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⌘ **32.111-2 CR 023** ⌘ rev **-** ⌘ Current version: **4.5.0** ⌘

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		Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP TR 21.900 .	Rel-4 (Release 4)
			Rel-5 (Release 5)
			Rel-6 (Release 6)

Reason for change:	⌘	The IS document is not consistent in itself and with respect to the Alarm IRP Requirements (32.111-1) regarding Alarm Acknowledgement and Alarm Comments
Summary of change:	⌘	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> State clearly that alarm comments can be added by both the IRPManager and (optionally) the IRPAgent State clearly that <i>notifyComments</i> is generated whenever a comment is added to an alarm regardless whether the comment is added by the IRPManager or the IRPAgent. Correct the description of the parameters <i>ackTime</i>, <i>ackUserId</i> and <i>ackSystemId</i> to allow these parameters to be populated also in case the IRPAgent acknowledges/unacknowledges alarms Correct the description of the parameters <i>commentTime</i>, <i>commentText</i>, <i>commentUserId</i>, <i>commentSystemId</i> to allow these parameters to be populated also in case the IRPAgent adds the alarm comment State clearly that the operation <i>getAlarmList</i> shall not only provide the AlarmInformation instances but also the associated IOC instances.
Consequences if not approved:	⌘	It is not possible to implement the IRP according to the requirements.

Clauses affected:	⌘	5.5, 6.3.2, 6.8.2, 6.10.1								
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Change in Clause 5.5

5.5 Information attribute definition

5.5.1 Definition and legal values

Name	Definition	Legal Values
alarmId	It identifies one AlarmInformation in the AlarmList.	
notificationId	It identifies the notification that carries the AlarmInformation.	
alarmRaisedTime	It indicates the date and time when the alarm is first raised by the alarmed resource.	All values indicating valid time.
alarmChangedTime	It indicates the last date and time when the AlarmInformation is changed by the alarmed resource. Changes to AlarmInformation caused by invocations of the IRPManager would not change this date and time.	All values indicating valid time.
alarmClearedTime	It indicates the date and time when the alarm is Cleared.	All values indicating valid time.
eventType	It indicates the type of event. See Annex A for information on event type.	See Annex A.
probableCause	It qualifies alarm and provides further information than eventType. See Annex B for a complete listing.	See Annex B.
perceivedSeverity	It indicates the relative level of urgency for operator attention.	Critical, Major, Minor, Warning, Indeterminate, Cleared: see ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2]. This IRP does not recommend the use of indeterminate.
specificProblem	It provides further qualification on the alarm than probableCause. This attribute value shall be single-value and of simple type such as integer or string. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.2.	Provided by vendor.
backedUpStatus	It indicates if an object (the MonitoredEntity) has a back up. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.4.	All values that carry the semantics of backedUpStatus defined by ITU-T X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.4.
trendIndication	It indicates if some observed condition is getting better, worse, or not changing.	"Less severe", "no change", "more severe": see definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.6.
thresholdInfo	It indicates the direction of threshold crossing.	See definitions in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.7.
stateChangeDefinition	It indicates MO attribute value changes. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.10.	
monitoredAttributes	It indicates MO attributes whose value changes are being monitored. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.11.	
proposedRepairActions	It indicates proposed repair actions. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.12.	
additionalText	It carries semantics that is outside the scope of this IRP specification. It may provide the identity of the NE (e.g. RNC, Node-B) from which the alarm has been originated. It corresponds to the "user label" attribute of the object class representing the NE in the Generic Network Resource Model [10]. It can contain further information on the alarm.	N/A
additionalInformation	It contains information on the alarm and its semantics is outside the scope of this IRP.	N/A
ackTime	It identifies the time when the alarm has been acknowledged or unacknowledged the last time of last operation acknowledgeAlarms or unacknowledgeAlarms.	All values that indicate valid times and are later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime.
ackUserId	It identifies the last user who has changed the Acknowledgement State.	It can be used to identify the human operator such as "John Smith" or it can identify a group, such as "Team Six", or it can contain no information such as "" .

Name	Definition	Legal Values
ackSystemId	It identifies the system (EM or NM) from which the alarm has been acknowledged or unacknowledged the last time.	It can be used to identify the system, such as "system 6" or it can contain no information such as "".
ackState	It identifies the Acknowledgement State of the alarm.	Acknowledged: the alarm has been acknowledged. Unacknowledged: the alarm has been unacknowledged or the alarm has never been acknowledged.
commentTime	It carries the time when the comment has been added to the alarm.	
commentText	It carries the textual comment.	
commentUserId	It carries the identification of the user who made the comment.	
commentSystemId	It carries the identification of the system (EM or NM) from which the comment is made. That system supports the user that made the comment.	
source	It identifies one MonitoredEntity.	All values that carry the semantics of DN.
notificationIdSet	It carries one or more notification identifiers.	

5.5.2 Constraints

Name	Definition
inv_alarmChangedTime	Time indicated shall be later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime .
inv_alarmClearedTime	Time indicated shall be later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime .
inv_ackTime	Time indicated shall be later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime .
inv_notificationId	NotificationIds shall be chosen to be unique across all notifications of a particular managed object (representing the NE) throughout the time that alarm correlation is significant. The algorithm by which alarm correlation is accomplished is outside the scope of this IRP.

End of Change in Clause 5.5

Change in Clause 6.3.2

6.3.2 getAlarmList (M)

6.3.2.1 Definition

IRPManager requests IRPAgent to provide the list of AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList, [including \(when supported\) the IOC instances associated with the AlarmInformation instances.](#)

There are two modes of operation. One mode is synchronous. In this mode, the list of AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList is returned synchronously with the operation. The other mode is asynchronous. In this mode, the list of AlarmInformation instances is returned via notifications. In asynchronous mode of operation, the only information returned synchronously is the status of the operation. The mode of operation to be used is determined by means outside the scope of specification. To use asynchronous mode, the IRPManager must have established a subscription with the IRPAgent notificationIRP via the subscribe operation specified in [5].

6.3.2.2 Input Parameters

Name	Qualifier	Information Type	Comment
alarmAckState	O	ENUM (all alarms, all active alarms, all active and acknowledged alarms, all active and unacknowledged, all Cleared and unacknowledged alarms, all unacknowledged)	It carries a constraint. The IRPAgent shall apply it on AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList when constructing its output parameter AlarmInformationList.
filter	O	N/A	It carries a filter constraint. The IRPAgent shall apply it on AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList when constructing its output parameter AlarmInformationList.

6.3.2.3 Output Parameters

Name	Qualifier	Matching Information	Comment
AlarmInformationList	M	List of AlarmInformation.	<p>It carries AlarmInformation in AlarmList.</p> <p>Case when synchronous mode of operation is used:</p> <p>(a) The IRPAgent shall apply the constraints expressed in alarmAckState and filter to AlarmInformation instances when constructing this output parameter.</p> <p>Case when asynchronous mode of operation is used (i.e. this output parameter is conveyed via notifications):</p> <p>(a) If the filter parameter is present, the IRPAgent shall apply the constraint when constructing this output parameter. Furthermore, if the alarmAckState constraint is present, the IRPAgent shall apply that constraint as well. The filter constraint, if any, that is currently active in the notification channel is not used for the construction of this output parameter.</p> <p>(b) If the filter parameter is absent, the IRPAgent shall apply the filter constraint currently active in the notification channel when constructing this output parameter. If the alarmAckState constraint is present, the IRPAgent shall apply that constraint as well.</p>
status	M	ENUM (OperationSucceeded, OperationFailed)	<p>If allAlarmInformationReturned is true, status = OperationSucceeded.</p> <p>If operation_failed is true, status = OperationFailed.</p>

6.3.2.4 Pre-condition

There is no pre-condition.

6.3.2.5 Post-condition

allAlarmInformationReturned.

Assertion Name	Definition
allAlarmInformationReturned	All AlarmInformation that satisfy the constraints expressed in input parameters filter and alarmAckState and are present in the AlarmList at the moment of this operation invocation are returned. All AlarmInformation in AlarmList remains unchanged as the result of this operation.

6.3.2.6 Exceptions

Assertion Name	Definition
operation_failed	<p>Condition: At least one input parameter is invalid or the pre-condition is false or the post-condition is not true.</p> <p>Returned Information: The output parameter status.</p> <p>Exit state: Entry state.</p>

End of Change in Clause 6.3.2

Change in Clause 6.7.2

6.7.2 notifyAckStateChanged (M)

6.7.2.1 Definition

The subscribed IRPManager instances are notified regarding changes in alarm Acknowledgement State. The AlarmInformation carried in the notification shall satisfy the current filter constraint of the subscription.

The notification shall contain all parameters that are filterable and are present in the original (related) notifyNewAlarm notification.

[The IRPManager and the IRPAgent can acknowledge and unacknowledge alarms as defined by 3GPP TS 32.111-1 \[9\].](#)

6.7.2.2 Input Parameters

Parameter Name	Qualifier	Matching Information	Comment
objectClass	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectClass where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
objectInstance	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectInstance where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
notificationId	M	This carries the semantics of notification identifier.	
eventTime	M,F	AlarmInformation.ackTime	
systemDN	C,F	IRPAgent.systemDN	
notificationType	M,F	"notifyAckStateChanged"	
probableCause	M,F	AlarmInformation.probableCause	
perceivedSeverity	M,F	AlarmInformation.perceivedSeverity	
alarmType	M,F	AlarmInformation.eventType	
alarmId	M	AlarmInformation.alarmId	
ackTime	M	AlarmInformation.ackTime	
ackState	M	AlarmInformation.ackState	
ackUserId	M	AlarmInformation.ackUserId	
ackSystemId	O	AlarmInformation.ackSystemId	

6.7.2.3 Triggering Event

6.7.2.3.1 From-state

alarmInformationExists.

Assertion Name	Definition
alarmInformationExists	The AlarmInformation exists in AlarmList.

6.7.2.3.2 To-state

alarmAckStateHasChanged.

Assertion Name	Definition
alarmAckStateHasChanged	The AlarmInformation.ackState of the AlarmInformation identified by from-state assertion alarmInformationExists have been updated. Specifically, the following attributes of the subject AlarmInformation are updated. notificationId, ackTime, ackUserId, ackState, ackSystemId.

End of Change in Clause 6.7.2

Change in Clause 6.9.1

6.9.1 notifyComments (O)

6.9.1.1 Definition

The subscribed IRPManager instances are notified regarding to the addition of Comment instance, ~~as a consequence of successful completion of setComment operation, in~~ to an AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList. The AlarmInformation carried in the notification shall satisfy the current filter constraint of the subscription.

The notification shall contain all parameters that are filterable and are present in the original (related) notifyNewAlarm notification.

[The IRPManager and the IRPAgent can add comments to instances of AlarmInformation as described in 3GPP TS 32.111-1 \[9\].](#)

IRPAgent shall support this notification if it supports the operation setComment.

6.9.1.2 Input Parameters

Parameter Name	Qualifier	Matching Information	Comment
objectClass	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectClass where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
objectInstance	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectInstance where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
notificationId	M	This carries the semantics of notification identifier.	
eventTime	M,F	AlarmInformation.alarmChangedTime	
systemDN	C,F	IRPAgent.systemDN	
notificationType	M,F	"notifyComments"	
alarmType	M,F	AlarmInformation.eventType	
probableCause	M,F	AlarmInformation.probableCause	
perceivedSeverity	M,F	AlarmInformation.perceivedSeverity	
comments	M	The set of Comment instances involved in a relationship with this AlarmInformation.	
alarmId	M	AlarmInformation.alarmId	

6.9.1.3 Triggering Events

6.9.1.3.1 From-state

alarmInformationExists.

Assertion Name	Definition
alarmInformationExists	The AlarmInformation is in AlarmList.

6.9.1.3.2 To-state

commentInserted.

Assertion Name	Definition
commentInserted	One Comment has been created and it is involved in a relationship with the AlarmInformation identified by from-state assertion alarmInformationExists. The following attributes of the newly created Comment instance shall be populated: commentTime (set to setComment operation completion time) , commentText, commentUserId and commentSystemId.

End of Change in Clause 6.9.1

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		D (editorial modification)	R99	(Release 1999)
		Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP TR 21.900 .	Rel-4	(Release 4)
			Rel-5	(Release 5)
			Rel-6	(Release 6)

Reason for change:	⌘	The Alarm IRP IS (32.111-2) is not consistent in itself and with respect to the Alarm IRP Requirements (32.111-1) regarding Alarm Acknowledgement and Alarm Comments. For this reason the Alarm IRP IS is corrected. This CR refelects these changes in the CMIP SS
Summary of change:	⌘	The mapping of notifyComment and the corresponding GDMO and ASN.1 definitions are corrected.
Consequences if not approved:	⌘	It is not possible to implement the IRP according to the requirements.

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4 Basic aspects

The present document provides all the GDMO and ASN.1 definitions necessary to implement the Alarm IRP Information Service (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]) for the CMIP interface.

