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This letter accompanies a proposal by CAST (the "Organization") that OMG undertakes a Request for Comments (RFC) process regarding admtf/2017-03-01 <u>Automated Technical Debt Measure RFC</u> (the "Submission"). CAST is submitting this RFC to OMG on behalf of the Consortium for IT Software Quality (CISQ), a special interest group managed by the OMG. This measure builds on four existing CISQ Quality Characteristic measures that have been published as OMG standards. This submission focuses on using the violations of good architectural and coding practice in these four measures to estimate the cost of corrective maintenance.

Dr. Bill Curtis will represent the Organization at the OMG regarding this Submission.

IPR mode: Non-Assertion Covenant

The signatory below is an officer of the Organization and has the approval and authority to make this commitment on behalf of the Organization.

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