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## Amendment 1

## Support for EXTENDED-XER

NOTE – All new or changed text in this amendment is underlined in the clauses being replaced. When merging all such text into the base Recommendation, the underlining is to be removed.

## 1) Subclause 14.6.1

In subclause 14.6, replace the production "XMLOpenTypeFieldValue" with the following:

```
XMLOpenTypeFieldVal ::=
  XMLTypedValue
  | xmlhstring
```

## 2) Subclause 14.9

Replace subclause 14.9 with the following three subclauses:

**14.9** For a type field or a variable-type value or value set field defined by an "ObjectClassFieldType", the "XMLOpenTypeFieldVal" shall be used in any "XMLValue".

**14.9.1** When used in an ASN.1 module, the type identified by the "XMLTypedValue" shall be any ASN.1 type (but see ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1, 13.3) and the "XMLValue" in the "XMLTypedValue" shall be any value of that type.

NOTE – When the notation is used as specified in ITU-T Rec. X.693 | ISO/IEC 8825-4, 8.5, the type of the "XMLTypedValue" in an "XMLOpenTypeFieldVal" is identified by the protocol (for example, by a component relation constraint), the "NonParameterizedTypeName" in the "XMLTypedValue" is derived from this, and the "XMLValue" is a value of this type.

**14.9.2** The "xmlhstring" alternative of "XMLOpenTypeFieldVal" shall not be used in an ASN.1 module. This alternative can be used only as specified in ITU-T Rec. X.693 | ISO/IEC 8825-4, 8.5, when the type is identified by the protocol and the "xmlhstring" is the hexadecimal value for the encoding of that type, using some (unspecified) encoding rules.

## 3) Subclause 14.12

Replace subclause 14.12 with the following:

**14.12** For an "XMLOpenTypeFieldVal", if the "Type" specified in the information object (after ignoring any tags) is a "typereference" or an "ExternalTypeReference", then the "NonParameterizedTypeName" shall be that "typereference" or "ExternalTypeReference"; otherwise, it shall be the "xmlasn1typename" specified in ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1, Table 4, corresponding to the built-in type specified in the information object, after application of the subclauses of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1, 25.11, if applicable.

4) **Subclause 15.6**

*Replace subclause 15.6 with the following:*

**15.6** For a "TypeFromObject" and a "ValueSetFromObjects", the XML value notation for sequence-of and set-of (see ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1, Table 5) and the "xmlasn1typename" (if required) shall be determined by the "Type" specified in the information object(s), after application of the subclauses of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1, 25.11, if applicable.

5) **Annex F**

*In Annex F, replace the production "XMLOpenTypeFieldValue" with the following:*

```
XMLOpenTypeFieldVal ::=
  XMLTypedValue
  | xmlhstring
```

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