4.1 Architectural aspects

The Alarm IRP Information Service description is based on Information Object Classes (IOC), Relationships among IOC and Interfaces (used or implemented by IOC) which include Operations and/or Notifications.

In the present document, for the CMIP interfaces the IOC are modelled as GDMO "Managed Object Classes" (MOC) defined specifically for alarm management, the Operations are modelled as GDMO "Actions" of a MOC while the Notifications are modelled as GDMO "Notifications" included in MOCs that need to report events to the Manager. In more detail, the Notifications related to alarm management are included in a MOC defined in the present document while the Notifications defined for alarm reporting are not included in any MOC defined in the present document. They will be included in other MOCs defined in other CMIP Solution Set or in other CMIP Information Models.

Regarding the Notifications, the present document is based on the Notification IRP CMIP Solution Set (3GPP TS 32.304 [10]).

4.1.1 Reporting new alarms

In case of an alarm occurrence the Agent notifies all subscribed Managers that a new alarm has occurred and has been added into the alarm list of the Agent.

For this purpose the standardised alarm notifications defined in ITU-T Recommendations X.721 [4] and X.733 [5] are used.

4.1.2 Reporting changed alarms

Although in the Alarm IRP Information Service (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]) there is a notification specifically defined to report the event of alarm attribute changes, on the CMIP interfaces such events are reported according to ITU-T Recommendations X.721 [4] and X.733 [5], i.e. the original alarm is first cleared (by means of a clear alarm notification) and then a new alarm notification with the changed parameter values is generated by the Agent.

4.1.3 Reporting cleared alarms

On the CMIP interfaces the clearing of alarms is reported by the Agent to the Managers in accordance with the mechanisms defined in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [5] and ITU-T Recommendation Q.821 [7].

4.1.4 Acknowledgment of alarms

This clause relates to the co-operative alarm acknowledgment managed on Itf-N, which implies that the acknowledgment of alarms can be done on both NM and EM.

The acknowledgment of alarms is managed by means of the MOC `alarmControl`, which includes:

- ~~One A~~ction to acknowledge alarms ([acknowledgeAlarms](#));
- ~~One A~~ction to un-acknowledge alarms ([unacknowledgeAlarms](#));
- ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant Alarm Notification to inform Managers about changes of acknowledgment state.

In case an alarm is acknowledged by an operator or automatically by a management system, the `ackUserId`, `ackSystemId`, `ackState` and `ackTime` information is stored in the *additionalInformation* field of the alarm present in the alarm list.

4.1.5 Management of comments associated to alarms

This feature provides the [NM and EM](#) operators with the capability to add comments to an alarm and to share such information among all the OS (EM and NM) that are involved in the network management. [This implies that a synchronisation of the comments between the EM and NM shall be possible.](#) An OS shall have the capability to record more than one comment for each alarm.

The management of the comments associated to alarms is similar to the management of the acknowledgment of alarms and is achieved by means of the same MOC `alarmControl`. For the management of the comments, the MOC `alarmControl` includes ~~one Action to set the comment and Notification to distribute the comments to other OS.~~

- [one action \(`setComment`\) allowing the NM operator to add a comment to one or several alarms;](#)
- [ITU-T Recommendation X.721 \[4\] compliant alarm notifications to inform the IRPManagers about changes of alarm related comments. Such notifications are generated by the Agent towards all connected Managers either if the comment is made by an NM operator \(i.e. after the completion of a previous `setComment` request\) or if the comment is made by an EM operator.](#)

4.1.6 Alignment of alarm conditions over the Itf-N

The IRP Manager is able to trigger the alarm conditions alignment using the Action `getAlarmList`

The following specifies the logical steps of the alignment procedure, by describing a possible implementation. Any other implementation showing the same behaviour on the Itf-N interface is compliant with the present document.

- The Manager sends to the Agent a `getAlarmList` request containing the following information:
 - `alarmAckState`, used to select the alarms from the Agent's alarm list for the current alignment (e.g. all active alarms).
 - `destination`, identifying the destination to which event reports that have passed the filter conditions are sent.
 - `filter`, this optional parameter defines the conditions an alarm notification shall fulfil in order to be forwarded to the Manager. It applies only for the current alignment request.
- After evaluation of the request, the Agent first generates an `alignmentId` value, which unambiguously identifies this alignment process. This value is used by the Manager to correlate alarm reports to the corresponding alignment requests, in case this Manager issues several alarm alignments in parallel.
- The Agent creates a temporary Event Forwarding Discriminator (EFD) instance for the purpose of this alarm alignment, using the parameters `destination` and `filter` received in the request. If the `filter` parameter is absent or NULL, all alarm notifications are forwarded to the Manager through this EFD, according to the value of the parameter `alarmAckState`.
The filter is set by the Agent automatically in order to forward to only those alarm notifications containing, at the beginning of the field `additionalText`, either the string "(ALIGNMENT-<alignmentId>)" or the string "(ALIGNMENTEND-<alignmentId>)".
- The Agent sends back a `getAlarmList` response, which contains the `alignmentId` described above and the `status` information, indicating the result of the request. (see the message flow in Figure 1).
- The Agent scans now its alarm list. For every alarm, which matches the criteria defined by the `alarmAckState` parameter, the Agent inserts, at the beginning of the field `additionalText`, the string "(ALIGNMENT-<alignmentId>)". According to ITU-T Recommendation X.734 [6], the Agent forwards these alarm notifications towards all EFDs.
In the last alarm of the list the Agent inserts the string "(ALIGNMENTEND-<alignmentId>)" to indicate the end of the alarm alignment.

NOTE: These alarm notifications can reach the current Manager only via the temporary EFD created for the current alignment. They are filtered out:

- a) By all the EFD instances used for "real-time" alarm reporting, due to the presence of the sub-string "ALIGNMENT" in the field `additionalText` (see 3GPP TS 32.304 [10]).

- b) By all temporary EFD instances possibly created for parallel alignments, due to the presence of the unambiguous sub-string "<alignmentId>" in the *additionalText* field.
- After sending the last alarm report (identified by the sub-string "ALIGNMENTEND" in the *additionalText*), the Agent automatically deletes the temporary EFD instance (see figure 1).

At the end of the alarm conditions alignment the acknowledgement state and the comments assigned to each alarm are implicitly synchronised between the IRP Agent and the IRP Manager that has requested the alignment.

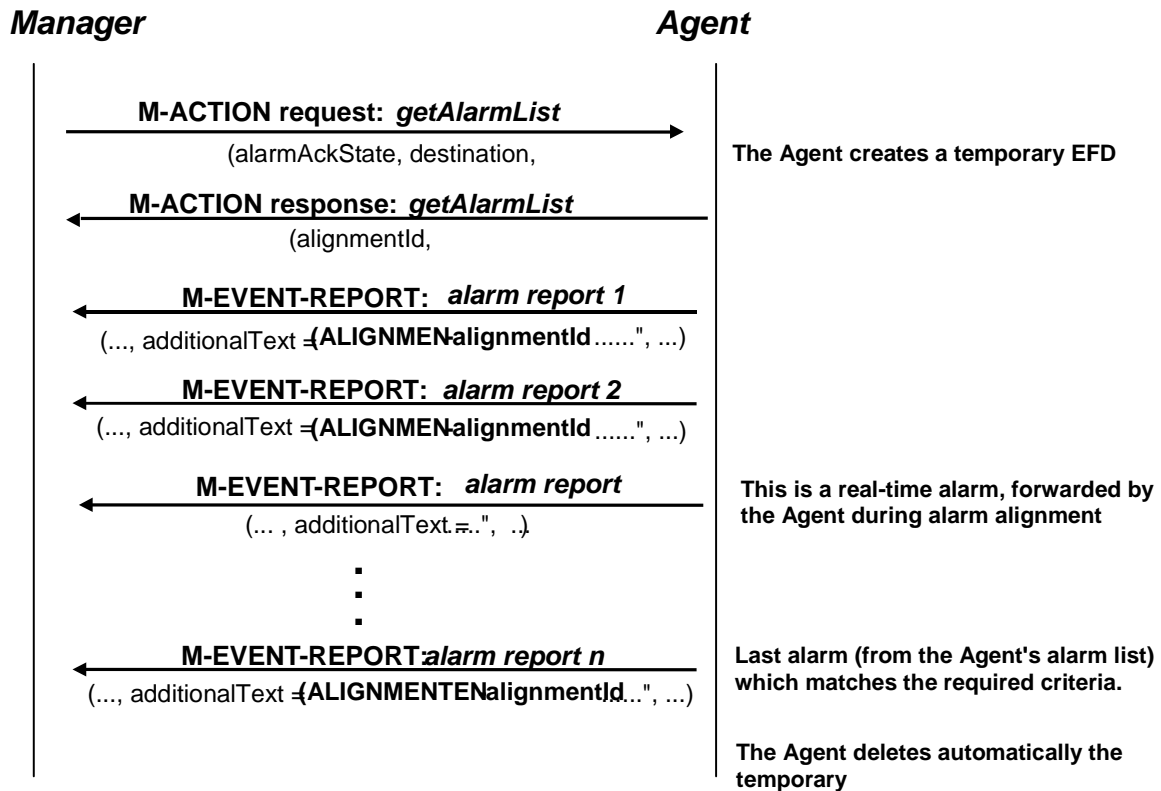


Figure 1: Alignment arrow diagram

Figure 2 shows the handling of a "real-time" alarm notification (occurred during the execution of the *getAlarmList* operation), which is forwarded by the Agent (according to ITU-T Recommendation X.734 [6]) to all currently available EFD instances. Dependent on the *discriminatorConstruct* setting of every EFD, such an alarm may or may not reach the related Manager. In any case, this alarm is filtered out by the temporary EFD assigned to the Manager, which triggered the *getAlarmList* request.

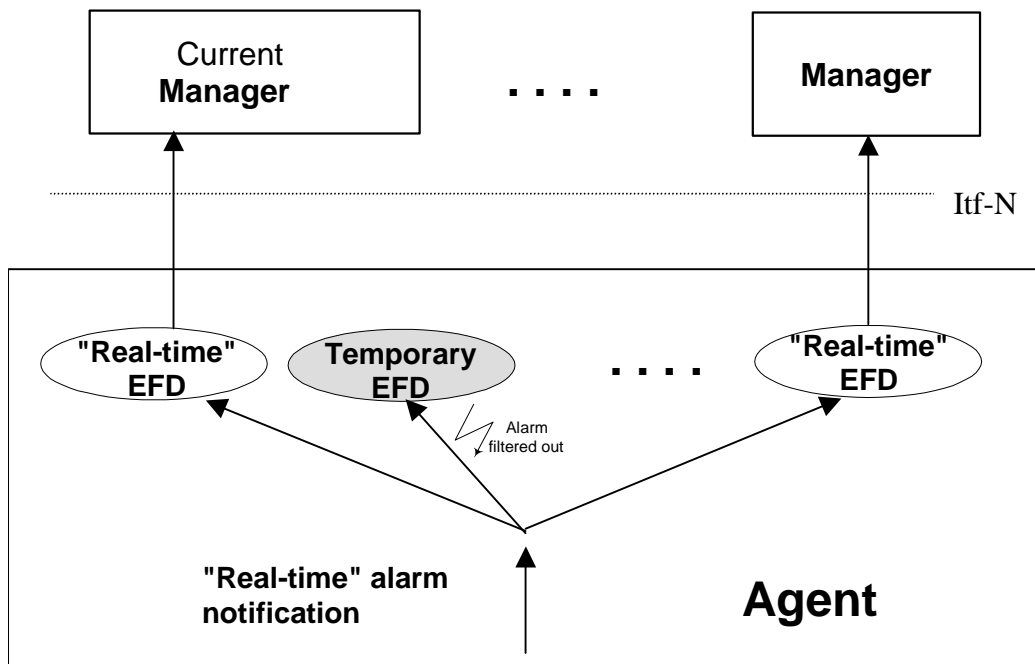


Figure 2: Treatment of "real time" alarms

Figure 3 shows the handling of an alarm notification from the alarm list, matching the criteria defined in the parameters *alarmAckState* of the *getAlarmList* request and forwarded by the Agent to all EFD instances as well. This alarm is filtered out by all EFD instances in charge of discrimination of "real-time" alarms and can reach only the Manager, which triggered the *getAlarmList* request, because it passes the temporary EFD instance assigned to this Manager.

