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## **Information processing systems — Data communications — Protocol for providing the connectionless-mode network service**

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fournissant le service de réseau en mode sans connexion*

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