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N4-020186

Title: Liaison Statement on Lawful Interception For OoBTC
Source: CN4
To: SA3(for the attention of LI subgroup)
Cc:
Response to: S3LI01-107(N4-020113) on inclusion of LI in CN standards.
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Attachments:

1. Overall Description:

CN4 thanks SA3-LI for their LS, in particular regarding the current inclusion of LI impacts in TS 23.153. In general CN4 accepts and agrees to the request for providing SA3-LI with information regarding new features and possible LI impacts.

In specific reference to the TS 23.153 v 4.1.0 (UMTS Release 4) where a very basic statement is made that for TrFO calls PCM will be provided (by two decoders – i.e. only stereo monitoring) this was included after considering the existing LI standards and the fact that only PCM is supported by monitoring functions. During the release 4 standardisation work for the OoBTC WI, CN4 did contact SA3-LI (N4-010291 at the CN4 Rel-4 Ad Hoc Meeting, Madrid, SPAIN on the 13th February – 15th February 2001 in response to S3-000742) to request their opinion on this and the reply was that this was not covered by 3GPP standards. Thus as TrFO through the network was new to Release 4 standards and TS 23.153 introduced this it was agreed that at least a statement to indicate that no impacts to existing monitoring functions was required.

If SA3-LI is now embarking on the standardisation of these aspects and can provide CN4 with a specification that covers this (and of course more detail as you group sees fit) then CN4 agrees to remove such text from later releases of this specification, replaced with a reference to the appropriate SA3-LI specification.

2. Actions:

NONE

3. Date of Next CN4 Meetings:

CN4_13 8th – 12th April 2002 Florida, US

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