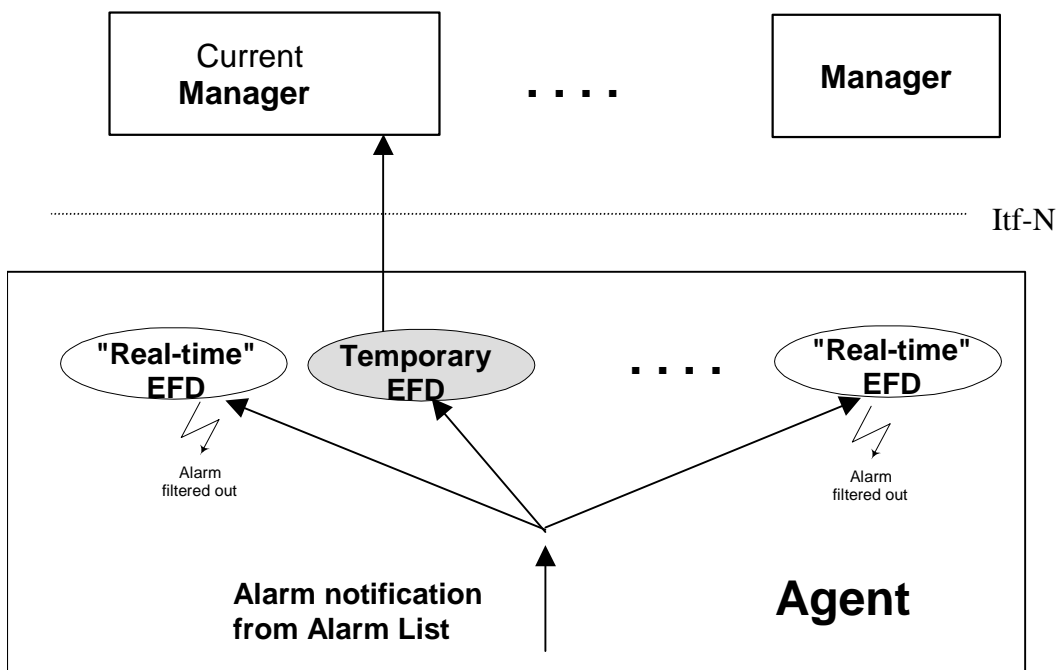


Figure 3: Treatment of "alignent" alarms

4.2 Mapping

The semantics of the Alarm IRP is defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]. The definitions of the management information defined there are independent of any implementation technology and protocol. This clause maps these protocol-independent definitions onto the equivalences of the CMIP solution set of Alarm IRP.

4.2.1 Mapping of IOC and Interfaces

For this Alarm IRP CMIP Solution Sets, the Information Object Classes (IOC) and the Interfaces defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9] are mapped to a Managed Object Classes (MOC) named `alarmControl` which includes all the Attributes, Actions and Notifications necessary to model the management described in (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]).

4.2.2 Mapping of Interface/Operations

Table 1 maps the Interface/Operations defined in the IS of the Alarm IRP to their equivalents in the CMIP SS. The equivalents are qualified as Mandatory (M) or Optional (O).

Table 1: Mapping of Operations

Interface/Operations of the Alarm IRP Information Services	GDMO Actions of CMIP Solution Set	Qualifier
AlarmIRPOperations_1/acknowledgeAlarms	acknowledgeAlarms	M
AlarmIRPOperations_1/getAlarmList	getAlarmList	M
AlarmIRPOperations_2/getAlarmCount	getAlarmCount	O
AlarmIRPOperations_3/unacknowledgeAlarms	unacknowledgeAlarms	O
AlarmIRPOperations_4/setComment	setComment	O
AlarmIRPOperations_5/clearAlarms	clearAlarms	O
GenericIRPVersionOperation/getIRPVersion	getAlarmIRPVersion	M
GenericIRPProfileOperation/getNotificationProfile	getNotificationProfile	O
GenericIRPProfileOperation/getOperationProfile	getOperationProfile	O

NOTE: the Interfaces `GenericIRPVersionOperation` and `GenericIRPProfileOperation` are defined in 3GPP TS 32.312 [11].

4.2.3 Mapping of Parameters of each operation

The tables in the following clauses show the parameters of each operations defined in the IS 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9] and their equivalents in this CMIP SS.

The input parameters of the operations are mapped into "Action information" (see GDMO and ASN.1 definitions for more details).

The output parameters of the operations are mapped into "Action response" (see GDMO and ASN.1 definitions for more details).

Table 2: Mapping of parameters of 'acknowledgeAlarms'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
alarmInformationAndSeverityReferenceList	IN	alarmReferenceList (note)	M
alarmInformationAndSeverityReferenceList	IN	AlarmReferenceList (note)	M
ackUserId	IN	ackUserId	M
ackSystemId	IN	ackSystemId	O
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	errorAlarmReferenceList	M
status	OUT	status	M
NOTE: severity verification not required in CMIP solution set.			

Table 3: Mapping of Parameters of 'getAlarmCount'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
filter	IN	filter	O
alarmAckState	IN	alarmAckState	O
criticalCount	OUT	criticalCount	M
majorCount	OUT	majorCount	M
minorCount	OUT	minorCount	M
warningCount	OUT	warningCount	M
indeterminateCount	OUT	indeterminateCount	M
clearedCount	OUT	clearedCount	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 4: Mapping of Parameters of 'getAlarmList'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
filter	IN	filter	O
alarmAckState	IN	alarmAckState	O
--		destination (input) - see note 1	M
alarmInformationList	OUT	(sequence of alarm notifications) (see subclause 4.5)	M
status	OUT	status	M
--		alignmentId (output) - see note 2	M

NOTE 1: Destination is a CMIP specific parameter and is determined by the Manager.
NOTE 2: AlignmentId is a CMIP specific parameter and is determined by the Agent.

Table 5: Mapping of Parameters of 'getAlarmIRPVersion'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
versionNumberSet	OUT	versionNumberList	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 6: Mapping of Parameters of 'getOperationProfile'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
irpVersion	IN	irpVersionNumber	M
operationNameProfile	OUT	operationNameProfile	M
operationParameterProfile	OUT	operationParameterProfile	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 7: Mapping of Parameters of 'getNotificatioProfile'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
irpVersion	IN	irpVersionNumber	M
notificationNameProfile	OUT	notificationNameProfile	M
notificationParameterProfile	OUT	notificationParameterProfile	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 8: Mapping of Parameters of 'setComment'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
alarmInformationReferenceList	IN	alarmReferenceList	M
commentUserId	IN	commentUserId	M
commentSystemId	IN	commentSystemId	O
commentText	IN	commentText	M
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	errorAlarmReferenceList	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 9: Mapping of Parameters of 'unacknowledgeAlarms'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
alarmInformationReferenceList	IN	alarmReferenceList	M
ackUserId	IN	ackUserId	M
ackSystemId	IN	ackSystemId	O
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	errorAlarmReferenceList	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 10: Mapping of Parameters of 'clearAlarms'

IS Parameter	IN/OUT	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
alarmInformationReferenceList	IN	M-ACTION parameter 'Action information': alarmReferenceList	M
clearUserId	IN	M-ACTION parameter 'Action information': clearUserId	M
clearSystemId	IN	M-ACTION parameter 'Action information': clearSystemId	O
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	M-ACTION parameter 'Action reply': errorAlarmReferenceList	M
status	OUT	M-ACTION parameter 'Action reply': status	M

4.2.4 Mapping of Notifications

Table 10 maps the Notifications defined in the Information Service of the Alarm IRP to the equivalent Notifications of the CMIP solution set for the Alarm IRP. The CMIP Notifications are qualified as Mandatory (M) or Optional (O).

Table 11: Mapping of Notifications

Notifications of Information Services of the Alarm IRP	Equivalent Notifications of the CMIP solution set for the Alarm IRP	Qualifier
notifyNewAlarm	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	M
notifyChangedAlarm	notifyClearedAlarm notifyNewAlarm which are in turn mapped into environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	O
notifyClearedAlarm	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	M
notifyAckStateChanged	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	M
notifyAlarmListRebuilt	notifyAlarmListRebuilt	M
notifyComments	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] notifyComments	O
notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList	notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList	O

4.2.5 Mapping of Parameters of each notification

In the CMIP Solution Set, all the notifications originated within the Agent are reported to the Managers by means of the CMISE "M-EVENT-REPORT" primitive, which is implemented by means of the "m-EventReport OPERATION" (see ITU-T Recommendations X.710 [2] and X.711 [3]). The argument of m-EventReport OPERATION is defined in ITU-T Recommendation X.711 [3] as follows:

```
EventReportArgument ::= SEQUENCE {
    managedObjectClass      ObjectClass,
    managedObjectInstance  ObjectInstance,
    eventTime               [5] IMPLICIT GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL,
    eventType               EventTypeId,
    eventInfo               [8] ANY DEFINED BY eventType OPTIONAL
}
```

where `eventInfo` is further specified, for each specific notification, by means of specific GDMO/ASN.1 definitions.

In the following tables, for the notifications defined in [9], all parameters are mapped to their CMIP SS equivalents. Note that the parameter mapping for the notification `notifyChangedAlarm` is not given. This is because in the CMIP SS the notifications `notifyClearedAlarm` and `notifyNewAlarm` are emitted instead of the notification `notifyChangedAlarm`.

The IS parameter `systemDN` defined in [9] (Alarm IRP: Information Services) is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.

~~Except for the notification `notifyComments`~~ The IS parameter `alarmType` has no direct CMIP SS equivalent. Instead the value of this parameter is reflected by the type of the emitted notification. More specifically:

- If the event type is equal to 'Communication Alarm' the notification `communicationsAlarm` is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Processing Error Alarm' the notification `processingErrorAlarm` is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Environmental Alarm' the notification `environmentalAlarm` is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Quality of Service Alarm' the notification `qualityofServiceAlarm` is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Equipment Alarm' the notification `equipmentAlarm` is emitted.

Also the IS parameter `alarmId` is not mapped directly to a parameter in the CMIP SS. This is not required because an alarm is identified unambiguously by the notification identifier of the notification reporting the alarm the first time and, if the notification identifier is not unique across the IRP Agent, by the instance of the managed object emitting this notification. Notifications referring to an alarm already reported (e.g. `notifyClearedAlarm`, `notifyAckStateChanged`, `notifyComments`) do so by specifying in the M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': `correlatedNotifications` (ITU-T Recommendations X.721 [4] and X.733 [5]) the notification identifier of the notification having reported the new alarm and, if required, the instance of the object having emitted this notification.

Most parameters are mapped to the M-EVENT report parameter 'Event information'. For the notifications `notifyNewAlarm` (when reporting alarms not related to security), `notifyClearedAlarm`, ~~and `notifyAckStateChanged` and `notifyComments`~~ the syntax and semantics of this structured parameter are defined in ITU-T X.721 [4] by the ASN.1 definition `AlarmInfo`. In case `notifyNewAlarm` reports a security alarm, the 'Event information' parameter is described by `SecurityAlarmInfo`, defined in ITU-T X.721 [4] as well. For the other notifications (`notifyAlarmListRebuilt`, ~~`notifyComments`, `notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList`~~) the 'Event information' parameter is described by ASN.1 definitions defined in this document.

Table 12: Parameter mapping of the notification *notifyNewAlarm* for alarms not related to security

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): probableCause	M
specificProblems	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): specificProblems	O
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): perceivedSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
backedUpStatus	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): backedUpStatus	O
backUpObject	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): backUpObject	O
trendIndication	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): trendIndication	O
thresholdInfo	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): thresholdInfo	O
correlatedNotifications	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	O
stateChangeDefinition	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): stateChangeDefinition	O
monitoredAttributes	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): monitoredAttributes	O
proposedRepairActions	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): proposedRepairActions	O
additionalText	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalText	O
alarmId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M

Table 12a: Parameter mapping of the notification *notifyNewAlarm* for alarms related to security

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (SecurityAlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (SecurityAlarmInfo): securityAlarmCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (SecurityAlarmInfo): securityAlarmSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
correlatedNotifications	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (SecurityAlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	O
additionalText	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (SecurityAlarmInfo): additionalText	O
serviceUser	serviceUser	M
serviceProvider	serviceProvider	M
securityAlarmDetector	securityAlarmDetector	M
alarmId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (SecurityAlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M

Table 13: Mapping of Parameters of "notifyClearedAlarm"

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): probableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): perceivedSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
clearUserId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: clearUserIdParameter	O
clearSystemId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: clearSystemIdParameter	O
correlatedNotifications	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	O
alarmId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	M

Table 14: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyAckStateChanged'

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): probableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): perceivedSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
alarmId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	--
ackTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: ackTimeParameter	M
ackState	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: ackStateParameter	M
ackUserId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: ackUserIdParameter	M
ackSystemId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: ackSystemIdParameter	O

Table 15: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyAlarmListRebuilt'

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): rebuiltObjectClass	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): rebuiltObjectInstance	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
reason	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): reason	M
AlarmListAlignment Requirement	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmListAlignmentRequirement (see note)	O
NOTE: This parameter shall be supported only, if the IRPAgent supports the notification notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList.		

