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Callback Interface Used

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An alternative for adding the new methods would be to call createNotification() with "*" as address-range. For several reasons, this approach is not chosen:

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The impacts to 29.198-4 are listed below (with change bars):

7.1.1Sequence Diagrams

7.1.x Network Controlled Notifications

The following sequence diagram shows how an application can receive notifications that have not been created by the application, but are provisioned from within the network.



1: The application is started. The application creates a new IpAppMultiPartyCallControlManager to handle callbacks.

<u>2:</u> The enableNotifications method is invoked on the IpMultiPartyCallControlManager interface to indicate that the application is ready to receive notifications that are created in the network. For illustrative purposes we assume notifications of type "B" are created in the network.

3: When a network created trigger occurs the application is notified on the callback interface.

4: The event is forwarded to the application.

5: When a network created trigger occurs the application is notified on the callback interface.

6: The event is forwarded to the application.

<u>7: When the application does not want to receive notifications created in the network anymore, it invokes</u> <u>disableNotifications on the IpMultiPartyCallConrolManager interface.</u> From now on the gateway will not send any notifications to the application that are created in the network.

7.3.1 Interface Class IpMultiPartyCallControlManager

<<Interface>>

IpMultiPartyCallControlManager

createCall (appCall : in IpAppMultiPartyCallRef) : TpMultiPartyCallIdentifier

createNotification (appCallControlManager : in IpAppMultiPartyCallControlManagerRef, notificationRequest : in TpCallNotificationRequest) : TpAssignmentID

destroyNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID) : void

changeNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID, notificationRequest : in TpCallNotificationRequest) : void

getNotification () : TpNotificationRequestedSet

setCallLoadControl (duration : in TpDuration, mechanism : in TpCallLoadControlMechanism, treatment : in TpCallTreatment, addressRange : in TpAddressRange) : TpAssignmentID

<u>enablePresetNotifications (appCallControlManager : in IpAppMultiPartyCallControlManagerRef) :</u> <u>TpAssignmentID</u>

disablePresetNotifications (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID) : void

Method createNotification()

This method is used to enable call notifications so that events can be sent to the application. This is the first step an application has to do to get initial notifications of calls happening in the network. When such an event happens, the application will be informed by reportNotification(). In case the application is interested in other events during the context of a particular call session it has to use the createAndRouteCallLegReq() method on the call object or the eventReportReq() method on the call leg object. The application will get access to the call object when it receives the reportNotification(). (Note that createNotification() is not applicable if the call is setup by the application).

The createNotification method is purely intended for applications to indicate their interest to be notified when certain call events take place. It is possible to subscribe to a certain event for a whole range of addresses, e.g. the application can indicate it wishes to be informed when a call is made to any number starting with 800.

If some application already requested notifications with criteria that overlap the specified criteria <u>or the specified</u> <u>criteria overlap with criteria already present in the network (when provisioned from within the network)</u>, the request is refused with P_INVALID_CRITERIA. The criteria are said to overlap if both originating and terminating ranges overlap and the same number plan is used.

If a notification is requested by an application with monitor mode set to notify, then there is no need to check the rest of the criteria for overlapping with any existing request as the notify mode does not allow control on a call to be passed over. Only one application can place an interrupt request if the criteria overlaps.

If the same application requests two notifications with exactly the same criteria but different callback references, the second callback will be treated as an additional callback. Both notifications will share the same assignmentID. The gateway will always use the most recent callback. In case this most recent callback fails the second most recent is used. In case the enableCallNotification contains no callback, at the moment the application needs to be informed the gateway will use as callback the callback that has been registered by setCallback().

Returns assignmentID: Specifies the ID assigned by the call control manager interface for this newly-enabled event notification.

Parameters

appCallControlManager : in IpAppMultiPartyCallControlManagerRef

If this parameter is set (i.e. not NULL) it specifies a reference to the application interface, which is used for callbacks. If set to NULL, the application interface defaults to the interface specified via the setCallback() method.

notificationRequest : in TpCallNotificationRequest

Specifies the event specific criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these criteria are reported. Examples of events are "incoming call attempt reported by network", "answer", "no answer", "busy". Individual addresses or address ranges may be specified for destination and/or origination.

