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I spent a good deal of time refining the flowchart to have it fit on one A4 page.

Also, in finishing and refining the flowchart, I found additional changes to the text procedure to make the flowchart and procedure clearer and easier (I think).

Issues: How do you show synchronization for separate processing of mapping? The flowchart ignores this issue. Also, it does not show the same series of step for resolving SC 2 registration comments as for SC 2 mapping comments. However it fits on a page!

1. We could simplify the flow chart by removing step 13.5, if you would add text to 13.3 and 13.4 to say that the SA may consult the RA-JAC for these. Actually, I thought that Japan(?) had requested that the RA-JAC be responsible for the technical evaluation in 13.3 and 13.4. It's your decision about whether you change the text. My preference is to add the RA-JAC to 13.3 and 13.4 and delete 13.5 even if it means renumbering. In that way, there should be not confusion that the decision belongs to the RA and not the RA-JAC.
2. The flow chart would be simpler if we incorporated the clause 14.1 test for SC 2 into the current clause 13.6 (new 13.5) before sending the mapping to the RA-JAC (clause 14) and remove second sentence in clause 14.1. Suggested new text for current clause 13.6:  

If the registration includes a mapping not created by the subcommittee concerned with coded character sets, then the procedures in Clause 14 applies.
3. The current clauses 13.8 and 13.9 actually further explain current clause 13.7. Remove clause number from current clause 13.9 and move paragraph before current clause 13.8. Change the beginning of current clause 13.9 to say, "This clause does not apply..." (i.e., remove the reference to clause 13.7). In clause 13.8, remove the text, "as specified in clause 13.7". Remove clause number from current clause 13.8.
4. Change current clause 13.10 (new 13.7) to just process the comments. From the first sentence, remove the comma to the end of the sentence. In the second sentence of current clause 13.12, change clause "13.7" to "13.6", and move the sentence to the end of current clause 13.10. Remove the clause number from current clause number 13.11 and move the text to the end of the paragraph in current clause 13.10.
5. Insert a new clause after the current clause 13.10 (new 13.7) to cover the registration decision text deleted from current clause 13.10. New clause 13.8  

13.8 The Registration Authority shall approve or reject the application for registration.
6. The first sentence of current clause 13.12 becomes clause 13.9.
7. Current clause 13.13 becomes clause 13.10.
8. Current clause 14.1, remove the last sentence. (Mentioned earlier.)
9. Copy the current clause 14.5 to create new clause 14.8. Change "recommendations of the RA-JAC" to "recommendations to resolve the concerns". This makes it clear that the SA retains control over the mapping.