Table 16: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyComments'

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectClass	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmedObjectClass	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmedObjectInstance	M
notificationId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmEventTime	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
alarmType	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmType	M
probableCause	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmProbableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): alarmPerceivedSeverity	M
comments	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): comments	M
alarmId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	--

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectClass	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	M
probableCause	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): probableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): perceivedSeverity	M
comments	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation: commentsParameter	M
alarmId	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): correlatedNotifications	M

Table 17: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList'

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectClass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): potentialFaultyObjectClass	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): potentialFaultyObjectInstance	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter: 'Event type'	M
reason	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): reason	M

5 GDMO definitions

5.1 Managed Object Classes

5.1.1 alarmControl

This Managed Object Class (MOC) models the alarm information available within the Agent and significant for the NM-EM interface. It deals with both **active** and **cleared but not yet acknowledged** alarms. The NMC may initiate the transfer of current alarms according to the required parameters in the M-ACTION request 'getAlarmList'.

```
alarmControl MANAGED OBJECT CLASS
DERIVED FROM
    "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":top;
CHARACTERIZED BY
    alarmControlBasicPackage,
    alarmAcknowledgementPackage,
    alarmIRPVersionPackage;

CONDITIONAL PACKAGES
    alarmCountPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it",
    alarmCommentPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it",
    alarmProfilePackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it",
    alarmUnacknowledgementPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it ",
    alarmPotentialFaultyAlarmListPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it ";
    alarmClearPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it ";
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmObjectClass 1};
```

5.2 Packages

5.2.1 alarmControlBasicPackage

```
alarmControlBasicPackage PACKAGE
BEHAVIOUR
    alarmControlBasicPackageBehaviour;
ATTRIBUTES
    alarmControlId          GET,
    alarmsCountSummary      GET;
ACTIONS
    getAlarmList;
NOTIFICATIONS
    notifyAlarmListRebuilt;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 1};
```

```
alarmControlBasicPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

```
"The MOC alarmControl has been defined to provide information to the Manager about the currently
alarms controlled by the Agent.
An instance of the 'alarmControl' MOC is identified by the value of the attribute
'alarmControlId'.
The attribute 'alarmsCountSummary' provides a summary of the number of alarms managed in the
Agent's alarm list (including the number of cleared but not yet acknowledged alarms).
The action 'getAlarmList' is the means, for the Manager, to trigger an alarm alignment procedure
in accordance with the parameter specified in the action request (this may be needed e.g. for
first time alignment or after a link interruption between the Agent and the Manager). The alarm
list is sent as a sequence of single alarm reports.
The notification 'alarmListRebuilt' is sent by the Agent to the Manager to inform that the alarm
list has changed. It is recommended that the Manager subsequently triggers an alarm alignment.";
```

5.2.2 alarmCountPackage

```
alarmCountPackage PACKAGE
BEHAVIOUR
    alarmCountPackageBehaviour;
ACTIONS
    getAlarmCount;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 2};
```

```
alarmCountPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This package has been defined to allow the Managers to get information from the Agent about the
number of alarms currently present in the alarm list.";
```

5.2.3 alarmAcknowledgementPackage

```
alarmAcknowledgementPackage PACKAGE
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
alarmAcknowledgementPackageBehaviour;
```

```
ACTIONS
```

```
acknowledgeAlarms;
```

```
NOTIFICATIONS
```

```
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":communicationsAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":environmentalAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":equipmentAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":processingErrorAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":qualityofServiceAlarm;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 3};
```

```
alarmAcknowledgementPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This package has been defined to provide information to the Manager about the acknowledgement
status of the alarms controlled by the Agent.
The action 'acknowledgeAlarms' allows the NM operator to acknowledge one or several alarms
previously sent by the Agent as alarm notifications.
The ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant alarm notifications are sent by the Agent to the
Manager to inform that one alarm has been acknowledged. The acknowledgement related information
is carried in the additionalInformation attribute.";
```

5.2.4 alarmUnacknowledgementPackage

```
alarmUnacknowledgementPackage PACKAGE
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
alarmUnacknowledgementPackageBehaviour;
```

```
ACTIONS
```

```
unacknowledgeAlarms;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 4};
```

```
alarmUnacknowledgementPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This package has been defined to provide the Manager with the capability to un-acknowledge
alarms.
The action 'unacknowledgeAlarms' allows the NM operator to un-acknowledge one or several alarms
previously acknowledged by him.
The ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant alarm notifications are sent by the Agent to the
Manager to inform that one alarm has been unacknowledged. The acknowledgement related information
is carried in the additionalInformation attribute.";
```

5.2.5 alarmCommentPackage

```
alarmCommentPackage PACKAGE
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
alarmCommentPackageBehaviour;
```

```
ACTIONS
```

```
setComment;
```

```
NOTIFICATIONS
```

```
notifyComments;
```

```
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":communicationsAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":environmentalAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":equipmentAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":processingErrorAlarm,
"Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":qualityofServiceAlarm;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 5};
```

```
alarmCommentPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This package has been defined to allow the management of comments related to alarms.Operators to
write comments about alarms that are in the alarm list of the IRP Agent.
The action setComment allows the IRPManager to add a comment to one or several alarms. Also the
IRPAgent may add comments to alarms.
```

[ITU-T Recommendation X.721 \[4\] compliant alarm notifications are generated once a comment is added to an alarm. The information in all comments associated to an alarm is carried in the attribute *additionalInformation*."](#)

5.2.6 alarmIRPVersionPackage

```
alarmIRPVersionPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmIRPVersionPackageBehaviour;
  ATTRIBUTES
    supportedAlarmIRPVersions          GET;
  ACTIONS
    getAlarmIRPVersion;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 6};
```

```
alarmIRPVersionPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This package has been defined to allow the Manager to get information about the Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent.
The attribute 'supportedAlarmIRPVersions' indicates all versions of the Alarm IRP currently supported by the Agent.
The action 'getAlarmIRPVersion' may be invoked by the Manager to get information about the Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent. Such Alarm IRP versions must be compatible to each other. This means that the Manager may use any one of such Alarm IRP versions";

5.2.7 alarmProfilePackage

```
alarmProfilePackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmProfilePackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    getOperationProfile,
    getNotificationProfile;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 7};
```

```
alarmProfilePackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This package has been defined to allow the Manager to get detailed information about the profile of Alarm IRP.
The action 'getOperationProfile' is invoked by the Manager to get detailed information about the operations supported by Alarm IRP.
The action 'getNotificationProfile' is invoked by the Manager to get detailed information about the notifications supported by Alarm IRP.";

5.2.8 alarmPotentialFaultyAlarmListPackage

```
alarmPotentialFaultyAlarmListPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmPotentialFaultyAlarmListPackageBehaviour;
  NOTIFICATIONS
    notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList;
  REGISTERED AS {ts32-111AlarmPackage 8};
```

```
alarmPotentialFaultyAlarmListPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This package allows the IRPAgent to inform the IRPManager that the alarm list held by the IRPAgent might be faulty.";

5.2.9 alarmClearPackage

```
alarmClearPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmClearPackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    clearAlarms;
  REGISTERED AS {ts32-111AlarmPackage 9};
```

```
alarmClearPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This package allows the IRPManager to clear one or multiple alarms in the IRPAgent.";

5.3 Actions

5.3.1 acknowledgeAlarms (M)

```
acknowledgeAlarms ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    acknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckOrUnackAlarms;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckOrUnackAlarmsReply;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 1};
```

```
acknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

"This action is invoked by the Manager to indicate to the Agent that one or several alarms (previously sent by the Agent as alarm notifications) have to be acknowledged. In the action request the NM supplies the parameter *ackUserId* and *ackSystemId*. The other acknowledgement history parameters, i.e. alarm acknowledgement state (in this case *acknowledged*) and the acknowledgement time are set by the Agent itself.

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmReferenceList*
This parameter contains a set of MOI (Managed Object Instance) and *notificationIdentifier*. Each pair identifies unambiguously in the scope of the Agent an alarm (previously received by the NM) that have to be now acknowledged. MOI can be absent if scope of uniqueness of *notificationIdentifier* is across the IRPAgent.
- *ackUserId*
It contains the name of the operator who acknowledged the alarm or a generic name (dependent on the operational concept). It may have also the value NULL.
- *ackSystemId*
It indicates the management system where the acknowledgment is triggered. It may have also the value NULL.

The 'Action response' contains the following data:

- *status*
This parameter contains the results of the NM acknowledgement action. Possible values: *noError* (0, all alarms found and ack state changed according to the manager request), *ackPartlySuccessful* (some alarms not found / not changeable, see next parameter), *error* (value indicates the reason why the complete operation failed).
- *errorAlarmReferenceList*
This parameter (significant only if *status* = *ackPartlySuccessful*) contains the list of *moi* (managed object instance) and *notificationIdentifier* pairs of the alarms which could not be acknowledged and, for each alarm, also the reason of the error.";

5.3.2 getAlarmCount (O)

```
getAlarmCount ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getAlarmCountBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmCount;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmCountReply;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 2};
```

```
getAlarmCountBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

"The NM invokes this action to receive the number of available alarms in the Agent' alarm list according to the specification in the action request. The Manager may use this action to find out the number of alarms in the alarm list before invoking a synchronisation by means of the *getAlarmList* operation. The request is possible also before the Manager creates an own event forwarding discriminator instance within the Agent.

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmAckState*
Depending on this optional parameter value, the NM gets the number of alarms of each *perceivedSeverity* value according to the following possible choices:
 - all alarms

- all active alarms (acknowledged or not yet acknowledged)
- all active and acknowledged alarms
- all active and unacknowledged alarms
- all cleared and unacknowledged alarms.

If the parameter is absent, all alarms from the Agent's alarm list are taken into consideration.

- *filter*
The handling of this optional parameter is as follows:
 - if present and not NULL, it indicates a filter constraint which shall apply in the calculation of the results
 - if its value is NULL, no filter shall be considered and the Agent shall return the number of all alarms according to the value of the parameter *alarmAckState* (see above)
 - if absent, the handling depends on the availability of an event forwarding discriminator instance within the Agent. If this instance is valid, the filter construct of the event forwarding discriminator shall apply. If no EFD instance is available, the Agent shall return the number of all alarms according to the value of the above-mentioned parameter *alarmAckState*.

The 'Action response' is composed of:

- The numbers of alarms for each *perceivedSeverity* value (if applicable).
- The parameter *status* containing the results of the NM action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.3 getAlarmList (M)

```
getAlarmList ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getAlarmListBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmList;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmListReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 3};
```

```
getAlarmListBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This action starts an alarm alignment procedure between a NM and Agent, which takes into account the acknowledgment state of the alarms and a dedicated filter (valid only for the current request).

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmAckState*
Depending on this optional parameter value, the NM gets the alarm reports according to the following possible choices:
 - all alarms
 - all active alarms (acknowledged or not yet acknowledged)
 - all active and acknowledged alarms
 - all active and unacknowledged alarms
 - all cleared and unacknowledged alarms.

If the parameter is absent, all alarms from the Agent's alarm list are taken into consideration.
- *destination*
This parameter identifies the destination to which the alarm reports that have passed the test conditions specified in the parameter 'filter' are sent. According to ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4], if no destination is specified in the request, then the discriminator is created with the destination defaulted to the AE-Title of the invoker.
- *filter*
The handling of this optional parameter (valid only for the current alignment request) is as follows:
 - if present and not NULL, it indicates a filter constraint which shall apply in the forwarding of the alignment-related alarm reports
 - if its value is NULL, no real filter shall be considered and the Manager receives the alarms according to the value of the parameter *alarmAckState* (see above).

The 'Action response' contains the following data:

- *alignmentId*
The parameter is defined by the Agent and identifies unambiguously the current alarm alignment procedure. It allows the Manager to distinguish between alarm reports sent as consequence of several own alignment requests triggered in parallel.
- *status*
The parameter contains the results of the NM action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).
After the action response is forwarded to the NM, the Agent sends the alarm list as a sequence of single alarm notifications in accordance with the values of the request

parameters. Every alarm notification contains all fields of the alarm stored in the alarm list. In particular:

- The field *additionalText* contains at the beginning a string to allow a Manager to recognise that this alarm report is sent due to a previous *getAlarmList* request. The structure of this string is:
 - '(ALIGNMENT-alignmentId)' for every alarm report except the last one **or**
 - '(ALIGNMENTEND-alignmentId)' for the last alarm report sent by the Agent due to the current *getAlarmList* request.
- If available, the data related to the acknowledgment history (i.e. *ackState*, *ackTime*, *ackUserId*, *ackSystemId*) are provided in the field *additionalInformation*. Further details about the implementation of this operation are provided in the 'Introduction'.";

5.3.4 setComment (O)

```
setComment ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    setCommentBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .SetComment;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .SetCommentReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 4};
```

```
setCommentBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

The NM invokes this action to associate a comment to one or more alarms.

The 'Action information' field contains:

- *alarmReferenceList*
Contains a list of alarm identifiers to which the comment must be associated.
- *commentUserId*
Contains the identity of the [NM](#) User that invokes this operation.
- *commentSystemId*
Contains the identity of the NM that invokes this operation.
- *commentText*
Contains the text of the comment.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *errorAlarmReferenceList*
List of pair of *alarmId* and failure reason.
- *status*
It contains the results of the NM action. Possible values: *actionSucceeded* (0), *actionPartiallyFailed* (12) or another value indicating the reason of the error.";

5.3.5 getAlarmIRPVersion (M)

```
getAlarmIRPVersion ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getAlarmIRPVersionBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmIRPVersionReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 5};
```

```
getAlarmIRPVersionBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

The NM invokes this action to get information about the Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent.

