DeviceNet Router/B Release Notes

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1. PREFACE

1.1. COMPATIBILITY

Firmware revision 1.001.008 of the DeviceNet Router/B will require the following compatible versions:

Software	Version
Slate	1.073 and later

1.2. NOTES

The following should be noted:

- Firmware upgrades will be done using Aparian's Slate software.
- Aparian flash files have an .afb extension.
- Slate can also be used to set the initial network parameters using its DHCP server.
- Should any interruptions cause the module to not complete the firmware upgrade
 the module will return to Safe Mode. The user can then re-flash the module with the
 application firmware. See the user manual for more information regarding Safe
 Mode.

1.3. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The following resources contain additional information that can assist the user with the module installation and operation.

Resource	Link
Slate Installation	http://www.aparian.com/software/slate
DeviceNet Router/B User Manual	
DeviceNet Router/B Datasheet	http://www.aparian.com/products/devicenetrouterb
Example Code & UDTs	
Ethernet wiring standard	www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/video/cds/cde/cde205_220_420/inst
Ethernet wiring standard	allation/guide/cde205 220 420 hig/Connectors.html
DeviceNet	http://www.odva.org
Slate Installation	http://www.aparian.com/software/slate

1.4. SUPPORT

Technical support will be provided via the Web (in the form of user manuals, FAQ, datasheets etc.) to assist with installation, operation, and diagnostics.

For additional support the user can use either of the following:

Contact Us web link	www.aparian.com/contact-us
Support email	support@aparian.com

2. IMPROVEMENTS

The following updates are included in this firmware revision.

Revision	Improvement	Description
1.001.008	None	-
1.001.006	DeviceNet Stats	Added option to map DeviceNet and CAN statistics into Input
		Assembly or Modbus Registers using the Internal Mapping.
	DHCP Address Assign	Updated method to assign a Static IP Address using the DHCP
		Server Tool in Slate.
	LED Flash Discovery	Ability to discover the module by using the LED Flash
		function.

3. ANOMALIES FIXED

The following anomalies have been fixed in this firmware revision.

Revision	Anomaly	Description
1.001.008	Mapping	Fixed issue which could cause a faulty startup when EIP
		Originator or Modbus Client has been configured without any
		mapping items.
1.001.007	Group 3 Message	Fixed issue which did not allow for Group 3 messages to have
	Format	different message formats.
1.001.004	Group 2 Connection	Resolved issue where is Group 2 Connection is already
		established, would not establish again.
1.001.003	Group 2 Messaging	Resolved issue where incorrect class and instance length was
		being used for Group 2 Messaging

4. KNOWN ANOMALIES

The following known anomalies exist in this firmware revision.

Revision	Anomaly	Description
1.001.008	None	-