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 discussion at [venue + yyyy-mm-dd of meeting]
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Title: **OASIS request to establish an A-Liaison with ISO/TC154**
Ballot's results (ballot form: doc. 154N401 Add.1, see p. 7 below)

Source: ISO Central Secretariat and ISO/TC154 Chair/Secretariat

Additional information: **The ISO/TC 154 secretariat informs its members of the result of voting for the request of category A liaison between OASIS and ISO TC154: 15 members voting of which 13 yes and 2 negative votes (see copy of votes below) and is pleased to inform them that after consultation with the ISO Central Secretariat, given that OASIS is now a signatory to the e-business MoU, it has been agreed to grant this liaison.**

Ballot's results

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Participating countries: 20

Voting: 15

Yes: 13

No: 2

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01	AU Australia	SAI	Yes	3
02	BG Bulgaria	BDS	Yes	3
03	CA Canada	SCC	No with comment	3
04	CH Switzerland	SNV	Yes	3
05	CZ Czech Republic	CSNI	Yes	4
06	DE Germany	DIN	Yes	4
07	FI Finland	SFS	Yes	4
08	FR France	AFNO R	Yes	4
09	GB United Kingdom	BSI	Yes	4
10	HU Hungary	MSZT	Yes	5
11	JP Japan	JISC	Yes with comment	5
12	KR Korea, Republic of	KATS	Yes	5
13	NL Netherlands	NEN	Yes	5
14	US USA	ANSI	No with comment	6
15	YU Yugoslavia	SZS	Yes	6
16	<i>BE Belgium</i>	<i>IBN</i>	<i>No vote</i>	-
17	<i>BR Brazil</i>	<i>ABNT</i>	<i>No vote</i>	-
18	<i>DK Denmark</i>	<i>DS</i>	<i>No vote</i>	-
19	<i>IT Italy</i>	<i>UNI</i>	<i>No vote</i>	-
20	<i>RU Russian Federation</i>	<i>GOST R</i>	<i>No vote</i>	-

ISO/TC154 P-member: STANDARDS AUSTRALIA
contact person: Betty Titcombe: International Coordinator

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: YES
if no, please provide justification: N/A

place and date: SYDNEY 2002-01-31

ISO/TC154 P-member: BDS - State agency for standardization and metrology (Bulgaria)
contact person: Desislava Gulenova

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: Yes
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: Sofia 2002-02-19

ISO/TC154 P-member: SCC (Canada)
contact person: Roz Waddell

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: NO
if no, please provide justification: The thinking behind this negative vote is based on the concerns expressed by Klaus Dieter Naujok.

A) No discussion at UN/CEFACT
B) OASIS procedures do not work to avoid duplication

For this reason we would recommend that the OASIS mou be voted no by the CAC ISO TC 154 and that at the March meeting in Barcelona the need for due process be raised with the CSG.

place and date: Ottawa, 2002-02-25

ISO/TC154 P-member: SNV (Switzerland)
contact person: F. Vuilleumier, head of the Swiss delegation to ISO/TC154

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: Yes
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: Berne/Zurich 2002-02-20

ISO/TC154 P-member: CSNI (Czech Republic)
contact person: Z. Buresova (Mrs)

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: yes
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: Prague, 2002-02-20

ISO/TC154 P-member: DIN (Germany)
contact person: Bernd Bösler

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: YES
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: 2002-02-20

ISO/TC154 P-member: Finnish Standards Association SFS (Finland)
contact person: Pauli Kurjonen/TIEKE Finnish Information Society Development Centre or Katja Hietaniemi/SFS

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: yes
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: Helsinki 30.01.2002

ISO/TC154 P-member: AFNOR (France)
contact person: Mr Jean-Loup Commo

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: yes
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: Saint-Denis, 2002-02-21

ISO/TC154 P-member: BSI (IDT/2/20) United Kingdom
contact person: Sharon Sinatra (BSI), Paul Hague (e centre)

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: YES
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: UK, 15.02.02

ISO/TC154 P-member: **HUNGARIAN STANDARDS INSTITUT**
contact person: **MARIA KURUC**

Question for ballot: **Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?**
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: **yes**
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: **Budapest 2002-02-25**

ISO/TC154 P-member: **JISC (ISO/TC154 Japan Committee)**
contact person: **WAKAIZUMI Kazuhiko (Secretary of ISO/TC154 JapanCommittee)**

Question for ballot: **Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?**
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: **Yes**
Comment: **Japan think that UBL, CC, and BSR should harmonize.
Therefore, we welcome this proposal.**

place and date: **Tokyo, Japan 2002-02-22**

ISO/TC154 P-member: **KATS (Republic of KOREA)**
contact person: **Kyung-Soo, Chae**

Question for ballot: **Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?**
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: **YES**
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: **Republic of KOREA/ 2002-02-25**

ISO/TC154 P-member: **NEN (The Netherlands)**
contact person: **Monica Ligtoet, ass. to Louis Visser**

Question for ballot: **Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?**
Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: **yes**
if no, please provide justification:

place and date: **The Netherlands, 2002-02-25**

ISO/TC154 P-member: ANSI (USA)
contact person: ANSI ISO Team (Judith Gonzalez)

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?

Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: NO

if no, please provide justification: The US TAG does not consider that the OASIS organization should be designated as a category A-liaison. They lack internal controls to ensure that work conducted with ISO TC154 is not replicated with OASIS. The US TAG continues to support the working relationship that has been established through the ebXML process and proposes that this recommendation be revisited when OASIS can demonstrate that they have modified their business processes to ensure that work will not be initiated within OASIS that competes with initiatives proposed with the ISO TC 154.

place and date: USA, 2002-02-22

ISO/TC154 P-member: SZS (Yugoslavia)
contact person: Miroslava Filipovic

Question for ballot: Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?

Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain: yes

if no, please provide justification:

place and date: Beograd, 2002-02-22

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2002-01-25

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Ballot form <mailto:fvuille@attglobal.net> before **2002-02-25 24:00 GMT**

Yellow fields: to be filled, Thank you

ISO/TC154 P-member:

contact person:

Question for ballot:

Do you agree that ISO/TC154 establishes a Liaison-A (active) with OASIS ?

Vote, 3 options = yes/no/abstain:

if no, please provide justification:

place and date:

Extract from the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 1, 4th edition, Geneva 2001:

1.17 Liaison with other organizations

[...]

1.17.2 The categories of liaison are the following.

- **Category A:** Organizations that make an effective contribution to the work of the technical committee [...] for questions dealt with by this technical committee [...]. Such organizations are sent copies of all relevant documentation and are invited to meetings. They may nominate experts to participate in a [Working Group/Project Team ...].

1.17.4 In order to be effective, liaison shall operate in both directions, with suitable reciprocal arrangements.

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