The 'Action information' field contains no data.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *versionNumbersList*
It defines a list of Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent. A list containing no element, i.e. a NULL list means that the concerned Agent doesn't support any version of the Notification IRP.
- *status*
It contains the results of the NM action. Possible values: *noError* (0), *error* (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.6 getNotificationProfile (O)

```
getNotificationProfile ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getNotificationProfileBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.IRPVersionNumber;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.GetNotificationProfileReply;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 6};
```

```
getNotificationProfileBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

A Manager invokes this action to enquiry about the notification profile (supported notifications and supported parameters) for this specific Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action information' contains the following data:

- *irpVersionNumber*
This mandatory parameter identifies the Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *notificationNameProfile*
It contains a list of notification names, i.e. a NULL list means that the Alarm IRP doesn't support any notification.
- *notificationParameterProfile*.
It contains a set of elements, each element corresponds to a notification name and is composed by a set of parameter names.
- *status*
It contains the results of this action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.7 getOperationProfile (O)

```
getOperationProfile ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getOperationProfileBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.IRPVersionNumber;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.GetOperationProfileReply;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 7};
```

```
getOperationProfileBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

A Manager invokes this action to enquiry about the operation profile (supported operations and supported parameters) for this specific Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action information' contains the following data:

- *irpVersionNumber*
This mandatory parameter identifies the Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *operationNameProfile*
It contains a list of operation names.
- *operationParameterProfile*.
It contains a set of elements, each element corresponds to an operation name and is composed by a set of parameter names.
- *status*
It contains the results of this action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.8 unacknowledgeAlarms (O)

```
unacknowledgeAlarms ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    unacknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.AckOrUnackAlarms;
```

WITH REPLY SYNTAX

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule.AckOrUnackAlarmsReply;  
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 8};
```

unacknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour **BEHAVIOUR**

DEFINED AS

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

This action is used by the Manager to indicate to the Agent that one or several alarms (previously acknowledged) have to be unacknowledged. Subsequently the 'acknowledgement history' information of these alarms in the Agent's alarm list is completely removed (this operation may be used by operators in case of a previous acknowledgement by mistake).

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmReferenceList*
This parameter contains a set of MOI (Managed Object Instance) and *notificationIdentifier* pair. Each of them identifies unambiguously in the scope of the Agent an alarm (previously acknowledged by the NM) that have to be now unacknowledged. MOI can be absent if scope of uniqueness of notificationIdentifier is across the IRPagent.
- *ackUserId*
It contains the name of the operator who unacknowledged the alarm or a generic name (dependent on the operational concept). It may have also the value NULL. Note that only the user who previously acknowledged the alarm is allowed to un-acknowledge it later.
- *ackSystemId*
It indicates the management system where the acknowledgment is triggered. It may have also the value NULL. Note that the un-acknowledgement is allowed only at the management system where previously the acknowledgement took place.

The 'Action response' contains the following data:

- *status*
This parameter contains the results of the NM un-acknowledgement action. Possible values: noError (0, all alarms found and ack state changed according to the manager request), unackPartlySuccessful (some alarms not found / not changeable, see next response parameter), error (value indicates the reason why the complete operation failed).
- *errorAlarmReferenceList*
This parameter (significant only if *status* = unackPartlySuccessful) contains the list of MOI (Managed Object Instance) and notificationIdentifier pairs of the alarms which could not be unacknowledged and, for each alarm, also the reason of the error. MOI can be absent if scope of uniqueness of notificationIdentifier is across the IRPagent. ";

5.3.9 clearAlarms (O)

clearAlarms **ACTION**

BEHAVIOUR

```
clearAlarmsBehaviour;
```

MODE

```
CONFIRMED;
```

WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule.ClearAlarmsInfo;
```

WITH REPLY SYNTAX

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule.ClearAlarmsReply;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 9};
```

clearAlarmsBehaviour **BEHAVIOUR**

DEFINED AS

"The behaviour of this functionality is defined within 32.111-2 - below provides an overview and CMIP specific semantics.

This action is invoked by the IRPManager to clear manually one or multiple alarms. The M-ACTION request parameter 'Action information' *ClearAlarmsInfo* is composed of the following fields:

- *alarmReferenceList*
This mandatory parameter identifies the alarms to be cleared. Each alarm is identified by the notification identifier of the notification that reported the alarm the first time and, if the notification identifier is not unique across the IRPagent, by the instance of the managed object that emitted this notification.
- *clearUserId*
This mandatory parameter identifies the user that has invoked the *clearAlarms* operation.
- *clearSystemId*
This optional parameter identifies the system on which the IRPManager, where the *clearAlarms* operation has been invoked, is running. This parameter may be absent.

The M-ACTION response parameter 'Action Reply' *ClearAlarmsReply* is composed of the following fields

- *errorAlarmReferenceList*
This mandatory parameter identifies alarms that are specified in the *alarmReferenceList*, but which could not be cleared. The alarms are specified by the notification identifier of the notification that reported the alarm the first time and, if required, the instance of the managed object that emitted this notification. In addition to this, the parameter specifies for every alarm that could not be cleared the error reason. If all alarms specified in the *alarmReferenceList* exist and could be cleared, this parameter contains no

information. If the operation failed completely due to a general error, this parameter is not significant.

- *status*
This mandatory parameter provides informations about the result of the operation. If all alarms specified in the *alarmReferenceList* exist and are cleared, the value *noError* (0) is returned. If some alarms specified do not exist or could not be cleared, the value *clearPartlySuccessful* () is returned. In this case the parameter *errorAlarmReferenceList* provides additional information. If the operation failed completely due to a general error, this parameter returns the error reason.";

5.4 Notifications

5.4.1 notifyAlarmListRebuilt (M)

```
alarmListRebuilt NOTIFICATION
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmListRebuiltBehaviour;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmListRebuiltInfo;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmNotification 1};
```

```
alarmListRebuiltBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This notification is used by the Agent to inform the NM that the alarm list has been rebuilt. The 'Event Information' field contains the following data:

- *notificationIdentifier*
This ITU-T X.721 standardised parameter, together with MOI (Managed Object Instance), unambiguously identifies this notification.
- *rebuiltObjectClass*
This parameter carries the IRPAgent MOC when the entire AlarmList has been rebuilt. It carries a different MOC when the AlarmList has been partially rebuilt.
- *rebuiltObjectInstance*
This parameter carries DN of the IRPAgent when the entire AlarmList has been rebuilt. It carries the DN of another MOI when the AlarmList has been partially rebuilt and only the MOIs subordinate of this rebuilt MOI may be affected by this partial rebuilt.
- *reason*
The parameter indicates the reason for alarm list rebuilding (if applicable).";
- *alarmListAlignmentRequirement*
This parameter indicates, if the IRPManager has to align its alarm list with the IRPAgent. Absence of this parameter means, that an alignment is required.

5.4.2 ~~notifyComments (O)~~

```
notifyComments NOTIFICATION
  BEHAVIOUR
    notifyCommentsBehaviour;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .NotifyComments;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmNotification 2};
```

```
notifyCommentsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

~~"This notification is used by the Agent to inform the NM that one or more comments have been associated to one alarm.~~

~~The 'Event Information' field contains the following data:~~

- ~~-alarmedObjectClass~~
~~This parameter specifies the object class representing the resource that raised the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-alarmedObjectInstance~~
~~This parameter specifies the object instance representing the resource that raised the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-notificationIdentifier~~
~~This parameter specifies the notification identifier (ITU T X.733 [5]), which, together with the instance of the object emitting this notification, unambiguously identifies this notification.~~
- ~~-alarmEventTime~~
~~This parameter specifies the time when the alarm, to which the comment was attached, was first raised by the alarmed resource.~~
- ~~-alarmType~~
~~This parameter specifies the event type of the notification that reported the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-alarmProbableCause~~

~~This parameter specifies the probable cause (ITU-T X.733 [5]) of the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
~~-alarmPerceivedSeverity~~
~~This parameter specifies the perceived severity (ITU-T X.733 [5]) of the alarm to which the comment is attached.~~
~~-comments~~
~~This parameter carries the text of the comment.";~~

5.4.3 notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList (O)

```
notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmList NOTIFICATION
  BEHAVIOUR
    notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmListBehaviour;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .NotifyPotentialFaultyAlarmListInfo
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmNotification 3};
```

```
notifyPotentialFaultyAlarmListBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This notification is used by the IRPAgent to inform the IRPManager that the IRPAgent has lost confidence in the integrity of its alarm list.
The 'Event information' field contains the following data:

- *potentialFaultyObjectClass*
This parameter specifies together with the parameter *potentialFaultyObjectInstance* the unreliable alarm information instances in the alarm list.
If this parameter carries the MOC of the IRPAgent, then the entire alarm list is unreliable.
If this parameter carries the MOC of another MO, then only a part of the alarm list is unreliable. The mechanism for identifying the unreliable part is described below.
- *potentialFaultyObjectInstance*
This parameter specifies together with the parameter *potentialFaultyObjectClass* the unreliable alarm information instances in the alarm list.
If *potentialFaultyObjectClass* carries the MOC of the IRPAgent, then this parameter carries the DN of the IRPAgent and the entire alarm list is unreliable.
If *potentialFaultyObjectClass* carries the MOC of another MO, then this parameter carries the DN of an instance of this class. All alarm information instances representing alarms raised by this MOI and its subordinates may be unreliable in this case.
- *notificationIdentifier*
This parameter specifies the notification identifier (ITU-T X.733 [5]), which, together with the instance of the object emitting this notification, unambiguously identifies this notification.
- *reason*
This parameter specifies the reason why the IRPAgent has lost confidence in the integrity of its alarm list and needs to rebuild it.";

5.5 Attributes

5.5.1 alarmControlId

```
alarmControlId ATTRIBUTE
  WITH ATTRIBUTE SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GeneralObjectId;
  MATCHES FOR
    EQUALITY;
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmControlIdBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAttribute 1};
```

```
alarmControlIdBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This attribute names an instance of a 'alarmControl' object class.";

5.5.2 alarmsCountSummary

```
alarmsCountSummary ATTRIBUTE
  WITH ATTRIBUTE SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmsCountSummary;
  MATCHES FOR
    EQUALITY;
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmsCountSummaryBehaviour;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAttribute 2};
```

```
alarmsCountSummaryBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This attribute indicates a summary of number of alarms managed in the Agent's alarm list sorted according to the perceived severity (including the number of cleared but not yet acknowledged alarms). Additionally the number of all currently active alarms is provided.";
```

5.5.3 supportedAlarmIRPVersions

```
supportedAlarmIRPVersions ATTRIBUTE
```

```
WITH ATTRIBUTE SYNTAX
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule . SupportedAlarmIRPVersions;
```

```
MATCHES FOR
```

```
EQUALITY;
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
supportedAlarmIRPVersionsBehaviour;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAttribute 3};
```

```
supportedAlarmIRPVersionsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This attribute provides the information concerning the Alarm IRP versions currently supported by the Agent.";
```

5.6 Parameters

5.6.1 ackStateParameter

```
ackStateParameter PARAMETER
```

```
CONTEXT
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
```

```
WITH SYNTAX
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckState;
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
ackStateParameterBehaviour;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 1};
```

```
ackStateParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This parameter models the optional additionalInformation field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the current acknowledgement state of the present alarm.";
```

5.6.2 ackSystemIdParameter

```
ackSystemIdParameter PARAMETER
```

```
CONTEXT
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
```

```
WITH SYNTAX
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule .SystemId;
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
ackSystemIdParameterBehaviour;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 2};
```

```
ackSystemIdParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

```
"This parameter models the optional additionalInformation field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the identifier of the management system where the present alarm has been acknowledged.";
```

5.6.3 ackTimeParameter

```
ackTimeParameter PARAMETER
```

```
CONTEXT
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
```

```
WITH SYNTAX
```

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckTime;
```

```
BEHAVIOUR
```

```
ackTimeParameterBehaviour;
```

```
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 3};
```

```
ackTimeParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```


"This parameter models the optional *additionalInformation* field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the time the present alarm has been acknowledged by the Agent.";

5.6.4 ackUserIdParameter

```
ackUserIdParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.UserId;
  BEHAVIOUR
    ackUserIdParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 4};
```

```
ackUserIdParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter models the optional *additionalInformation* field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the identifier of the user who acknowledged the present alarm.";

5.6.5 clearUserIdParameter

```
clearUserIdParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.UserId;
  BEHAVIOUR
    clearUserIdParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 5};
```

```
clearUserIdParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter is carried by *additionalInformation* in the notification reporting the clearance of an alarm. It identifies the user that has invoked the *clearAlarms* operation, that has led to the clearance of the the reported alarm clearance.";

5.6.6 clearSystemIdParameter

```
clearSystemIdParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.UserId;
  BEHAVIOUR
    clearSystemIdParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 6};
```

```
clearSystemIdParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter is carried by *additionalInformation* in the notification reporting the clearance of an alarm. It identifies the system on which the IRPManager, where the *clearAlarms* operation that has led to the clearance of the reported alarm, is running";

5.6.7 commentsParameter

```
commentsParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmComments;
  BEHAVIOUR
    commentsParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS {ts32-111AlarmParameter 7};
```

```
commentsParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter is carried by the attribute *additionalInformation* in alarm notifications. If present, it informs the IRPManager about the comments assigned to an alarm. Every single comment includes the following data: *commentText*, *commentTime*, *commentUserId* and (optionally) *commentSystemId*."

