1 Background

A SMPTE control document has been through the standards process. It might be a full standard (ST) Recommended Practice (RP), Engineering Guideline (EG), a Registered Disclosure Document (RDD) and might be published or in a public Committee Draft (CD) state.

The Control Document defines everything about this register.

2 Control Document

The Control Document defines
- The status of the register (standard or other sort of register)
- The encoding format of the register (JSON, XML etc.)
- The semantic meaning of the terms and properties in the register
- The way in which the register is managed (records Created, Updated, Deprecated, Deleted etc.)
- The schema / validator for the register
- The relationship of the register to other registers within SMPTE or other organizations

3 This document

This is just a sample document for testing the software.