**3GPP TSG-SA3 Meeting #124 draft S3-253807-r1**

Wuhan, China, 13 – 17 October 2025 merge of S3-253479 and s3-253593

**Title: [draft] Reply LS on Security related protocol-specific parameters for N6 delay measurement**

**Response to: LS C3-252543 on Security related protocol-specific parameters for N6 delay measurement from CT3**

**Release: Rel-19**

**Work Item: EDGE\_PH3**

**Source: Nokia [to be SA3]**

**To: CT3**

**Cc: CT4, SA2**

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**Attachments:**

# 1 Overall description

SA3 thanks CT3 for the question regarding the security related protocol-specific parameters for N6 delay measurement.

SA3 would like to answer CT3 that the security related protocol-specific parameters listed in S3-251667 for the N6 delay measurement is provisioned by AF, excluding the shared secret, as indicated by S2-2507601.

SA3 also would like to clarify that the shared secret can still be exchanged between the SMF and UPF, hence, the answer provided to CT4 in S3-251667 is not impacted.

# 2 Actions

**To CT3**

**ACTION:** SA3 kindly asks CT3 to take the response into account

# 3 Dates of next TSG SA WG 3 meetings

SA3#125 17 – 21 November 2025 Dallas, US

SA3#126 9 – 13 February 2026 India (TBD)