6 ASN.1 definitions for Alarm IRP

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule {itu-t(0) identified-organization(4) etsi(0) mobileDomain(0) umts-Operation-
Maintenance(3) ts-32-111(111) part4(4) informationModel(0) asn1Module(2) version1(1)}
```

```
DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=
BEGIN
--EXPORTS everything
IMPORTS
```

```
NotificationIdentifier, Destination, EventTime, ProbableCause, PerceivedSeverity
FROM Attribute-ASN1Module {joint-iso-ccitt ms(9) smi(3) part2(2) asn1Module(2) 1}
```

```
AlarmInfo
FROM Notification-ASN1Module {joint-iso-ccitt ms(9) smi(3) part2(2) asn1Module(2) 2}
```

```
CMISFilter, ObjectInstance, ObjectClass, EventTypeId
FROM CMIP-1 {joint-iso-ccitt ms(9) cmip(1) modules(0) protocol(3)};
```

```
baseNodeUMTS OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain
(0)
umts-Operation-Maintenance (3) }
ts32-111Prefix OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { baseNodeUMTS ts-32-111(111)}
ts32-111Part4 OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111Prefix part4(4)}
ts32-111-4InfoModel OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111Part4 informationModel(0)}

ts32-111AlarmObjectClass OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel managedObjectClass(3)}
ts32-111AlarmPackage OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel package(4)}
ts32-111AlarmParameter OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel parameter(5)}
ts32-111AlarmAttribute OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel attribute(7)}
ts32-111AlarmAction OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel action(9)}
ts32-111AlarmNotification OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel action(10)}
```

```
-- Start of 3GPP SA5 own definitions
```

```
AckErrorList ::= SET OF ErrorInfo
```

```
AlarmReference ::= SEQUENCE
```

```
{
  moi ObjectInstance OPTIONAL, -- absent if scope of uniqueness of
notificationId is across IRPAgent
  notificationIdentifier NotificationIdentifier
}
```

```
AckOrUnackAlarms ::= SEQUENCE
```

```
{
  alarmReferenceList SET OF AlarmReference,
  ackUserId UserId,
  ackSystemId SystemId OPTIONAL
}
```

```
AckOrUnackAlarmsReply ::= SEQUENCE
```

```
{
  status ErrorCauses,
  errorAlarmReferenceList AckErrorList
}
```

```
AckState ::= ENUMERATED
```

```
{
  acknowledged (0),
  unacknowledged (1)
}
```

```
AckTime ::= GeneralizedTime
```

```
AlarmChoice ::= ENUMERATED
```

```
{
  allAlarms (0),
  allActiveAlarms (1),
  allActiveAndAckAlarms (2),
  allActiveAndUnackAlarms (3),
  allClearedAndUnackAlarms (4),
  allUnackAlarms (5)
}
```

AlarmComments ::= SET OF SingleAlarmComment

AlarmsCountSummary ::= SEQUENCE

```
{
  activeAlarmsCount          INTEGER,    -- this is the sum of criticalCount, majorCount,
                                     minorCount, warningCount
                                     -- and indeterminateCount

  criticalCount              INTEGER,
  majorCount                 INTEGER,
  minorCount                 INTEGER,
  warningCount               INTEGER,
  indeterminateCount        INTEGER,
  clearedCount               INTEGER
}
```

AlarmListRebuiltInfo ::= SEQUENCE

```
{
  notificationIdentifier      NotificationIdentifier, -- ITU-T X.721
  rebuiltObjectClass          ObjectClass,
  rebuiltObjectInstance       ObjectInstance,
  reason                      ErrorCauses,
  alarmListAlignmentRequirement AlarmListAlignmentRequirement
}
```

AlarmListAlignmentRequirement ::= ENUMERATED

```
{
  alignmentRequired          (0)    An alarm alignment is required.
  alignmentNotRequired       (1)    An alarm alignment is not required.
}
```

ClearAlarmsInfo ::= SEQUENCE

```
{
  alarmReferenceList         SET OF AlarmReference,
  clearUserId                UserId,
  clearSystemId              SystemId OPTIONAL
}
```

ClearAlarmsReply ::= SEQUENCE

```
{
  status                    ErrorCauses,
  errorAlarmReferenceList   ClearErrorList
}
```

ClearErrorList ::= SET OF ErrorInfo

CommentText ::= GraphicString

CommentTime ::= GeneralizedTime

ErrorCauses ::= ENUMERATED

```
{
  noError (0),                -- operation / notification successfully performed
  wrongFilter (1),            -- the value of the filter parameter is not valid
  wrongAlarmAckState (2),     -- the value of the alarmAckState parameter (e.g.
                               getAlarmCount) is not valid
  ackPartlySuccessful (3),    -- acknowledgment request partly successful
  unackPartlySuccessful (4),  -- unacknowledgment request partly successful
  wrongAlarmReference (5),    -- alarm identifier used in the alarm reference list not found
                               (e.g. in case of acknowledgement request)
  wrongAlarmReferenceList (6), -- the alarm reference list (e.g. in case of acknowledgement
                               request) is empty or completely wrong
  alarmAlreadyAck (7),        -- alarm to be acknowledged is already in this state
  alarmAlreadyUnack (8),      -- alarm to be acknowledged is already in this state
  wrongUserId (9),            -- the user identifier in the unacknowledgement operation is
                               not the same as in the previous acknowledgementAlarms
                               request
  wrongSystemId (10),         -- the system identifier in the unacknowledgement operation is
                               not the same as in the previous acknowledgementAlarms
                               request
  alarmAckNotAllowed (11),    -- current management system not allowed to acknowledge the
                               alarm (e.g. due to acknowledgement competence rules)
  setCommentPartlySuccessful (12), -- the setComment action partly successful (e.g. some alarmId
                               are not in the alarmList)
  clearAlarmsPartlySuccessful (13), -- only some alarms to be cleared could be cleared
  clearAlarmsNotAllowed (14), -- current management system not allowed to clear the alarm
  clearAlarmsAlarmAlreadyCleared (15) -- alarm to be cleared is already cleared
  unspecifiedErrorReason (255) -- operation failed, specific error unknown
}
```

```

}

ErrorInfo ::= SEQUENCE
{
    moi                ObjectInstance OPTIONAL,    -- absent if uniqueness of
                                                         notificationIdentifier is across
                                                         IRPAgent
    notificationIdentifier  NotificationIdentifier, -- ITU-T X.721
    reason              ErrorCauses
}

GeneralObjectId ::= INTEGER

GetAlarmCount ::= SEQUENCE
{
    alarmAckState        AlarmChoice OPTIONAL,
    filter              CMISFilter OPTIONAL -- ITU-T X.711
}

GetAlarmCountReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
    criticalCount        INTEGER,
    majorCount           INTEGER,
    minorCount           INTEGER,
    warningCount         INTEGER,
    indeterminateCount   INTEGER,
    clearedCount         INTEGER,
    status              ErrorCauses
}

GetAlarmIRPVersionReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
    versionNumberList    SupportedAlarmIRPVersions,
    status              ErrorCauses
}

GetAlarmList ::= SEQUENCE
{
    alarmAckState        AlarmChoice OPTIONAL,
    destination          Destination,             -- ITU-T X.721
    filter              CMISFilter OPTIONAL -- ITU-T X.711
}

GetAlarmListReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
    alignmentId          INTEGER,
    status              ErrorCauses
}

GetNotificationProfileReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
    notificationNameProfile    NotificationList,
    notificationParameterProfile  ParameterListOfList,
    status                    ErrorCauses
}

GetOperationProfileReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
    operationNameProfile    OperationList,
    operationParameterProfile  ParameterListOfList,
    status                  ErrorCauses
}

IRPVersionNumber ::= GraphicString

NotificationList ::= SET OF NotificationName

NotificationName ::= GraphicString

NotifyComments ::= SEQUENCE
{
    alarmedObjectClass    ObjectClass,             ITU T X.711
    alarmedObjectInstance  ObjectInstance,         ITU T X.711
    notificationIdentifier  NotificationIdentifier, -- ITU-T X.721
    alarmEventTime         EventTime,             -- ITU-T X.721
    alarmType              EventTypeId,          -- ITU-T X.711
    alarmProbableCause     ProbableCause,        ITU T X.721
    alarmPerceivedSeverity  PerceivedSeverity,    ITU T X.721
    comments               SET OF Comment
}

NotifyPotentialFaultyAlarmListInfo ::= SEQUENCE

```

```

{
potentialFaultyObjectClass      ObjectClass,           -- ITU-T X.711
potentialFaultyObjectInstance  ObjectInstance,       -- ITU-T X.711
notificationIdentifier          NotificationIdentifier,  -- ITU-T X.721
reason                          ReasonPotentialFaultyAlarmList
}

```

OperationList ::= SET OF OperationName

OperationName ::= GraphicString

ParameterList ::= SET OF ParameterName

ParameterListOfList ::= SET OF ParameterList

ParameterName ::= GraphicString

ReasonPotentialFaultyAlarmList ::= ENUMERATED

```

{
communicationErrorNEAgent, (0)    -- A communication error between a NE and the agent has occurred.
agentRestart                (1)    -- The agent has restarted and not yet updated its alarm list.
indeterminate                (2)    -- The reason could not be determined.
}

```

SetComment ::= SEQUENCE

```

{
alarmReferenceList          SET OF AlarmReference,
commentUserId               UserId,
commentSystemId            SystemId OPTIONAL,
commentText                 CommentText
}

```

SetCommentReply ::= SEQUENCE

```

{
badAlarmReferenceList      SET OF ErrorInfo,
status                     ErrorCauses
}

```

SingleAlarmComment ::= SEQUENCE

