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TELNET Protocol Meeting Announcement

Since the publication of RFC #318 there have been a great number of proposals for changes and/or extensions to the (still unofficial) TELNET Protocol. It now seems appropriate to have a meeting of concerned parties to try, once again, to reach a consensus position and define an "official" protocol (with perhaps, some room for optional expansion).

Accordingly, I hereby announce a TELNET Protocol meeting to be held at UCLA on Monday, March 5. I expect this to be a working meeting (rather than a tutorial to bring new members of the network community up-to-speed) and therefore wish to invite the attendance of only those individuals prepared to discuss at LEAST those issues which have already been raised. At a minimum, attendees should be familiar with the following:

[RFC 318](#)
[RFC 328](#)
[RFC 340](#)
[RFC 357](#)
[RFC 393](#)
[RFC 426](#)
[RFC 435](#)

A familiarity with deliberations of the TELNET Committee prior to RFC [318](#) would probably also be helpful. Finally, attendees should be aware that there are few (no?) Hosts which follow the echo-control conventions described in [RFC 318](#).

Anyone wishing to attend this meeting should contact Alex McKenzie at BBN (NIC ident aam) 50 Moulton Street, Cambridge, Mass. 02138. My telephone number is

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When there is some indication of the number of individuals planning to attend, a meeting room will be selected, a time announced, etc.

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