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- **Resolution 3 – Accessibility of Livelink Web Sites**
- **Resolution 37 – Publication of Standards in Accessible HTML and Accessible PDF Formats**

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Resolution 3 – Accessibility of Livelink Web Sites

JTC 1 reaffirms Resolution 18 of its 2006 Plenary meeting in South Africa regarding accessibility of Livelink web sites. JTC 1 continues to urge the ITTF to ensure that the Livelink sites for JTC 1 and its Subcommittees are made universally accessible immediately. Current issues with the design of the site (for example the use of image maps) make the web site inaccessible to significant sectors of the community and exclude them from full participation in standardization. JTC 1 acknowledges that the request to make the website accessible may involve substantial work but reiterates its belief that making the web sites accessible should be a priority task. JTC 1 requests that ITTF provide a status report at the 2008 Plenary meeting in Japan.

Unanimous

Resolution 37 – Publication of Standards in Accessible HTML and Accessible PDF Formats

JTC 1 requests the ITTF to investigate within ISO and IEC the possibility of publishing standards in accessible HTML as the primary format as well as in accessible PDF. While this request is especially important for the publication of the Multi-Part Type 3 Technical Report on Accessibility Considerations for People with Disabilities, JTC 1 believes that it is also essential to be considered for all published standards. JTC 1 requests the ITTF to provide a status report at the 2008 JTC 1 Plenary meeting in Japan.

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