Returns

TpAssignmentID

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_CRITERIA, P_INVALID_INTERFACE_TYPE, P_INVALID_EVENT_TYPE

Method

destroyNotification()

This method is used by the application to disable call notifications. <u>This method only applies to notifications created</u> with createNotification().

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the assignment ID given by the generic call control manager interface when the previous enableNotification() was called. If the assignment ID does not correspond to one of the valid assignment IDs, the exception P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENTID will be raised. If two callbacks have been registered under this assignment ID both of them will be disabled.

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID

Method changeNotification()

This method is used by the application to change the event criteria introduced with createNotification. Any stored criteria associated with the specified assignmentID will be replaced with the specified criteria.

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the ID assigned by the generic call control manager interface for the event notification. If two callbacks have been registered under this assignment ID both of them will be changed.

notificationRequest : in TpCallNotificationRequest

Specifies the new set of event specific criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these criteria are reported.

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID, P_INVALID_CRITERIA, P_INVALID_EVENT_TYPE

Method getNotification()

This method is used by the application to query the event criteria set with createNotification or changeNotification.

Returns notificationsRequested: Specifies the notifications that have been requested by the application.

Parameters

No Parameters were identified for this method

Returns

TpNotificationRequestedSet

Raises

TpCommonExceptions

<u>Method</u> enablePresetNotifications()

This method is used to indicate that the application is able to receive notifications-of network events. These notifications have been which are provisioned from within the network (i.e. these notifications are NOT set using createNotification() but via, for instance, a network management system). If notifications provisioned for this application are created or changed, the application is unaware of this until the notification is reported.

If the same application requests to enable notifications for a second time with a different IpAppMultiPartyCallControlManager reference (i.e. without first disabling them), the second callback will be treated as an additional callback. This means that the callback will only be used in cases when the first callback specified by the application is unable to handle the callEventNotify (e.g. due to overload or failure).

When this method is used, it is still possible to use createNotification() for service provider provisioned notifications on the same interface as long as the criteria in the network and provided by createNotification() do not overlap. However, it is NOT recommended to use both mechanisms on the same service manager.

The methods changeNotification(), getNotification(), and destroyNotification() do not apply to notifications provisoned in the network and enabled using enableNotifications(). These only apply to notifications created using createNotification().

Returns assignmentID: Specifies the ID assigned by the manager interface for this operation. This ID is contained in any reportNotification() that is related to notifications provisioned from within the network. Furthermore it is required as input for disablePresetfications(). Repeated calls to enableNotifications() return the same assignment ID.

Parameters

appCallControlmanager : in IpAppMultiPartyCallControlManagerRef

If this parameter is set (i.e. not NULL) it specifies a reference to the application interface, which is used for callbacks. If set to NULL, the application interface defaults to the interface specified via the

setCallback() method.

<u>Returns</u>

TpAssignmentID

<u>Raises</u>

TpCommonExceptions

<u>Method</u>

disablePresetNotifications()

This method is used to indicate that the application is not able to receive notifications of network events for which the provisioning has been done from within the network. (i.e. these notifications that are NOT set using createNotification() but via, for instance, a network management system). After this method is called, no operator controlled such notifications are reported anymore.

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the ID returned by enablePresetfications(). No parameters are identified for this method.

