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Title: 	*Include MIME type specifications in XML encoding standards
Source: 	*JRC (GIGAS/INSPIRE), SWE Umbrella SWG
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Category: 	* B (Addition of feature)
Reason for change: 	* Compatibility with content-negotiation mechanisms provided by the http protocol requires a MIME-type to be registered for each distinct encoding. IANA registration accepts MIME-type description included in standards published by other organizations provided they generally follow the IANA template.

Summary of change: ⓘ	* Add IETF RFC 4288 'Media Type Specifications and Registration Procedures' as a normative reference. Add an additional clause requiring a MIME-type specification to be included as a separate clause in every OGC encoding standard. For XML encodings, an OGC MIME type should follow the pattern application/xxxxxx+xml The clause containing the MIME-type specification shall contain the headings taken from the IANA Application for Media Type application http://www.iana.org/cgi-bin/mediatypes.pl .
Consequences if not approved: ⓘ	Use of OGC encodings with standard web protocols is incomplete.
Clauses affected: ⓘ	* New clause required
Additional Documents affected: ⓘ	
Supporting Documentation: ⓘ	IETF RFC 4288 'Media Type Specifications and Registration Procedures' ftp://ftp.rfc-editor.org/in-notes/rfc4288.txt IANA register of MIME Media Types http://www.iana.org/assignments/media-types/index.html IANA Application for Media type http://www.iana.org/cgi-bin/mediatypes.pl OGC document 09-144r1 'Technical Committee Policies and Procedures: MIME Media Types for GML' http://portal.opengeospatial.org/files/?artifact_id=37743
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