LBB 3576
Multi Voting
- Allows selection between six different kinds of voting
- Extensive voting preparation facilities
- Wide range of vote-related parameter options
- Choice of three voting results display types
- On-screen help facility

This software module provides the user with the means to select and control six different kinds of conference voting, including Parliamentary Voting. The voting types which can be implemented or selected are:

- Parliamentary
- Opinion Poll
- Audience Response
- Rating
- Multiple Choice
- For/Against

In each case, the program allows the user to prepare for voting, specify vote-related parameters, display and print voting results and start and control voting. There are two main windows: the Preparation window and the Control window. The Preparation window is where voting motions are created and parameters are defined or changed. The Control window is used for starting and controlling voting. There is also a Results window for displaying voting results. These can be displayed in bar-, pie-or thermometer chart form. It is also possible to see voting results while the voting is still taking place. These 'interim results' can be specified in the Preparation window. It is also possible to enable a quorum function. This specifies how many authorized delegates must be present before a voting can legitimately take place. A majority function determines what percentage of votes constitutes a majority voting. The files created are called 'script' files as they act as the script for voting procedures. A file menu allows script files to be opened, created, saved, deleted and printed. There is also a facility for importing script files which have been created and saved in another application.

Each script file can consist of a number of voting motions (up to 9999), each of which can be selected from a 'voting motions list' in the Preparation window. Once selected, a voting can be edited and then inserted back into the voting list. All parameters related to the voting can be altered although certain parameters have to satisfy system-specific criteria. A search facility is provided to help locate specific voting motions.

Vote-related parameters can be specified for each individual voting. These are:
- Vote type (open or closed, majority or non-majority, timed or non-timed)
- Time related options
- Results display style
- Interim results display
- Screen and print legends
- Hall display, vote weighting, roll call, voting LEDs and abstain options

Once a motion is ready to be voted on, delegates can register votes on their delegate units. Multi Voting incorporates a roll call function which, when activated, means that delegates must vote in a predetermined order which is specified in the Delegate Database Module (LBB 3580). Otherwise, delegates can vote in any order at the same time. Voting without a script is also possible, and the same functions are available as with a script. Voting can be stopped or suspended at any time, and incoming votes or the final result of a vote can be displayed on hall displays connected to the DCN system, on delegate units with a display facility and on-screen. The user can print the final result of a vote, and it can also be automatically exported to an MS-DOS file.

Note: Delegate Database LBB 3580 is required if delegate names are used.