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Type: Call for Contributions

Title: Call for Contributions Proposing Updates to ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards Inventory

Source: JTC 1 SWG-Accessibility Secretariat

Due Date: 24 May 2010

Requested Action: Per SWG-A January 2010 Teleconference Resolution 1, the JTC 1 SWG on Accessibility is requesting contributions proposing updates to ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards Inventory, and supporting documents such as understanding, techniques, solutions, testing methods that are necessary to implement accessibility standards in Part 2 should be submitted to the SWG-Accessibility Secretariat (jgarner@itic.org) not later than **24 May 2010** for consideration at the 23 and 24 June 2010 SWG-Accessibility meeting.

Background

During the June 2009 JTC 1 Special Working Group on Accessibility teleconference, the SWG agreed to meet approximately six months from the June 2009 publication date to prepare an update list for proposed changes to ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards inventory.

Four contributions proposing updates to the Standards Inventory were reviewed during the January 2010 SWG-Accessibility teleconference. The SWG-Accessibility approved a resolution requesting JTC 1 approval of a project for the revision of ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards inventory:

SWG-A January 2010 Teleconference Resolution 2: Request for JTC 1 Approval of a Project for the Revision of ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards Inventory

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The JTC 1 SWG-Accessibility recommends JTC 1 approval of a project for the revision of ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards inventory. In anticipation of JTC 1 approval of this recommendation, the SWG-Accessibility will begin collecting updates and preparing a Working Draft.

The SWG-Accessibility approved the following resolution requesting updates to ISO/IEC TR 29138 Part 2 (Standards Inventory) and supporting documents that are necessary to implement the accessibility standards:

SWG-A January 2010 Teleconference Resolution 1: Request for Updates to ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards Inventory

The JTC 1 Special Working Group on Accessibility instructs its Secretariat to issue a call for updates to ISO/IEC TR 29138, Information technology - Accessibility considerations for people with disabilities - Part 2: Standards Inventory. The call will also request supporting documents such as understanding, techniques, solutions, testing methods that are necessary to implement accessibility standards in the Part 2. The SWG-Accessibility appreciates the distribution of this call to as broad an audience as possible. The responses will be reviewed at the 23 and 24 June 2010 SWG-Accessibility meeting.

Requested Action

The JTC 1 SWG-Accessibility invites interested parties to review ISO/IEC TR 29138 Part 2 (which is publicly/freely available), and forward this call for contributions to other interest persons and groups:

http://standards.iso.org/ittf/PubliclyAvailableStandards/c051341_ISO_IEC_TR_29138-2_2009%28E%29.zip

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