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| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **38.401** | **CR** | **0220** | **rev** | **1** | **Current version:** | **17.0.0** |  |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME |  | Radio Access Network | **X** | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | CR to 38.401 for Corrections on Overall procedures for CPAC | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | CATT, China Telecom, NEC, Google | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | RAN3 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | LTE\_NR\_DC\_enh2-Core | | | | |  | | ***Date:*** | | 2022-05-16 |
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| ***Category:*** | **F** |  | | | | | | ***Release:*** | | Rel-17 |
|  | *Use one of the following categories:* ***F*** *(correction)* ***A*** *(mirror corresponding to a change in an earlier release)* ***B*** *(addition of feature),* ***C*** *(functional modification of feature)* ***D*** *(editorial modification)*  Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP [TR 21.900](http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/html-info/21900.htm). | | | | | | | | *Use one of the following releases: Rel-8 (Release 8) Rel-9 (Release 9) Rel-10 (Release 10) Rel-11 (Release 11) … Rel-15 (Release 15) Rel-16 (Release 16) Rel-17 (Release 17) Rel-18 (Release 18)*  *Rel-19 (Release 19)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | Correction on Overall procedures for CPAC.  In the spec, only one sentence captured as below, but no any procedures captured.  *The following clauses describe the overall procedures for CPAC involving E1 and F1.* | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | Add overall procedures for CPAC in section 8.16    **Impact Analysis:**  Impact assessment towards the previous version of the specification (same release): | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | The specification is not corrected | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 8.16 | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Other specs*** | |  | **X** | Other core specifications | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | | |
| ***affected:*** | |  | **X** | Test specifications | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | | |
| ***(show related CRs)*** | |  | **X** | O&M Specifications | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | | |
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| ***Other comments:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

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| ***This CR's revision history:*** | Rev1: revised based on the outcome of the email discussion |

8.16 Overall procedures for CPAC

The following clauses describe the overall procedures for CPAC involving E1 and F1.

#### 8.16.1 MN initiated Conditional PSCell Addition

The procedure for MN initiated Conditional PSCell Addition (CPA) is shown in Figure 8.16-1.

**Figure 8.16-1 Conditional Secondary Node Addition procedure**

1-12. The steps 1-12 are as defined in TS 37.340 [12].

a1-a5. The steps a1-a5 are as defined in clause 8.9.2 and with conditional indications.

a6. After Random Access procedure successfully performed at the candidate gNB-DU which becomes the target SN gNB-DU, the target gNB-DU sends a Downlink Data Delivery Status frame to inform the target gNB-CU-UP. The target gNB-DU also sends an ACCESS SUCCESS message to inform the target gNB-CU-CP of which cell the UE has successfully accessed.

#### 8.16.2 MN initiated conditional SN Change

The procedure for MN initiated conditional SN Change refer to TS 37.340[12]. In case of split gNB architecture, the procedures between gNB-CU and gNB-DU and the procedures between gNB-CU-CP and gNB-CU-UP refer to 8.16.1.

#### 8.16.3 SN initiated conditional inter-SN Change

The procedure for SN initiated conditional SN Change refer to TS 37.340[12]. In case of split gNB architecture, the procedures between gNB-CU and gNB-DU and the procedures between gNB-CU-CP and gNB-CU-UP refer to 8.16.1.