

Clarification Request

References: BTL Test Plan 12.0 test 7.2.1.3 (and maybe others)

Date of BTL-WG Response: February 28, 2014

Background:

When writing to any Character String property with character set as UTF-8, IUT with Protocol_Revision 9 responded with SimpleAck. But when reading the property, the value got updated but it differs in the character set i.e. it shows UCS-2 instead of UTF-8. This is as per intentional design. Vendor hopes you could accept this behavior. We are in a hope that whatever the Character String data type value was written with a supported character set, the same value shall be returned in the successive reread and that with the same character set.

Conversely, when we wrote Character String data type property with character set as UCS-2, it responded with SimpleACK and same value was returned with same character set after successive reread. This aspect of behavior is entirely right.

Question:

Could we accept this behavior?

Response:

The standard doesn't specify, and we will have to make an Interpretation Request to SSPC-135.