<u>Raises</u>

TpCommonExceptions

7.4.1.3 Overview of allowed methods

Call Control Manager State	Methods applicable
Active	createCall,
	createNotification,
	destroyNotification,
	changeNotification,
	getNotification,
	setCallLoadControl <u>.</u>
	enablePresetNotifications,
	disablePresetNotifications
Interrupted	GetNotification.
	EnablePresetNotifications,
	DisablePresetNotifications

7.5.2 Service Property values for the CAMEL Service Environment.

Implementations of the MultiParty Call Control API relying on the CSE shall have the Service Properties outlined above set to the indicated values :

```
P_OPERATION_SET = {
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.createNotification",
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.destroyNotification",
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.changeNotification",
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.getNotification",
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.enableNotifications",
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.disableNotifications",
"IpMultiPartyCallControlManager.setCallLoadControl"
"IpMultiPartyCall.getCallLegs",
"IpMultiPartyCall.createCallLeg"
"IpMultiPartyCall.createAndRouteCallLegReq",
"IpMultiPartyCall.release",
"IpMultiPartyCall.deassignCall",
"IpMultiPartyCall.getInfoReg",
"IpMultiPartyCall.setChargePlan",
"IpMultiPartyCall.setAdviceOfCharge",
"IpMultiPartyCall.superviseReq",
"IpCallLeg.routeReq",
"IpCallLeg.eventReportReq",
"IpCallLeg.release",
"IpCallLeg.getInfoReq",
"IpCallLeg.getCall",
"IpCallLeg.continueProcessing"
}
P_TRIGGERING_EVENT_TYPES = {
P_CALL_EVENT_CALL_ATTEMPT,
P CALL EVENT ADDRESS COLLECTED,
P_CALL_EVENT_ADDRESS_ANALYSED,
P_CALL_EVENT_RELEASE,
P_DYNAMIC_EVENT_TYPES = {
P_CALL_EVENT_ANSWER,
P_CALL_EVENT_RELEASE
P_ADDRESS_PLAN = {
P_ADDRESS_PLAN_E164
}
P_UI_CALL_BASED = {
TRUE
}
P_UI_AT_ALL_STAGES = {
FALSE
}
P_MEDIA_TYPE = {
P_AUDIO
}
P_MAX_CALLLEGS_PER_CALL = {
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2
}
P_UI_CALLLEG_BASED = {
FALSE
}
P_MEDIA_ATTACH_EXPLICIT = {
FALSE
}
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4 Generic and Call User Interaction SCF

The Generic User Interaction service capability feature is used by applications to interact with end users. It consists of two interfaces:

- User Interaction Manager, containing management functions for User Interaction related issues;
- Generic User Interaction, containing methods to interact with an end-user.

The Generic User Interaction service capability feature is described in terms of the methods in the Generic User Interaction interfaces.

The following table gives an overview of the Generic User Interaction methods and to which interfaces these methods belong.

User Interaction Manager	Generic User Interaction
createUI	sendInfoReq
createUICall	sendInfoRes
createNotification	sendInfoErr
destroyUINotification	sendInfoAndCollectReq
reportNotification	sendInfoAndCollectRes
userInteractionAborted	sendInfoAndCollectErr
userInteractionNotificationInterru	release
pted	
userInteractionNotificationContin	UserInteractionFaultDetected
ued	
changeNotification	
getNotification	
enablePresetNotifications	
disablePresetNotifications	

7.1 Sequence Diagrams

7.1.x Network Controlled Notifications

The following sequence diagram shows how an application can receive notifications that have not been created by the application, but are provisioned from within the network.



1: The application is started. The application creates a new IpAppUIManager to handle callbacks.

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8.1 Interface Class IpUIManager

<<Interface>>

IpUIManager

createUI (appUI : in IpAppUIRef, userAddress : in TpAddress) : TpUIIdentifier

createUICall (appUI : in IpAppUICallRef, uiTargetObject : in TpUITargetObject) : TpUICallIdentifier

createNotification (appUIManager : in IpAppUIManagerRef, eventCriteria : in TpUIEventCriteria) : TpAssignmentID

destroyNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID) : void

changeNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID, evenCriteria : in TpUIEventCriteria) : void

getNotification () : TpUIEventCriteriaResultSet

enablePresetNotifications (appUIManager : in IpAppUIManagerRef) : TpAssignmentID

disablePresetNotifications (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID) : void

Method createNotification()

This method is used by the application to install specified notification criteria, for which the reporting is implicitly activated. If some application already requested notifications with criteria that overlap the specified criteria<u>or the specified criteria overlap with criteria already present in the network (when provisioned from within the network)</u>, the request is refused with P_INVALID_CRITERIA.

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Returns: assignmentID

Specifies the ID assigned by the generic user interaction manager interface for this newly installed notification criteria.

Parameters

appUIManager : in IpAppUIManagerRef

If this parameter is set (i.e. not NULL) it specifies a reference to the application interface, which is used for callbacks. If set to NULL, the application interface defaults to the interface specified via the setCallback() method.

eventCriteria : in TpUIEventCriteria

Specifies the event specific criteria used by the application to define the event required, like user address and service code.

Returns

TpAssignmentID

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_CRITERIA, P_INVALID_INTERFACE_TYPE

Method destroyNotification()

This method is used by the application to destroy previously installed notification criteria via the createNotification method.

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the assignment ID given by the generic user interaction manager interface when the previous createNotification() was called. If the assignment ID does not correspond to one of the valid assignment IDs, the framework will return the error code P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID.

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID

Method changeNotification()

This method is used by the application to change the event criteria introduced with createNotification method. Any stored notification request associated with the specified assignmentID will be replaced with the specified events requested.

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the ID assigned by the manager interface for the event notification.

eventCriteria : in TpUIEventCriteria

Specifies the new set of event criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these criteria are reported.

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID, P_INVALID_CRITERIA

Method getNotification()

This method is used by the application to query the event criteria set with createNotification or changeNotification.

Returns: eventCriteria

Specifies the event specific criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these criteria are reported.

Parameters

No Parameters were identified for this method

Returns

TpUIEventCriteriaResultSet

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_CRITERIA

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Parameters

appCallControlmanager : in IpAppUIManagerRef

