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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME | **X** | Radio Access Network |  | Core Network | **X** |

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| ***Title:***  | Handling the paging cause in the UE and the network for MUSIM in 5GS |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Nokia, Nokia Shanghai Bell, Ericsson |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | C1 |
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| ***Work item code:*** | MUSIM |  | ***Date:*** | 2021-04-05 |
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| ***Category:*** | **B** |  | ***Release:*** | Rel-17 |
|  | *Use one of the following categories:****F*** *(correction)****A*** *(mirror corresponding to a change in an earlier release)****B*** *(addition of feature),* ***C*** *(functional modification of feature)****D*** *(editorial modification)*Detailed explanations of the above categories canbe found in 3GPP [TR 21.900](http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/html-info/21900.htm). | *Use one of the following releases:Rel-8 (Release 8)Rel-9 (Release 9)Rel-10 (Release 10)Rel-11 (Release 11)...Rel-15 (Release 15)Rel-16 (Release 16)Rel-17 (Release 17)Rel-18 (Release 18)* |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | Stage 2 approved CR S2-2101101 adds the requirements on the UE and the network to handle the paging cause for MUSIM. Those requirements need to be reflected in stage-3 spec. |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | Adding the requirement on the network to include the paging cause (for voice services only) if it supports this feature and if the UE operates in MUSIM mode.Adding an editor note for the UE handling of the paging case as it is waiting for SA2 decision. |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | Misalignment with stage-2 spec, and unclarity how the UE and the network shall handle the paging cause. |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | 5.6.2.1, 5.6.2.2.1 |
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| ***Other specs*** |  | **X** |  Other core specifications  | TS/TR ... CR ...  |
| ***affected:*** |  | **X** |  Test specifications | TS/TR ... CR ...  |
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| ***This CR's revision history:*** |  |

\*\*\*\*\* First change \*\*\*\*\*

5.6.2.1 General

The paging procedure is performed only in 3GPP access and used by the network to request the establishment of a NAS signalling connection to the UE. The paging procedure is also used by the network to request the UE to re-establish the user-plane resources of PDU sessions for downlink user data transport. Another purpose of the paging procedure is to request the UE to re-establish the user-plane resources of PDU session(s) associated with non-3GPP access over 3GPP access.

Additionally, the network can use the paging procedure to initiate the mobile terminating SMS.

For the UE using eDRX, the network initiates the paging procedure when NAS signalling messages or user data is pending to be sent to the UE within the paging time window. If NAS signalling messages or user data is pending to be sent to the UE outside the paging time window and the eDRX value that the network provides to the UE in the Negotiated extended DRX parameters IE during the last registration procedure is not all zeros (i.e. the E-UTRA eDRX cycle length duration, or the eDRX cycle length duration of the E-UTRA cell connected to 5GCN, is higher than 5.12 seconds), the network initiates the paging procedure at T time ahead of the beginning of the next paging time window.

NOTE: T time is a short time period based on implementation. The operator can take possible imperfections in the synchronization between the 5GCN and the UE into account when choosing T time.

If the network detects that the pending user data to be sent to the UE is related to the voice service as specified in 3GPP TS 23.502 [9] and the network decides to initiate the paging procedure based on the stored paging restriction information, if any, the AMF should request the lower layer to include the Voice Service Indication in the paging message when the UE and the network support the paging cause feature.

\*\*\*\*\* Next change \*\*\*\*\*

5.6.2.2.1 General

The network shall initiate the paging procedure for 5GS services when NAS signalling messages or user data is pending to be sent to the UE in 5GMM-IDLE mode over 3GPP access (see example in figure 5.6.2.2.1.1).

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**Figure 5.6.2.2.1.1: Paging procedure**

To initiate the procedure the 5GMM entity in the AMF requests the lower layer to start paging and shall start timer T3513.

If downlink signalling or user data is pending to be sent over non-3GPP access, the 5GMM entity in the AMF shall indicate to the lower layer that the paging is associated to non-3GPP access.

The network shall not page the UE to re-establish user-plane resources of PDU session(s) associated with non-3GPP access over 3GPP access if all the PDU sessions of the UE that are established over the 3GPP access are associated with control plane only indication.

The 5GMM entity in the AMF may provide the lower layer with the "allowed CAG list" and an "indication that the UE is only allowed to access 5GS via CAG cells" for the current PLMN, if available, and with the "allowed CAG list" and an "indication that the UE is only allowed to access 5GS via CAG cells" per equivalent PLMN, if available. If there is an active emergency PDU session, the 5GMM entity in the AMF shall not provide the lower layer with the "allowed CAG list" and an "indication that the UE is only allowed to access 5GS via CAG cells" for the current PLMN, even if available, or with the "allowed CAG list" and an "indication that the UE is only allowed to access 5GS via CAG cells" per equivalent PLMN, even if available.

Upon reception of a paging indication, the UE shall stop the timer T3346, if running, and:

a) if control plane CIoT 5GS optimization is not used by the UE, the UE shall:

1) initiate a service request procedure over 3GPP access to respond to the paging as specified in subclauses 5.6.1.2.1 if the UE is in 5GMM-REGISTERED.NORMAL-SERVICE or 5GMM-REGISTERED.NON-ALLOWED-SERVICE (as described in subclause 5.3.5.2) state and the UE is in the 5GMM-IDLE mode without suspend indication;

2) initiate a service request procedure over non-3GPP access to respond to the paging as specified in subclauses 5.6.1;

3) initiate a registration procedure for mobility and periodic registration update over 3GPP access to respond to the paging as specified in subclauses 5.5.1.3.2; or

4) proceed as specified in subclause 5.3.1.5 if the UE is in the 5GMM-IDLE mode with suspend indication; or

b) if control plane CIoT 5GS optimization is used by the UE, the UE shall:

1) initiate a service request procedure as specified in subclause 5.6.1.2.2 if the UE is in the 5GMM-IDLE mode without suspend indication;

2) initiate a registration procedure for mobility and periodic registration update over 3GPP access as specified in subclauses 5.5.1.3.2; or

3) proceed as specified in subclause 5.3.1.5 if the UE is in the 5GMM-IDLE mode with suspend indication.

NOTE: If the UE is in the 5GMM-IDLE mode without suspend indication and has an uplink user data to be sent to the network using control plane CIoT 5GS optimization when receiving the paging indication, the UE can piggyback the uplink user data during the service request procedure initiated to respond to the paging, as specified in subclause 5.6.1.2.2.

Editor's note: The behaviour of the UE if it is MUSIM capable in case it decides not to accept the paging based on the provided paging cause, if any, is FFS.

The network shall stop timer T3513 for the paging procedure when an integrity-protected response is received from the UE and successfully integrity checked by the network or when the 5GMM entity in the AMF receives an indication from the lower layer that it has received the NGAP UE context resume request message as specified in 3GPP TS 38.413 [31]. If the response received is not integrity protected, or the integrity check is unsuccessful, timer T3513 for the paging procedure shall be kept running unless:

a) the UE is registered for emergency services;

b) the UE has an emergency PDU session; or

c) the response received is a REGISTRATION REQUEST message for mobility and periodic registration update and the security mode control procedure or authentication procedure performed during mobility and periodic registration update has completed successfully.

Upon expiry of timer T3513, the network may reinitiate paging.

If the network, while waiting for a response to the paging sent without paging priority, receives downlink signalling or downlink data associated with priority user-plane resources for PDU sessions, the network shall stop timer T3513, and then initiate the paging procedure with paging priority.

\*\*\*\*\* End of changes \*\*\*\*\*