

Guidelines for Treatment of Copyrights for Japan Cable Laboratories

With regard to the copyrights for the standards, the technical reports, and the translation of both (hereinafter referred to as the “Work for the Standard”), which have all been established by the Technical Committee, the following principles shall be agreed upon, between concerned parties.

1 Treatment of the copyrights for the Work for the Standard

- (1) The author of the Work for the Standard shall be the Japan Cable Laboratories (hereinafter referred to as the “JLabs”). The JLabs is entitled to use the Work for the Standard and can sublicense it to any third party for the same use thereof. The use of the Work for the Standard refers to the copying, translation, and public transmission of the Work for the Standard, along with all activities stipulated by the Copyright Act.
- (2) Members of the Technical Committee and its working groups (hereinafter referred to as the “Members”) shall acknowledge the above condition in provision (1) when they submit any portion of the material, such as text or graphics (hereinafter referred to as the “Material”) to the Technical Committee. In the Material, the work of computer software including programming shall be included, unless otherwise mentioned. The Members shall also maintain the copyrights for the material submitted to the Technical Committee. However, the members shall not claim the copyrights (including the right to author) from either the JLabs or any third party as sublicensed the JLabs.
- (3) Non-Members should submit the Material on the condition that they agree with provision (1), and non-Members shall maintain the copyrights for the Material submitted to the Technical Committee. However, non-Members shall not claim the copyrights (including the right to author) from either the JLabs or any third party as sublicensed by the JLabs. These provisions shall not be applied when the treatment of the copyrights regarding the Material has been agreed upon between non-Members and the JLabs.
- (4) When a quotation from a third party is made regarding the Material, the origin of such should be notified. The Technical Committee shall also notify such origin where a quotation is made from a third party for the Work for the Standard.

2 Approval for the use of the Work for the Standard

- (1) Any Party who want to use the Work for the Standard shall submit an application form

for approval in advance to the Chairman of Operation Committee (hereinafter referred to as the “Chairman”), in which the following items are disclosed. However, in cases where use is permitted under the Copyright Act, such as quotations, etc., approval may not be required.

- a. Name (or Name of corporation)
 - b. Address
 - c. Name of the Work for the Standard that is expected to be used
 - d. Purpose of use
 - e. Manner of use
- (2) When the application form is submitted, the Chairman shall promptly examine the form and notify the result.
 - (3) When it is known that the determined use would contribute to the promotion of the standards and would meet public interest, the Chairman shall approve the use of the Work for the Standard, free of charge.
 - (4) The Chairman shall set forth the following conditions for approval.
 - a. It shall be identified that the JLabs is the author of the Work for the Standard.
 - b. The JLabs shall not be held responsible for any case of litigation brought by a third party against any violation of the copyrights regarding the use of the Work for the Standard.
 - c. Other necessary matters for the use of the Work for the Standard shall be stipulated, if required.
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