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Title: Withdrawal of all of 133 Hanja characters from Ext. D

Source: KIM, Kyongsok

Status: National Position of Rep. of Korea

Action: For consideration by JTC1/SC2/WG2/IRG

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1, Rep. of Korea decided to withdraw from CJK Ext. D all of 133 Hanja characters proposed by Rep. of Korea.

2. Evidences for 133 characters

– As of Sep., 2008, 133 characters proposed by Rep. of Korea remained in CJK Ext. D V4.0 (including both M set and D set). They were classified into 3 categories (see IRG N1533 = K1726).

2.1 No evidences for 21 characters

– Since we did not have any evidence for 21 characters, they will be removed from Ext. D V5.0.

2.2 Weak evidences for 80 characters

– We could not find “real” evidences for 80 characters for which we provided “weak evidences” at IRG #31 meeting (IRG N1533). Therefore, these 80 characters will be removed from Ext. D V5.0.

2.3 Strong evidences for 32 characters

1) Two of 32 proposed characters were different from the characters in evidences.

Furthermore, the actual characters in the evidences were already encoded in UCS.

Therefore, these two characters will be removed from Ext. D V5.0.

2) Two other proposed characters were different from the characters in evidences.

However, the actual characters in the evidences were not encoded in UCS yet.

Therefore, Rep. of Korea needs to submit two new characters with new attributes so that IRG can review them from scratch, if IRG is willing to.

3. Considering these facts, Rep. of Korea concluded that the quality of our proposal to add 133 characters to CJK Ext. D is not so high as a whole and, therefore, decided to withdraw all of these 133 characters from CJK Ext. D.

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