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1. Overall description

SA2 would like to thank CN1 for their LS on Media Grouping.

SA2 understands the issues raised by CN1 with respect to the stage-3 availability of the IMS level indication for media component separation to different PDP Contexts. At the same time, SA2 does not intend to change the stage-2 mechanism specified in sub-clause 4.2.5.1 of TS 23.228 for Rel5 (or Rel6), as it allows for enough flexibility in terms of unavailability of the KIS (Keep It Separate) indicator.

SA2 understands that the UE is expected to put realtime media components to separate PDP Contexts irrespective of the availability of the KIS indicator. At the same time, the UE may share the same PDP Context for non-realtime components.

As a conclusion, SA2 would like to ask CN1 to further pursue the work on the KIS indicator (draft-camarillo-mmusic-separate-streams-00.txt). In SA2's opinion it is desirable to complete this work within Rel5, however, if the Rel5 timelines can not be met, it is acceptable to complete this work in Rel6 timeframe.

2. Actions

SA2 would like to kindly request CN1 to follow the recommendations described above.

3. Date of Next TSG SA WG2 Meetings

SA2 #27	14 – 18 October 2002	Beijing, China
SA2 #28	11 – 15 November 2002	Bangkok, Thailand