If this parameter is set (i.e. not NULL) it specifies a reference to the application interface, which is used for callbacks. If set to NULL, the application interface defaults to the interface specified via the setCallback() method.

<u>Returns</u>

TpAssignmentID

<u>Raises</u> <u>TpCommonExceptions</u>

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Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

<u>Specifies the ID returned by enablePresetNotifications().No parameters for this method are</u> identified.

<u>Raises</u>

TpCommonExceptions

9 State Transition Diagrams

9.1 State Transition Diagrams for IpUIManager



Figure : Application view on the UI Manager

9.1.1 Active State

In this state a relation between the Application and a User Interaction Service Capability Feature (Generic User Interaction or Call User Interaction) has been established. The application is now able to request creation of UI and/orUICall objects.

9.1.2 Notification Terminated State

When the UI manager is in the Notification terminated state, events requested with

createNotification()/enablePresetNotifications() will not be forwarded to the application. There can be multiple reasons for this: for instance it might be that the application receives more notifications than defined in the Service Level Agreement. Another example is that the SCS has detected it receives no notifications from the network due to e.g. a link failure. In this state no requests for new notifications will be accepted.

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Callback Interface Used

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Alternatives

An alternative for adding the new methods would be to call createNotification() with "*" as address-range. For several reasons, this approach is not chosen:

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4 Data Session Control SCF

The Data Session Control SCFs are described in terms of the methods in the Data Session Control interfaces. Table 1 gives an overview of the Data Session Control methods and to which interfaces these methods belong.

Data Session Manager	Data Session
createNotification	connectReq
destroyNotification	connectRes
dataSessionNotificationInterrupted	connectErr
dataSessionNotificationContinued	release
reportNotification	superviseDataSessionReq
dataSessionAborted	superviseDataSessionRes
getNotification	superviseDataSessionErr
changeNotification	dataSessionFaultDetected
enableNotifications	setAdviceofCharge
disableNotifications	setDataSessionChargePlan

Table 1: Overview of Data Session Control interfaces and their methods

7.1.1 Sequence Diagrams

7.1.x Network Controlled Notifications

The following sequence diagram shows how an application can receive notifications that have not been created by the application, but are provisioned from within the network.



1: The application is started. The application creates a new IpAppDataSessionControlManager to handle callbacks.

<u>2:</u> The enableNotifications method is invoked on the IpDataSessionControlManager interface to indicate that the application is ready to receive notifications that are created in the network. For illustrative purposes we assume notifications of type "B" are created in the network.

3: When a network created trigger occurs the application is notified on the callback interface.

4: The event is forwarded to the application.

65: When a network created trigger occurs the application is notified on the callback interface.

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<u>107</u>: When the application does not want to receive notifications created in the network anymore, it invokes disableNotifications on the IpDataSessionConrolManager interface. From now on the gateway will not send any notifications to the application that are created in the network. The application will still receive notifications that it has created himself until the application removes them.

8.4 Interface Class IpDataSessionControlManager

< <interface>></interface>
IpDataSessionControlManager
createNotification (appDataSessionControlManager : in

IpAppDataSessionControlManagerRef, eventCriteria : in TpDataSessionEventCriteria) : TpAssignmentID destroyNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID) : void changeNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID, eventCriteria : in TpDataSessionEventCriteria) : void getNotification () : TpDataSessionEventCriteria <u>enablePresetNotifications (appDataSessionControlManager : in IpAppDataSessionControlManagerRef) : TpAssignmentID</u> <u>disablePresetNotifications (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID</u>) : void

Method createNotification()

This method is used to enable data session notifications so that events can be sent to the application. This is the first step an application has to do to get initial notifications of data session happening in the network. When such an event happens, the application will be informed by reportNotification(). In case the application is interested in other events during the context of a particular data session it has to use the connectReq() method on the data session object. The application will get access to the data session object when it receives the reportNotification().

The createNotification method is purely intended for applications to indicate their interest to be notified when certain data session events take place. It is possible to subscribe to a certain event for a whole range of addresses, e.g. the application can indicate it wishes to be informed when a data session is setup to any number starting with 800.

If some application already requested notifications with criteria that overlap the specified criteria <u>or the specified</u> <u>criteria overlap with criteria already present in the network (when provisioned from within the network)</u>, the request is refused with P_INVALID_CRITERIA. The criteria are said to overlap if both originating and terminating ranges overlap and the same number plan is used.

If the same application requests two notifications with exactly the same criteria but different callback references, the second callback will be treated as an additional callback. Both notifications will share the same assignmentID. The gateway will always use the most recent callback. In case this most recent callback fails the second most recent is used. In case the createNotification contains no callback, at the moment the application needs to be informed the gateway will use as callback that has been registered by setCallback().

Returns assignmentID : Specifies the ID assigned by the Data Session Manager object for this newly-enabled event notification.

Parameters

appDataSessionControlManager : in IpAppDataSessionControlManagerRef

If this parameter is set (i.e. not NULL) it specifies a reference to the application interface which is used for callbacks. If set to NULL, the application interface defaults to the interface specified via the setCallback() method.

eventCriteria : in TpDataSessionEventCriteria

Specifies the event specific criteria used by the application to define the event required. Individual addresses or address ranges may be specified for destination and/or origination. Examples of events are "Data Session set up".

Returns

TpAssignmentID

Raises

