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Introduction

TSG-N and its WGs have been preparing a document on 3GPP specifications, mainly inherited from SMG3 and SMG4, and WG responsibilities for them. The latest version of it can be found in NP-99107. The document is a valuable tool for documenting the work area of TSG-N.

The document currently lists also some documents that are possibly not transferred to TSG-N but kept in SMG3 due to their regional flavour. They are likely to be removed from the list. Also, some specifications are listed only under N-SS, i.e., the ad-hoc for Supplementary Services. An ad-hoc has, by definition, a limited lifetime. Therefore, identifying early enough a new home for specifications proposed to belong to NN-SS would avoid homeless specifications.

Proposal

Nokia proposes that SMG3 be informed about the specifications that are removed from the TSG-N list. This would allow SMG3 to maintain a complementary list of regional specifications, needed to build a complete 3G system.

On specifications belonging to N-SS, Nokia proposes that a secondary responsibility be identified for all specifications listed for NN-SS. This secondary responsibility would then become the primary responsibility when N-SS is dissolved.