PWG MFD Working Group Teleconference Meeting Minutes September 24, 2009

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Attendees:

Nancy Chen, Oki Data Lee Farrell, Canon

Ira McDonald, High North, Inc.

Bill Wagner, TIC Peter Zehler Xerox

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1. Identify Minute Taker – Nancy Chen

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2. Approval of minutes

The last teleconference meeting minutes: ftp://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/mfd/minutes/pwg-mfd-minutes-20090910.pdf was approved without change.

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3. PWG process

Attendees were informed that the meeting is held in accord with the PWG Intellectual Property Policy. There was no objection.

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4. Agenda bashing

We agreed to the follow adgenda -

- Review Copy Service draft,
- Brief discussion on alignment with ISO SC28's effort to define standard Print Ticket,
- Review the MFD Model and Overall Semantics updated draft if time permits.

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5. Review the Initial Draft of Copy Service Specification

- Should a device consists of only Copy Service considered a single function peripheral (SFP) or a MFP? Since traditionally a copier is considered a MFP, we consider a device with only Copy Service a MFD.
- All editorial comments and changes:
 - o Globally replace "not externalized" with better wording "not visible to the User".
 - o Global search to replace "End User" with "Copy Client" except for where it meant a human user.
 - o Globally replace "Copy Template" with "Copy Job Template"
 - o Globally search and use the Schema element name for an abstract element (without separating spaces) whenever possible, e.g. CopyJobTicket.
 - o In XML Schema, globally replace "Default<service>Ticket" with "Default<service>JobTicket.
 - o Remove "Internal Copy Document" from Terminology if it's used in only once.
 - o One suggestion was that "Rationale for the Specification" should use active tense. There should also be a section on use cases for justifying design requirements or guidelines, general use cases are better addressed by MFD Overall document, and Copy Service

specific use cases in the Copy Service spec "Rationale" section. Ira volunteered to draft this section for review by the working group.

o Globally ensure the capitalization of terminology – e.g. Copy service=> Copy Service.

6. Discussion of ISO Print Ticket standard work

- This issue was raised in the last Steering Committee meeting by Peter Zehler, the proposal was to ensure PWG Print Ticket definition is not lost in the ISO Print Ticket standard to be developed by ISO SC28.
- Jerry Thrasher had since sent out a set of investigational questionnaires developed by Ann McCarthy of Lexmark on behalf of ISO SC28, asking PWG SC members' position on whether ISO should develop the standard among other things. So far there is no response. One suggestion is that MFD WG is the better representation for PWG to ISO on this issue. Another concurrence pointed out that MFD WG should work toward the reuse of the PWG Semantics being developed throughout all other standards. PWG print ticket is driver-independent; whereas OpenXPS which ISO is interested for print ticket is not. It seems that PWG should participate/collaborate with ISO in the Print Ticket standard specification using what PWG has developed for years which is based on IPP, and IPP is based on ISO 10175 (DPA).
- We agreed that PWG should participate in the ISO Print Ticket standard development.
- We also agreed that we should provide our position through the feedback to ISO's questionnaires from Ann McCarthy, collect PWG feedback to Jerry Thrasher. We don't have to disagree with ISO's position to develop the standard, but could suggest a liaison WG to assist with ISO print ticket standard development.

7. Next Steps

- There will be teleconference next week and the following week on:
 - o October 1, 2009, Thursday, 3-4pm EDT
 - Discuss the revised MFD Overall Semantics spec
 - Bill would like members comments on the new re-organization of the draft
 - Bill will add the rationales for the spec
 - Please review Bill's questions marked on the draft.
 - Review the Copy Service spec beginning Section 7
 - o October 8, 2009, Thursday, 3-4pm EDT
 - Discuss the Copy Service spec