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ADDENDA**

**Addendum Fix1 to  
BTL Test Package 23.3-v2**

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**[This foreword and the “Overview” on the following pages are not part of this Test Package. They are merely informative and do not contain requirements necessary for conformance to the Test Package.]**

**FOREWORD**

The purpose of this addendum is to present current changes being made to the BTL Test Package. These modifications are the result of change proposals made pursuant to the continuous maintenance procedures and of deliberations within the BTL-WG Committee. The changes are summarized below.

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In the following document, language to be added to existing clauses within the BTL Test Package is indicated through the use of *italics*, while deletions are indicated by ~~striketrough~~. Where entirely new subclauses are proposed to be added, plain type is used throughout.

In contrast, changes to BTL Checklist, BTL Test Plan, and BTL Specified Tests contain a **yellow** highlight to indicate the changes made by this addendum.

When this addendum is applied, all highlighting will be removed. Change markings on tests will remain to indicate the difference between the new test and an existing 135.1 test. If a test being modified has never existed in 135.1, the applied result shall not contain any change markings. When this is the case, square brackets will be used to describe the changes required for this test.

Each addendum can stand independently unless specifically noted via dependency within the addendum. If multiple addenda change the same test or section, each future released addendum that changes the same test or section will note in square brackets whether or not those changes are reflected.

## BTL-23.3 Fix1-1: B/SC Must Support Time Synchronization [BTLWG-1494]

### Overview:

A B/SC must maintain accurate time. See Clause AB.7.4 and AB.7.5.1. The standard does not explicitly require a B/SC device to support either DM-TS-B or DM-UTC-B so other methods are allowed.

### Changes:

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## Checklist Changes

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None

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## Test Plan Changes

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[Change Clause 9.9.1]

### 9.9.1 Base Requirements

Base requirements must be met by any IUT that supports BACnet/Secure Connect.

...		
<b>Verify Checklist</b>		
	<b>Test Conditionality</b>	Must be executed unless 12.5.X.1 is executed.
	<b>Test Directives</b>	Verify that the IUT claims support for DM-TS-B and/or DM-UTC-B.
	<b>Testing Hints</b>	
<b>BTL - 12.5.X.1 - Verify Time Synchronization Test</b>		
	<b>Test Conditionality</b>	Must be executed unless the IUT claims support for DM-TS-B and/or DM-UTC-B.
	<b>Test Directives</b>	
	<b>Testing Hints</b>	

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## Specified Test Changes

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[Add BTL - 12.5.X.1]

### 12.5.X.1 Verify Time Synchronization Test

Purpose: To maintain IUT time accuracy, verify the IUT supports time synchronization by some means other than either TimeSynchronization or UTCTimeSynchronization services.

Test Concept: Read the Device object's (D1) Local\_Date and Local\_Time. Make the IUT time change. Verify the Local\_Date and Local\_Time changes to the new time. Power cycle the IUT and validate Local\_Date and Local\_Time.

Configuration Requirements: None.

#### Test Steps:

1. READ time1 = D1, Local\_Time
2. READ date1 = D1, Local\_Date
3. MAKE (IUT time change by some value t)
4. READ time2 = D1, Local\_Time
5. READ date2 = D1, Local\_Date
6. VERIFY time2 ≈= time1 + t
7. VERIFY date2 = date1 + t
8. MAKE (the IUT power cycle)
9. VERIFY D1, Local\_Time ≈= time2 + the time the IUT requires to reboot

10. VERIFY D1, Local\_Date = date2