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1 Clause 2

Add a new NOTE to the first paragraph as follows:

NOTE – This Recommendation | International Standard is based on ISO/IEC 10646:2003. It cannot be applied using later versions of this standard.

2 Clause 8.23.5

Replace the current text with:

8.23.5 For restricted character strings apart from **UniversalString**, **UTF8String** and **BMPString**, the octet string shall contain the octets specified in ISO/IEC 2022 for encodings in an 8-bit environment, using the escape sequence and character codings registered in accordance with ISO 2375.

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