```

{
commentText              CommentText
commentTime             CommentTime,
commentUserId          UserId,
commentSystemId       SystemId OPTIONAL
}

```

SystemId ::= GraphicString

SupportedAlarmIRPVersions ::= SET OF IRPVersionNumber

UserId ::= GraphicString

END -- of module TS32-111-4TypeModule

End of Change in Clause 4 and 5

CHANGE REQUEST

⌘ **32.111-4 CR 015** ⌘ rev **-** ⌘ Current version: **4.4.0** ⌘

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Title:	⌘ Correction to Alarm Comments - alignment with 32.111-1		
Source:	⌘ S5		
Work item code:	⌘ OAM-FM	Date:	⌘ 28/02/2003
Category:	⌘ F	Release:	⌘ Rel-4
	Use <u>one</u> of the following categories: F (correction) A (corresponds to a correction in an earlier release) B (addition of feature), C (functional modification of feature) D (editorial modification) Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP TR 21.900 .		Use <u>one</u> of the following releases: 2 (GSM Phase 2) R96 (Release 1996) R97 (Release 1997) R98 (Release 1998) R99 (Release 1999) Rel-4 (Release 4) Rel-5 (Release 5) Rel-6 (Release 6)

Reason for change:	⌘ The Alarm IRP IS (32.111-2) is not consistent in itself and with respect to the Alarm IRP Requirements (32.111-1) regarding Alarm Acknowledgement and Alarm Comments. For this reason the Alarm IRP IS is corrected. This CR refelects these changes in the CMIP SS
Summary of change:	⌘ The mapping of notifyComment and the corresponding GDMO and ASN.1 definitions are corrected.
Consequences if not approved:	⌘ It is not possible to implement the IRP according to the requirements.

Clauses affected:	⌘ 4, 5										
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4 Basic aspects

The present document provides all the GDMO and ASN.1 definitions necessary to implement the Alarm IRP Information Service (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]) for the CMIP interface. The Alarm IRP Information Service description is based on Information Object Classes (IOC), Relationships among IOC and Interfaces (used or implemented by IOC) which include Operations and/or Notifications.

In the present document, for the CMIP interfaces the IOC are modelled as GDMO "Managed Object Classes" (MOC) defined specifically for alarm management, the Operations are modelled as GDMO "Actions" of a MOC while the Notifications are modelled as GDMO "Notifications" included in MOCs that need to report events to the Manager. In more detail, the Notifications related to alarm management are included in a MOC defined in the present document while the Notifications defined for alarm reporting are not included in any MOC defined in the present document. They will be included in other MOCs defined in other CMIP Solution Set or in other CMIP Information Models.

Regarding the Notifications, the present document is based on the Notification IRP CMIP Solution Set (3GPP TS 32.304 [10]).

4.1 Reporting new alarms

In case of an alarm occurrence the Agent notifies all subscribed Managers that a new alarm has occurred and has been added into the alarm list of the Agent.

For this purpose the standardised alarm notifications defined in ITU-T Recommendations X.721 [4] and X.733 [5] are used.

4.2 Reporting changed alarms

Although in the Alarm IRP Information Service (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]) there is a notification specifically defined to report the event of alarm attribute changes, on the CMIP interfaces such events are reported according to ITU-T Recommendations X.721 [4] and X.733 [5], i.e. the original alarm is first cleared (by means of a clear alarm notification) and then a new alarm notification with the changed parameter values is generated by the Agent.

4.3 Reporting cleared alarms

On the CMIP interfaces the clearing of alarms is reported by the Agent to the Managers in accordance with the mechanisms defined in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [5] and ITU-T Recommendation Q.821 [7].

4.4 Acknowledgment of alarms

This clause relates to the co-operative alarm acknowledgment managed on Itf-N, which implies that the acknowledgment of alarms can be done on both NM and EM.

The acknowledgment of alarms is managed by means of the MOC `alarmControl`, which includes:

- ~~One A~~ction to acknowledge alarms ([*acknowledgeAlarms*](#));
- ~~One A~~ction to un-acknowledge alarms ([*unacknowledgeAlarms*](#));
- ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant Alarm Notification to inform Managers about changes of acknowledgment state.

In case an alarm is acknowledged by an operator or automatically by a management system, the `ackUserId`, `ackSystemId`, `ackState` and `ackTime` information is stored in the *additionalInformation* field of the alarm present in the alarm list.

4.5 Management of comments associated to alarms

This feature provides the [NM and EM](#) operators with the capability to add comments to an alarm and to share such information among all the OS (EM and NM) that are involved in the network management. [This implies that a synchronisation of the comments between the EM and NM shall be possible.](#) An OS shall have the capability to record more than one comment for each alarm.

The management of the comments associated to alarms is similar to the management of the acknowledgment of alarms and is achieved by means of the same MOC `alarmControl`. For the management of the comments, the MOC `alarmControl` includes ~~one Action to set the comment and Notification to distribute the comments to other OS.~~

- [one action allowing the NM operator to add a comment to one or several alarms \(*setComment*\):](#)
- [ITU-T Recommendation X.721 \[4\] compliant alarm notifications to inform the IRPManagers about changes of alarm related comments. Such notifications are generated by the Agent towards all connected Managers either if the comment is made by an NM operator \(i.e. after the completion of a previous *setComment* request\) or if the comment is made by an EM operator.](#)

4.6 Alignment of alarm conditions over the Itf-N

The IRP Manager is able to trigger the alarm conditions alignment using the Action *getAlarmList*

The following specifies the logical steps of the alignment procedure, by describing a possible implementation. Any other implementation showing the same behaviour on the Itf-N interface is compliant with the present document.

- The Manager sends to the Agent a *getAlarmList* request containing the following information:
 - *alarmAckState*, used to select the alarms from the Agent's alarm list for the current alignment (e.g. all active alarms).
 - *destination*, identifying the destination to which event reports that have passed the filter conditions are sent.
 - *filter*, this optional parameter defines the conditions an alarm notification shall fulfil in order to be forwarded to the Manager. It applies only for the current alignment request.
- After evaluation of the request, the Agent first generates an *alignmentId* value, which unambiguously identifies this alignment process. This value is used by the Manager to correlate alarm reports to the corresponding alignment requests, in case this Manager issues several alarm alignments in parallel.
- The Agent creates a temporary Event Forwarding Discriminator (EFD) instance for the purpose of this alarm alignment, using the parameters *destination* and *filter* received in the request. If the *filter* parameter is absent or NULL, all alarm notifications are forwarded to the Manager through this EFD, according to the value of the parameter *alarmAckState*.
The filter is set by the Agent automatically in order to forward to only those alarm notifications containing, at the beginning of the field *additionalText*, either the string "(ALIGNMENT-<alignmentId>)" or the string "(ALIGNMENTEND-<alignmentId>)".
- The Agent sends back a *getAlarmList* response, which contains the *alignmentId* described above and the *status* information, indicating the result of the request. (see the message flow in Figure 1).
- The Agent scans now its alarm list. For every alarm, which matches the criteria defined by the *alarmAckState* parameter, the Agent inserts, at the beginning of the field *additionalText*, the string "(ALIGNMENT-<alignmentId>)". According to ITU-T Recommendation X.734 [6], the Agent forwards these alarm notifications towards all EFDs.
In the last alarm of the list the Agent inserts the string "(ALIGNMENTEND-<alignmentId>)" to indicate the end of the alarm alignment.

NOTE: These alarm notifications can reach the current Manager only via the temporary EFD created for the current alignment. They are filtered out:

- a) By all the EFD instances used for "real-time" alarm reporting, due to the presence of the sub-string "ALIGNMENT" in the field *additionalText* (see 3GPP TS 32.304 [10]).

- b) By all temporary EFD instances possibly created for parallel alignments, due to the presence of the unambiguous sub-string "<alignmentId>" in the *additionalText* field.
- After sending the last alarm report (identified by the sub-string "ALIGNMENTEND" in the *additionalText*), the Agent automatically deletes the temporary EFD instance (see figure 1).

At the end of the alarm conditions alignment the acknowledgement state and the comments assigned to each alarm are implicitly synchronised between the IRP Agent and the IRP Manager that has requested the alignment.

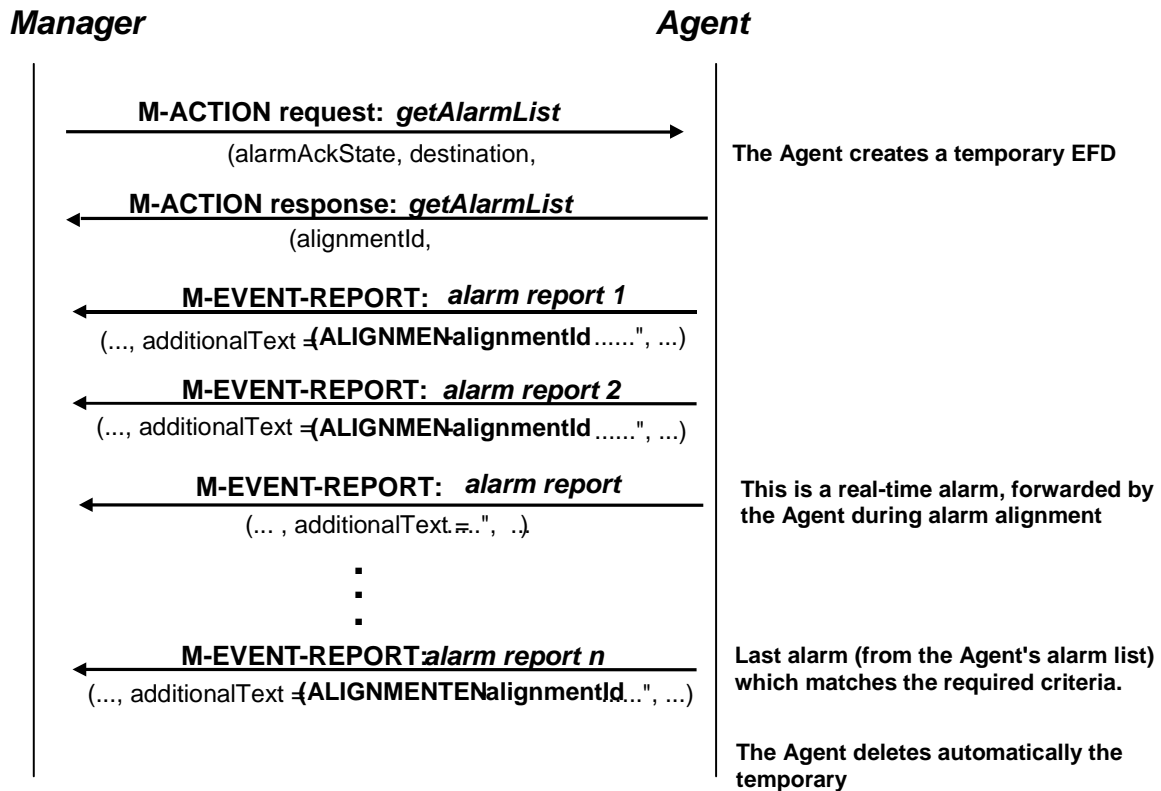


Figure 1: Alignment arrow diagram

Figure 2 shows the handling of a "real-time" alarm notification (occurred during the execution of the *getAlarmList* operation), which is forwarded by the Agent (according to ITU-T Recommendation X.734 [6]) to all currently available EFD instances. Dependent on the *discriminatorConstruct* setting of every EFD, such an alarm may or may not reach the related Manager. In any case, this alarm is filtered out by the temporary EFD assigned to the Manager, which triggered the *getAlarmList* request.

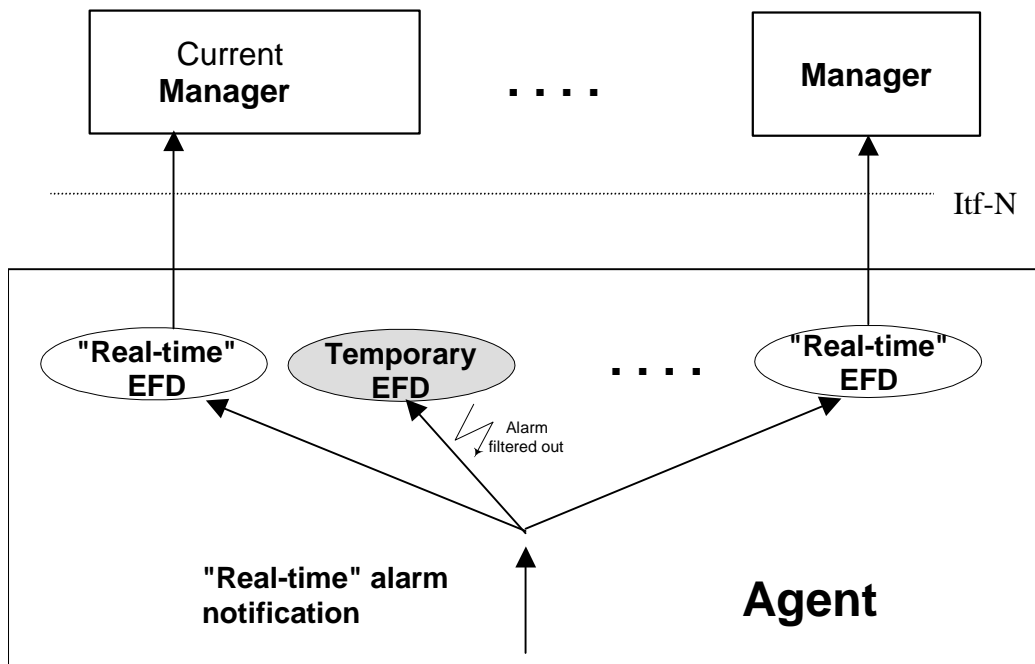


Figure 2: Treatment of "real time" alarms

Figure 3 shows the handling of an alarm notification from the alarm list, matching the criteria defined in the parameters *alarmAckState* of the *getAlarmList* request and forwarded by the Agent to all EFD instances as well. This alarm is filtered out by all EFD instances in charge of discrimination of "real-time" alarms and can reach only the Manager, which triggered the *getAlarmList* request, because it passes the temporary EFD instance assigned to this Manager.

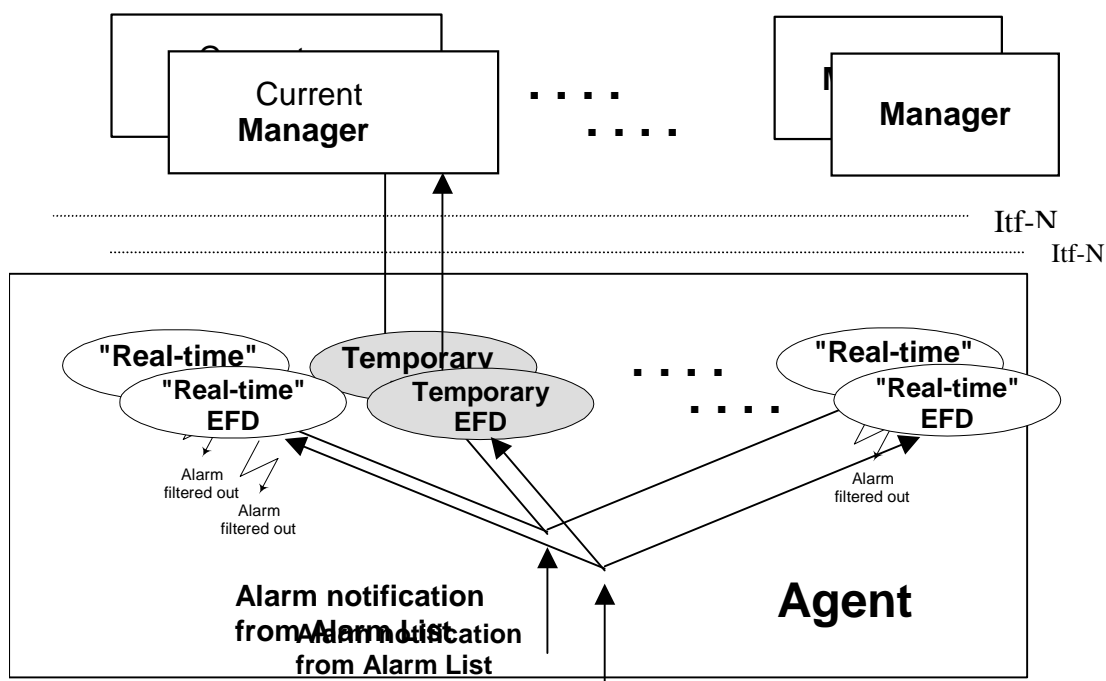


Figure 3: Treatment of "alignent" alarms

4.7 Mapping

The semantics of the Alarm IRP is defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9]. The definitions of the management information defined there are independent of any implementation technology and protocol. This clause maps these protocol-independent definitions onto the equivalences of the CMIP solution set of Alarm IRP.

4.7.1 Mapping of IOC and Interfaces

For this Alarm IRP CMIP Solution Sets, the Information Object Classes (IOC) and the Interfaces defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9] are mapped to a Managed Object Classes (MOC) named `alarmControl` which includes all the Attributes, Actions and Notifications necessary to model the management described in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9].

4.7.2 Mapping of Interface/Operations

Table 1 maps the Interface/Operations defined in the IS of the Alarm IRP to their equivalents in the CMIP SS. The equivalents are qualified as Mandatory (M) or Optional (O).

Table 1: Mapping of Operations

Interface/Operations of the Alarm IRP Information Services	GDMO Actions of CMIP Solution Set	Qualifier
AlarmIRPOperations_1/acknowledgeAlarms	acknowledgeAlarms	M
AlarmIRPOperations_1/getAlarmList	getAlarmList	M
AlarmIRPOperations_2/getAlarmCount	getAlarmCount	O
AlarmIRPOperations_3/unacknowledgeAlarms	unacknowledgeAlarms	O
AlarmIRPOperations_4/setComment	setComment	O
GenericIRPVersionOperation/getIRPVersion	getAlarmIRPVersion	M
GenericIRPProfileOperation/getNotificationProfile	getNotificationProfile	O
GenericIRPProfileOperation/getOperationProfile	getOperationProfile	O

NOTE: the Interfaces `GenericIRPVersionOperation` and `GenericIRPProfileOperation` are defined in 3GPP TS 32.312 [11].

4.7.3 Mapping of Parameters of each operation

The tables in the following clauses show the parameters of each operations defined in the IS 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9] and their equivalents in this CMIP SS.

The input parameters of the operations are mapped into "Action information" (see GDMO and ASN.1 definitions for more details).

The output parameters of the operations are mapped into "Action response" (see GDMO and ASN.1 definitions for more details).

Table 2: Mapping of parameters of 'acknowledgementAlarms'

Operation parameters of Information Services	IN/OUT	CMIP equivalences	Qualifier
alarmInformationAndSeverityReferenceList	IN	AlarmReferenceList (note)	M
ackUserId	IN	ackUserId	M
ackSystemId	IN	ackSystemId	O
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	errorAlarmReferenceList	M
status	OUT	status	M
NOTE: Severity verification not required in CMIP solution set.			

Table 3: Mapping of Parameters of 'getAlarmCount'

Operation parameters of Information Services	IN/OUT	CMIP equivalents	Qualifier
filter	IN	filter	O
alarmAckState	IN	alarmAckState	O
criticalCount	OUT	criticalCount	M
majorCount	OUT	majorCount	M
minorCount	OUT	minorCount	M
warningCount	OUT	warningCount	M
indeterminateCount	OUT	indeterminateCount	M
clearedCount	OUT	clearedCount	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 4: Mapping of Parameters of 'getAlarmList'

Operation parameters of Information Services	IN/OUT	CMIP equivalents	Qualifier
filter	IN	filter	O
alarmAckState	IN	alarmAckState	O
--		destination (input) - see note 1	M
alarmInformationList	OUT	(sequence of alarm notifications) (see subclause 4.5)	M
status	OUT	status	M
--		alignmentId (output) - see note 2	M

NOTE 1: Destination is a CMIP specific parameter and is determined by the Manager.
NOTE 2: AlignmentId is a CMIP specific parameter and is determined by the Agent.

Table 5: Mapping of Parameters of 'getAlarmIRPVersion'

Operation parameters of Information Services	IN/OUT	CMIP equivalents	Qualifier
versionNumberSet	OUT	versionNumberList	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 6: Mapping of Parameters of 'getOperationProfile'

Operation parameters of the Information Services.	IN/OUT	CMIP Solution Set equivalences	Qualifier
irpVersion	IN	irpVersionNumber	M
operationNameProfile	OUT	operationNameProfile	M
operationParameterProfile	OUT	operationParameterProfile	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 7: Mapping of Parameters of 'getNotificatioProfile'

Operation parameters of the Information Services.	IN/OUT	CMIP Solution Set equivalences	Qualifier
irpVersion	IN	irpVersionNumber	M
notificationNameProfile	OUT	notificationNameProfile	M
notificationParameterProfile	OUT	notificationParameterProfile	M
status	OUT	status	M

Table 8: Mapping of Parameters of 'setComment'

Operation parameters of Information Services	IN/OUT	CMIP equivalents	Qualifier
alarmInformationReferenceList	IN	alarmReferenceList	M
commentUserId	IN	commentUserId	M
commentSystemId	IN	commentSystemId	O
commentText	IN	commentText	M
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	badAlarmReferenceList	M
Status	OUT	status	M

Table 9: Mapping of Parameters of 'unacknowledgeAlarms'

Operation parameters of Information Services	IN/OUT	CMIP equivalents	Qualifier
alarmInformationReferenceList	IN	alarmReferenceList	M
ackUserId	IN	ackUserId	M
ackSystemId	IN	ackSystemId	O
badAlarmInformationReferenceList	OUT	errorAlarmReferenceList	M
status	OUT	status	M

4.7.4 Mapping of Notifications

Table 10 maps the Notifications defined in the Information Service of the Alarm IRP to the equivalent Notifications of the CMIP solution set for the Alarm IRP. The CMIP Notifications are qualified as Mandatory (M) or Optional (O).

Table 10: Mapping of Notifications

Notifications of Information Services of the Alarm IRP	Equivalent Notifications of the CMIP solution set for the Alarm IRP	Qualifier
notifyNewAlarm	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	M
notifyChangedAlarm	notifyClearedAlarm notifyNewAlarm which are in turn mapped into environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	O
notifyClearedAlarm	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	M
notifyAckStateChanged	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4]	M
notifyAlarmListRebuilt	notifyAlarmListRebuilt	M
notifyComments	environmentalAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] equipmentAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] qualityofServiceAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] processingErrorAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] communicationsAlarm ITU-T X.721 [4] [4]notifyComments	O

4.7.5 Mapping of Parameters of each notification

In the CMIP Solution Set, all the notifications originated within the Agent are reported to the Managers by means of the CMISE "M-EVENT-REPORT" primitive, which is implemented by means of the "m-EventReport OPERATION" (see ITU-T Recommendations X.710 [2] and X.711 [3]). The argument of m-EventReport OPERATION is defined in ITU-T Recommendation X.711 [3] as follows:

