

Appendix B: Intellectual Property Statements

B.1 Statement by Each Algorithm Submitter

I, Xianhui Lu, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085, to the best of my knowledge of my submitted algorithm BIT and its implementations (reference and optimized implementations included), do hereby declare:

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Signed: Xianhui Li 李献辉

Date: 2020.6.30

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I, Yongjian Yin, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085, to the best of my knowledge of my submitted algorithm BiT and its implementations (reference and optimized implementations included), do hereby declare:

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Signed: Yongjian Yin 尹永健

Date: 2026-6-30

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I, Yijian Liu, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085, to the best of my knowledge of my submitted algorithm BIT and its implementations (reference and optimized implementations included), do hereby declare:

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Signed: Yijian Lin 2026.6.28

Date: 2026 .6. 28

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Signed: Doach Cai 734.14
Date: 2026. 6.28

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Signed: Pingding Jia

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I, Lei Bi, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085, to the best of my knowledge of my submitted algorithm BIT and its implementations (reference and optimized implementations included), do hereby declare:

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Signed: Lei Bi

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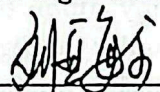
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Signed: Liu Yamin 

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I am fully aware that I bear the legal consequences of this statement.

Signed: Yiny Lin 2026.6.28

Date: 2026.6.28

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B.1 Statement by Each Algorithm Submitter

I, Yu Zhang, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085, to the best of my knowledge of my submitted algorithm BiT and its implementations (reference and optimized implementations included), do hereby declare:

1. I commit that my submitted algorithm and its implementations are in compliance with the security requirements, including but not limited to the requirements that the algorithm does not contain any backdoor or defect artificially designed and its implementations do not contain any malicious code. I do hereby commit that to the best of my knowledge, my submitted algorithm and its implementations do not contain any data, information or technology that may infringe upon trade secrets, or may involve confidentiality required by the laws and regulations of China and other countries.
2. I acknowledge and agree that my submitted algorithm and its implementations will be provided to the public for evaluation, analysis and review. I agree that any interested party, including the program organizer, public reviewers, etc., can freely use the algorithm and its implementations for evaluation purpose. I acknowledge that the program organizer will select several algorithms as candidates for the next-round evaluation or the finalists after evaluation and analysis; my submitted algorithm might not be selected as a candidate for the next-round evaluation or the finalist. I acknowledge that I will not receive financial or other compensation from the program organizer for my submitted algorithm.
3. To facilitate the next-generation commercial cryptographic algorithm standardization, I acknowledge and agree that if my submitted algorithm is selected for the finalists, the program organizer may modify the algorithm and its implementations out of security, availability or other considerations. If my submitted algorithm is selected for the finalists and to be standardized, I commit to place no restriction on the worldwide disclosure and free adoption of algorithm and its implementations.
4. I commit that the algorithm and its implementations are my (or my team's) own original work. The implementations of my submitted algorithm ☐ do / ☒ do not adopt code or code libraries requiring authorization by third parties. Except those clearly identified, citations and acknowledgment, all the opinions, words, diagrams and data in the submission are my own (or my team's) original research results, and the submission does not contain any published work from other individual or team.
5. (Please check one of the following two options.)
 - ☒ I do not hold and do not intend to hold any patent or patent application which may cover my submitted algorithm and its implementations, and to the best of my knowledge, no patent or patent application may cover my submitted algorithm and its implementations.
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Signed: Yu Zhang 张宇

Date: 2020.6.29

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Signed: Yan Shi 石彦

Date: 2026.6.29

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B.1 Statement by Each Algorithm Submitter

I, Hang Zhang, No. 10 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085, to the best of my knowledge of my submitted algorithm BIT and its implementations (reference and optimized implementations included), do hereby declare:

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Signed: Hang Zhang

Date: 2022.06.29

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Signed: Bing shi

Date: 2026. 6. 29

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B.2 Statement by Patent (and Patent Application) Owner(s)

(Please check one of the following two options.)

- ☐ I, _____ (full name), _____ (full postal address), am the owner of the patent/patent application _____ (patent number/patent application number);
- ☐ I, _____ (full name), _____ (full postal address), am the authorized representative of the owner _____ (full name) of the patent/patent application _____ (patent number/patent application number),

and do hereby agree to grant to any interested party, including the program organizer, public reviewers, etc., the right to freely use the above patent (and patent application) for evaluation purpose, and commit to grant to any interested party, including standard drafter, standard organization department, standard users, etc., a public, irrevocable, nonexclusive, royalty-free license for using the patent (and patent application) without any conditions, if the algorithm _____ (name of algorithm) is selected for standardization.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

(Note: If there are multiple owners of the patent (and patent application), the statements shall be signed by each and every one of them or their authorized representatives. The authorized representative shall submit the letter of authorization.)

B.3 Statement by Reference and Optimized Implementations' Owner(s)

(Please check one of the following two options.)

- ☒ I, Ya Shi, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085,
am the owner of the submitted reference implementation and optimized imple-
mentations of the algorithm BiT;
- ☐ I, (full name), (full postal address), am the authorized representative of
the owner (full name) of submitted reference implementation and
optimized implementations of the algorithm (name of algorithm);

and do hereby agree that any interested party, including the program organizer,
public reviewers, etc., can freely use such implementations for evaluation purpose,
and commit to place no restriction on worldwide disclosure and free adoption if the
algorithm is selected for standardization.

Signed: Ya Shi 石杰

Date: 2026.6.29

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Signed: Hang Zhang 张航
Date: 2026.06.29

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- ☒ I, Ying Liu, No. 19 Shucun Road, Beijing, China, 100085,
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Signed: Ying Liu 2/6/2026

Date: 2026.6.28

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Signed: Yu Zhang 张宇
Date: 2016.6.29

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