can be involved in POSIX-related activities
  - Organizational representation within the Austin Group should be handled
  - Such representation will report to SC 22 on Austin Group activities
  - Initial recommendations shall be made to SC 22 in time for action at the 2005 SC 22 Plenary.
5. SC 22 appoints Nick Stoughton as the Interim Organizational Representative to the Austin Group and Keld Simonsen as the Alternate Interim Organizational Representative until SC 22 acts on the recommendations.
6. Directs the Chair of SC 22 to appoint a leader of this Advisory Group, with such leader serving at the Chair's pleasure. Such leader shall report periodically, but at least at each SC 22 plenary, to SC 22 on the progress of the Advisory Group and recommendations for SC 22 action.
7. Membership of the POSIX Advisory Group shall be as per clause 2.5.4 of the JTC 1 Directives. SC 22 instructs the POSIX Advisory Group to invite liaisons from the Free Standards Group, the Open Group, and the IEEE to the first meeting of the group.