

### **Clarification Request**

**References:** BTL Checklist/Test Plan (proposed, in DRAFT form)

**Date of BTL-WG Response:** May 24, 2011

#### **Background / Proposed Solution:**

Section "Supports logging all Notifications" in Alarm and Event - Event Log - External - B, as currently proposed, requires logging of ACK\_NOTIFICATION. The exact wording in 135-2008 section 12.27 is: "The determination of which notifications are placed into the log is a local matter." The exact wording in AE - EL - E - B in 135-2008I says "... shall be capable of logging all forms of event notifications."

Our implementation does NOT place ACK\_NOTIFICATIONS in the Event Log, as it hadn't occurred that an ACK\_NOTIFICATION would be considered to be a notification that would be stored. Instead extra fields in Event Log records show whether or not an event in the log has been acknowledged, and if so when.

#### **Question:**

What is the justification for interpreting Event logging to include storing of ACK\_NOTIFICATION?  
We would like to suggest that this implementation requirement is an incorrect interpretation.

#### **Response:**

The BTL-WG interprets the language quoted above to include ACK\_NOTIFICATIONs.