**3GPP TSG-RAN WG3 Meeting #127bis R3-252409**

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**Agenda item: 14.3**

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**Title: (TP to BL CR for TS 38.413) Enhancement to support hard FLSO**

**Document for: Discussion and Decision**

# 1 Introduction

This TP propose TS 38.413 TP to suspend/resume the downlink NG transmission before/after hard FLSO.

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### 8.7.2 RAN Configuration Update

#### 8.7.2.1 General

The purpose of the RAN Configuration Update procedure is to update application level configuration data needed for the NG-RAN node and the AMF to interoperate correctly on the NG-C interface. This procedure does not affect existing UE-related contexts, if any. The procedure uses non UE-associated signalling.

#### 8.7.2.2 Successful Operation

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If the *TAI NSAG Support List* IE is included in the *Broadcast PLMN Item* IE in the RAN CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, the AMF shall, if supported, use this information as specified in TS 23.501 [9].

If the *Downlink NG Transmission Control* IE is included in the RAN CONFIGURATION UPDATE message, the AMF shall, if supported, suspend or resume the downlink NG transmission accordingly.

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#### 9.2.6.4 RAN CONFIGURATION UPDATE

This message is sent by the NG-RAN node to transfer updated application layer information for an NG-C interface instance.

Direction: NG-RAN node → AMF

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| IE/Group Name | Presence | Range | IE type and reference | Semantics description | Criticality | Assigned Criticality |
| Message Type | M |  | 9.3.1.1 |  | YES | reject |
| RAN Node Name | O |  | PrintableString  (SIZE(1..150, …)) |  | YES | ignore |
| **Supported TA List** |  | *0..1* |  | Supported TAs in the NG-RAN node. | YES | reject |
| **>Supported TA Item** |  | *1..<maxnoofTACs>* |  |  | - |  |
| >>TAC | M |  | 9.3.3.10 | Broadcast TAC | - |  |
| **>>Broadcast PLMN List** |  | *1* |  |  | - |  |
| **>>>Broadcast PLMN Item** |  | *1..<maxnoofBPLMNs>* |  |  | - |  |
| >>>>PLMN Identity | M |  | 9.3.3.5 | Broadcast PLMN | - |  |
| >>>>TAI Slice Support List | M |  | Slice Support List  9.3.1.17 | Supported S-NSSAIs per TAC, per PLMN or per SNPN. | - |  |
| >>>>NPN Support | O |  | 9.3.3.44 | If the *NID* IE is included, it identifies a SNPN together with the *PLMN Identity* IE. | YES | reject |
| >>>>Extended TAI Slice Support List | O |  | Extended Slice Support List  9.3.1.191 | Additional Supported S-NSSAIs per TAC, per PLMN or per SNPN. | YES | reject |
| >>>>TAI NSAG Support List | O |  | 9.3.1.238 | NSAG information associated with the slices per TAC, per PLMN or per SNPN. | YES | ignore |
| >>Configured TAC Indication | O |  | 9.3.3.50 |  | YES | ignore |
| >>RAT Information | O |  | 9.3.1.125 | RAT information associated with the TAC of the indicated PLMN(s). | YES | reject |
| Default Paging DRX | O |  | Paging DRX  9.3.1.90 |  | YES | ignore |
| Global RAN Node ID | O |  | 9.3.1.5 |  | YES | ignore |
| **NG-RAN TNL Association to Remove List** |  | *0..1* |  |  | YES | reject |
| **>NG-RAN TNL Association to Remove Item** |  | *1..<maxnoofTNLAssociations>* |  |  | - |  |
| >>TNL Association Transport Layer Address | M |  | CP Transport Layer Information  9.3.2.6 | Transport layer address of the NG-RAN node. | - |  |
| >>TNL Association Transport Layer Address at AMF | O |  | CP Transport Layer Information  9.3.2.6 | Transport layer address of the AMF. | - |  |
| NB-IoT Default Paging DRX | O |  | 9.3.1.137 |  | YES | ignore |
| Extended RAN Node Name | O |  | 9.3.1.193 |  | YES | ignore |
| Downlink NG Transmission Control | O |  | ENUMERATED  (suspend, resume,  …) | Indicates the CN to suspend or resume the downlink NG Transmission | YES | ignore |

Editor’s Note: FFS whether this IE is needed.

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| Range bound | Explanation |
| maxnoofTACs | Maximum no. of TACs. Value is 256. |
| maxnoofBPLMNs | Maximum no. of Broadcast PLMNs. Value is 12. |
| maxnoofTNLAssociations | Maximum no. of TNL Associations between the NG-RAN node and the AMF. Value is 32. |

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### 9.4.4 PDU Definitions

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-- PDU definitions for NGAP.

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NGAP-PDU-Contents {

itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)

ngran-Access (22) modules (3) ngap (1) version1 (1) ngap-PDU-Contents (1) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

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WUS-Assistance-Information,

XrDeviceWith2Rx,

DownlinkNGTransmissionControl

FROM NGAP-IEs

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id-XrDeviceWith2Rx,

id-SLPositioningRangingServiceInfo,

id-DownlinkNGTransmissionControl

FROM NGAP-Constants;

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-- RAN CONFIGURATION UPDATE

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RANConfigurationUpdate ::= SEQUENCE {

protocolIEs ProtocolIE-Container { {RANConfigurationUpdateIEs} },

...

}

RANConfigurationUpdateIEs NGAP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

{ ID id-RANNodeName CRITICALITY ignore TYPE RANNodeName PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-SupportedTAList CRITICALITY reject TYPE SupportedTAList PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-DefaultPagingDRX CRITICALITY ignore TYPE PagingDRX PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-GlobalRANNodeID CRITICALITY ignore TYPE GlobalRANNodeID PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-NGRAN-TNLAssociationToRemoveList CRITICALITY reject TYPE NGRAN-TNLAssociationToRemoveList PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-NB-IoT-DefaultPagingDRX CRITICALITY ignore TYPE NB-IoT-DefaultPagingDRX PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-Extended-RANNodeName CRITICALITY ignore TYPE Extended-RANNodeName PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-DownlinkNGTransmissionControl CRITICALITY ignore TYPE DownlinkNGTransmissionControl PRESENCE optional },

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### 9.4.5 Information Element Definitions

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-- Information Element Definitions

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NGAP-IEs {

itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)

ngran-Access (22) modules (3) ngap (1) version1 (1) ngap-IEs (2) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

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DL-NGU-TNLInformationReused ::= ENUMERATED {

true,

...

}

DirectForwardingPathAvailability ::= ENUMERATED {

direct-path-available,

...

}

DownlinkNGTransmissionControl ::= ENUMERATED {

suspend,

resume,

...

}

DRB-ID ::= INTEGER (1..32, ...)

DRBsSubjectToStatusTransferList ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofDRBs)) OF DRBsSubjectToStatusTransferItem

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### 9.4.7 Constant Definitions

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-- Constant definitions

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NGAP-Constants {

itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)

ngran-Access (22) modules (3) ngap (1) version1 (1) ngap-Constants (4) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

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id-QoERVQoEReportingPaths ProtocolIE-ID ::= 438

id-UserLocationInformationN3IWF-without-PortNumber ProtocolIE-ID ::= 439

id-AUN3DeviceAccessInfo ProtocolIE-ID ::= 440

id-DownlinkNGTransmissionControl ProtocolIE-ID ::= a

END

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***-----------------End of the Changes-------------------***