

Clarification Request

References: BTL Specified Tests 18.1

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All Actions Necessitated have been Completed

Background:

BTL specified Test 7.3.1.11 in TP 18.1 is supposed to do testing for Alarm Ack B side. It starts with steps like:

1. VERIFY pCurrentState = NORMAL
2. VERIFY Acked_Transitions = (TRUE, TRUE, TRUE)
3. IF (Protocol_Revision is present AND Protocol_Revision >= 13) THEN
 VERIFY pStatusFlags = (FALSE, FALSE, ?, ?)
4. IF (pMonitoredValue is writable) THEN
 WRITE pMonitoredValue = (a value that is OFFNORMAL)
 ELSE
 MAKE (pMonitoredValue have a value that is OFFNORMAL)

This does not take into account objects which do not generate to-offnormal transitions (such as logging objects, or objects which only generate fault transitions).

Question:

1. Should the test be modified to support objects which do not generate to-offnormal transitions?

Response:

YES