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**Document Status:** In accordance with JTC 1 Nara resolution 47 (attached), JTC 1 establishes a JTC 1 Study Group on Digital Content Management and Protection. National Bodies, SCs, Liaison Organizations, AROs and PAS Submitters are invited to participate in the SG and should submit the names of their representative(s) to the SG Secretariat, Linpeng Gao([gaolp@cesi.ac.cn](mailto:gaolp@cesi.ac.cn)) as soon as possible but not later than 31 January 2009.

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**Resolution 47 - Establishment of Study Group on Digital Content Management and Protection**

JTC 1 notes the standardization activity within JTC 1, ISO, IEC and in many consortia in the area of digital content management and protection. This a challenging area for standardization to cover a wide spectrum of technical, user, application needs. There is currently no activity to survey global standardization activities in this area and consider feasibility for coordination.

To this end, JTC 1 establishes a Study Group on Digital Content Management and Protection to understand the current state of standardization and to explore a possible role for JTC 1. The Study Group will have the following terms of reference:

- 1) Provide a definition for Digital Content Management and Protection
- 2) Assess, via an inventory, the current state of standardization in DCMP within JTC 1 and in other SDOs and consortia
- 3) Understand and document market/application segments, user requirements and the challenges to be addressed
- 4) Deliver recommendations to JTC 1 on possible actions to be taken
- 5) Meetings of the group may be via face-to-face or preferably by electronic means

Membership in the Study Group will be open to:

- 1) JTC 1 National Bodies, Liaisons, AROs and PAS submitters
- 2) JTC 1 SCs
- 3) Members of ISO and IEC central offices
- 4) Invited SDOs and consortia that are engaged in standardization in DCMP

In addition, the Convener may invite experts with specific expertise in the field

JTC 1 appoints Mr. Lin GAO as Convener and Mr. Linpeng GAO as Secretary for the Study Group of DCMP and instructs the JTC 1 Secretariat to issue a call for participants for the Study Group.

JTC 1 instructs the Study Group Convener to provide a report on the activities of the Study Group at the 2009 JTC 1 Plenary meeting in Israel.

Unanimous