

Title: Response to Liaison statement on the MBMS security
Source: SA3
To: SA2
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Response to: S2-022040

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1. Overall Description:

SA3 would like to thank SA2 for their liaison, sharing their initial thoughts on the design of a security architecture for MBMS and seeking advice from SA3.

SA3 understands that the design of a security architecture for MBMS is a very complex issue that requires a thorough analysis. As already agreed at the SA3#23 meeting, SA3 have defined a Work Item to cover the topic of MBMS security (see attached Work Item Description as agreed at the SA3#24 meeting). This Work Item will result in a new TS 33.xyz to describe the MBMS security architecture.

SA3 cannot therefore give definitive answers at this stage to the list of questions asked in SA2's liaison but these questions are being considered by SA3. Initial discussions have also shown that requirements for Lawful Interception need to be considered, which will be done in cooperation with the SA3 LI subgroup.

2. Actions:

To SA2

ACTION: SA2 is asked to take into account in their work on MBMS architecture that SA3 will produce a TS on MBMS security. SA3 is looking towards a fruitful collaboration with SA2 on that topic.

3. Date of Next SA3 Meetings:

SA3#25	8 - 11 Oct 02	Munich	Germany
SA3#26	19 - 22 Nov 02	Sophia Antipolis (TBC)	