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3GPP SA 2 #34 Brussels, Belgium, 18-22/8/03 Tdoc S2-033242 rev of S2-033109

TP-030167

Title: Response LS on MMS support by USAT

Response to: LS (S2-032344 = TP-030150) LS on the addition of MMS support by the USIM

Application Toolkit from TSG-T

Release: Rel-6

Work Item:

Source: SA2

To: TSG-T, T3, **Cc:** SA 1, T2

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1. Overall Description:

SA 2 have briefly considered this issue and agree with the following SA1 statement in S2-032811 = S1-030922

"SA1 agreed that the principle requirement is to provide a higher bandwidth channel to USAT, than that currently provided by SMS."

SA 2 understand that many Over The Air SIM updates use multiple (eg >20) SMSes and SA 2 note that the SMS architecture is not well optimised for this. Hence, MMS appears to be a suitable 'bearer' to use as a natural evolution of multiple concatenated SMSes.

2. Actions:

To TSG T and T3 groups:

ACTION: To note SA 2's above statements.

3. Date of Next TSG-SA 2 Meetings:

SA2 #35 27-31 October 2003 Bangkok

SA2 #36 24-28 November 2003 Sophia Antipolis