```
TpCommonExceptions, P_SERVICE_INFORMATION_MISSING,
P_SERVICE_FAULT_ENCOUNTERED, P_INVALID_NETWORK_STATE, P_INVALID_ADDRESS,
P_INVALID_CRITERIA, P_INVALID_EVENT_TYPE
```

Method

destroyNotification()

This method is used by the application to disable data session notifications. <u>This method only applies to notifications</u> created with createNotification().

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the assignment ID given by the data session manager object when the previous createNotification() was done.

Raises

```
TpCommonExceptions, P_SERVICE_INFORMATION_MISSING,
P_SERVICE_FAULT_ENCOUNTERED, P_INVALID_NETWORK_STATE,
P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID
```

Method changeNotification()

This method is used by the application to change the event criteria introduced with the createNotification method. Any stored notification request associated with the specified assignmentID will be replaced with the specified events requested.

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the ID assigned by the manager interface for the event notification.

eventCriteria : in TpDataSessionEventCriteria

Specifies the new set of event criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these criteria are reported.

Raises

```
TpCommonExceptions, P_SERVICE_INFORMATION_MISSING,
P_SERVICE_FAULT_ENCOUNTERED, P_INVALID_NETWORK_STATE,
P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID, P_INVALID_CRITERIA, P_INVALID_EVENT_TYPE
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Method getNotification()

This method is used by the application to query the event criteria set with createNotification or changeNotification.

