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## INTERNATIONAL USER GROUP MEETING #4: RESOLUTIONS

*Wednesday March 30, and Thursday March 31 2011, Abu Dhabi*

IUG Meeting #	Resolution #	Resolution
4	1	IUG approves the IUG Charter
4	2	IUG encourage all chapters to organize their user activities in accordance with the document "Organization of users and ways of communication". IUG recognize that chapters will organize their regional user groups to accord with the local requirements.
4	3	IUG urges all Chapters to follow the new Design Guidelines from buildingSMART International, to be found on the members section on the international web site.
4	4	IUG reaffirms the need for ExCom to ensure, that the kernel of IFC 2x3 is retained in IFC2x4 to ensure backward compatibility between the two releases, and that the proposal to ISO is modified accordingly.
4	5	IUG/ISG/ITM set up a 3 persons task force to establish a common understanding of where IDM finishes and MVD takes over.
4	6	IUG proposes a change to the project approval process within bSI to ensure that IUG has an equal decision making role in addition to the ITM role.
4	7	IUG welcomes the ideas in the proposal "IFC Infra" from the French speaking Chapter, and wishes to be involved in its development through UserCom. The aim should be, for the project proposers, to produce a project proposal including; scope, budget, time, technical impacts, leadership and governance to the meetings in September 2011. IUG recommends that all chapters should determine the likely level of support for the project.
4	8	IUG recommends all chapters to acknowledge the buildingSMART Data Dictionary (IFD) as the buildingSMART terminology of their local building industry. IUG recommends all chapters to get involved in the international development of buildingSMART Data Dictionary

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4	9	IUG recommends buildingSMART to acknowledge that the main purpose for buildingSMART certification of software is to assure end-users of certified software that the software supports their business process. IUG recommends buildingSMART to adopt process oriented certification of software.
4	10	IUG recommends buildingSMART International to adopt the IDM Roadmap as an official buildingSMART policy. IUG recommends all chapters to develop their own national/regional IDM roadmaps with a similar structure as the IDM Roadmap.
4	11	IUG recommends the Chapters to adopt the IDM procedures and comment on them. A draft version will be available at <a href="http://iug.buildingsmart.com">iug.buildingsmart.com</a>
4	12	IUG resolves to continue the current interim arrangement for UserCom. ExCom is requested to lead the work until the next meeting in September 2011. ExCom is also requested to work with UserCom on preparation of a job description and person specification for the IUG Chair. UserCom election has been postponed. IUG welcomes chapter representatives in UserCom.
4	13	IUG decided that next meeting will be in Singapore 20.-21. September 2011.
4	14	IUG requests Singapore Chapter to include a workshop on strategic involvement of government bodies on openBIM in the meetings on 19th September 2011.
4	15	IUG extends profuse thanks to the bSME for the arrangements and hospitality offered to buildingSMART International during the buildingSMART Summit in Abu Dhabi

## PLENARY MEETING: INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, IMPLEMENTATION SUPPORT GROUP, AND INTERNATIONAL USER GROUP: JOINT RESOLUTIONS

*Thursday March 31 2011, Abu Dhabi*

Resolution #	Resolution
1	TechCom and MSG will prepare documentation on the magnitude of changes between implementations of the Coordination View 2.0 (Kernel) in IFC2x3 and coordination view in IFC4 involving UserCom and ISG in the process.
2	UserCom will prepare documentation to provide motivation for the request to

	keep future versions of IFC compattible with IFC2x3. Task force to perform this report is Jons Sjogren, Rasso Steinmann, Steen Sunesen, Bjorn Stangeland, Jan Karlshoj.
3	Reference ITM resolution #47-14: Rasso is added to the workgroup to resolve details of the IDM/MVD process.
4	The resolution from ITM to change the name of IFC4 to IFC3 was discussed. No clear alternative name or reason for change could be agreed and the joint meeting resolve to support the original Excom decision to use the name IFC4.