UE
Source eNodeB
Target eNodeB
MME
Serving GW
PDN GW
Downlink and uplink data
Handover preparation
Handover execution
Forwarding of data
0. RAN Data Reporting
Handover completion
Downlink data
Uplink data
1 Path Switch Request
2 Modify Bearer Request
3a Modify Bearer Request
3b Modify Bearer Response
(A)
4 Modify Bearer Response
Downlink data
5. End marker
5. End marker
6 Path Switch Request Ack
7 Release Resource
7a. Change Notification Request/Response
8. Tracking Area Update procedure