Returns eventCriteria : Specifies the event criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these requirements are reported.

Parameters No Parameters were identified for this method

Returns

TpDataSessionEventCriteria

Raises

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<u>Method</u> enablePresetNotifications()

This method is used to indicate that the application is able to receive notifications of network events. These notifications have been which are provisioned from within the network (i.e. these notifications are NOT set using createNotification() but via, for instance, a network management system). If notifications provisioned for this application are created or changed, the application is unaware of this until the notification is reported.

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Parameters

appCallControlmanager : in IpAppDataSessionControlManagerRef

If this parameter is set (i.e. not NULL) it specifies a reference to the application interface, which is used for callbacks. If set to NULL, the application interface defaults to the interface specified via the setCallback() method.

<u>Returns</u>

TpAssignmentID

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7.1.x Network Controlled Notifications

The following sequence diagram shows how an application can receive notifications that have not been created by the application, but are provisioned from within the network.



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8.1 Interface Class IpAccountManager

< <interface>></interface>
IpAccountManager
createNotification (ChargingEventCriteria : in TpChargingEventCriteria) : TpAssignmentID
destroyNotification (assignmentId : in TpAssignmentID) : void
queryBalanceReq (users : in TpAddressSet) : TpSessionID
changeNotification (assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID, eventCriteria : in TpChargingEventCriteria) : void
getNotification () : TpChargingEventCriteriaResult
retrieveTransactionHistoryReq (user : in TpAddress, transactionInterval : in TpTimeInterval) : TpSessionID
enablePresetNotifications() : TpAssignmentID
disablePresetNotifications(assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID) : void

Method destroyNotification()

This method is used by the application to disable charging notifications. <u>This method only applies to notifications</u> created with createNotification().

Parameters

assignmentId : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the assignment ID that was given by the account management object when the application enabled the charging notification.

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID

Method changeNotification()

This method is used by the application to change the event criteria introduced with createNotification. Any stored criteria associated with the specified assignmentID will be replaced with the specified criteria.

Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

Specifies the ID assigned by the manager interface for the event notification.

eventCriteria : in TpChargingEventCriteria

Specifies the new set of event criteria used by the application to define the event required. Only events that meet these criteria are reported

Raises

TpCommonExceptions, P_INVALID_ASSIGNMENT_ID, P_INVALID_CRITERIA, P_INVALID_EVENT_TYPE, P_UNKNOWN_SUBSCRIBER, P_INVALID_ADDRESS

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Parameters

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Returns

TpChargingEventCriteriaResultSet

Raises

TpCommonExceptions

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Parameters

No parameters are identified for this method.

<u>Returns</u>

TpAssignmentID

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Parameters

assignmentID : in TpAssignmentID

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<u>Raises</u> <u>TpCommonExceptions</u>

9 State Transition Diagrams

9.1 State Transition Diagrams for IpAccountManager



Figure : Application view on the IpAccountManager

9.1.1 Active State

In this state a relation between the Application and the Account Management has been established. The state allows the application to indicate that it is interested in charging related events, by calling

createNotification/enablePresetNotifications. In case such an event occurs, Account Manager will inform the

application by invoking the operation reportNotification() on the IpAppAccountManager interface. The application can also indicate it is no longer interested in certain charging related events by calling

 $destroy Notification \underbrace{().}/disable \underline{Preset} Notifications.$

9.1.2 Notifications created State

When the Account Manager is in the Notifications created state, events requested with createNotification()/<u>enablePresetNotifications</u> will be forwarded to the application. In this state the application can request to change the notifications or query the Account Manager for the notifications currently set.