```
EventReportArgument ::= SEQUENCE {
    managedObjectClass      ObjectClass,
    managedObjectInstance   ObjectInstance,
    eventTime                [5] IMPLICIT GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL,
    eventType                EventTypeId,
    eventInfo                [8] ANY DEFINED BY eventType OPTIONAL
}
```

where eventInfo is further specified, for each specific notification, by means of specific GDMO/ASN1 definitions.

In the following tables, for the notifications defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9], all parameters are mapped to their CMIP SS equivalents. Note that the parameter mapping for the notification notifyChangedAlarm is not given. This is because in the CMIP SS the notifications notifyClearedAlarm and notifyNewAlarm are emitted instead of the notification notifyChangedAlarm.

The IS parameter systemDN defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [9] (Alarm IRP: Information Services) is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.

~~Except for the notification notifyComments~~ The IS parameter alarmType has no direct CMIP SS equivalent. Instead the value of this parameter is reflected by the type of the emitted notification. More specifically:

- If the event type is equal to 'Communication Alarm' the notification communicationsAlarm is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Processing Error Alarm' the notification processingErrorAlarm is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Environmental Alarm' the notification environmentalAlarm is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Quality of Service Alarm' the notification qualityofServiceAlarm is emitted;
- If the event type is equal to 'Equipment Alarm' the notification equipmentAlarm is emitted.

Also the IS parameter alarmId is not mapped directly to a parameter in the CMIP SS. This is not required because an alarm is identified unambiguously by the notification identifier of the notification reporting the alarm the first time and the instance of the managed object emitting this notification. Notifications referring to an alarm already reported (e.g. notifyClearedAlarm, notifyAckStateChanged, notifyComments) do so by specifying in the M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications (ITU-T Recommendations X.721 [4] and X.733 [5]) the notification identifier of the notification having reported the new alarm and, if required, the instance of the object having emitted this notification.

Table 11a: Mapping of Parameters of "notifyNewAlarm"

IS Parameter Name	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	--	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': probableCause	M
specificProblems	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': specificProblems	O
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': perceivedSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
backedUpStatus	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': backedUpStatus	O
backUpObject	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': backUpObject	O
trendIndication	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': trendIndication	O
thresholdInfo	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': thresholdInfo	O
correlatedNotifications	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications	O
stateChangeDefinition	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': stateChangeDefinition	O
monitoredAttributes	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': monitoredAttributes	O
proposedRepairActions	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': proposedRepairActions	O
additionalText	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': additionalText	O
additionalInformation	M-EVENT-REPORT parameter 'Event information' (AlarmInfo): additionalInformation	O
alarmId	--	--

Table 11b: Mapping of Parameters of "notifyClearedAlarm"

IS Parameter Name	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	--	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': probableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': perceivedSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
correlatedNotifications	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications	O
alarmId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications	M

Table 12: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyAckStateChanged'

IS Parameter Name	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectclass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	--	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': probableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': perceivedSeverity	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	--
alarmId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications	--
ackTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': additionalInformation	M
ackState		M
ackUserId		M
ackSystemId		O

Table 13: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyAlarmListRebuilt'

IS Parameter Name	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectClass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': rebuiltObjectClass	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': rebuiltObjectInstance	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	--	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
reason	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': reason	M

Table 14: Mapping of Parameters of 'notifyComments'

IS Parameter Name	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectClass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': alarmedObjectClass	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': alarmedObjectInstance	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': alarmEventTime	M
systemDN	--	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
alarmType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': alarmType	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': alarmProbableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': alarmPerceivedSeverity	M
comments	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': comments	M
alarmId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications	--

IS Parameter	CMIP SS Equivalent	Qualifier
objectClass	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object class'	M
objectInstance	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Managed object instance'	M
notificationId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': notificationIdentifier	M
eventTime	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event time'	M
systemDN	This IS parameter is conditional and not used in the CMIP SS.	--
notificationType	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event type'	M
alarmType	The semantics of this parameter is conveyed by the notification type.	M
probableCause	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': probableCause	M
perceivedSeverity	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': perceivedSeverity	M
comments	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': additionalInformation: commentsParameter	M
alarmId	M-EVENT REPORT parameter 'Event information': correlatedNotifications	M

5 GDMO definitions

5.1 Managed Object Classes

5.1.1 alarmControl

This Managed Object Class (MOC) models the alarm information available within the Agent and significant for the NM-EM interface. It deals with both **active** and **cleared but not yet acknowledged** alarms. The NMC may initiate the transfer of current alarms according to the required parameters in the M-ACTION request 'getAlarmList'.

```
alarmControl MANAGED OBJECT CLASS
DERIVED FROM
  "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":top;
CHARACTERIZED BY
  alarmControlBasicPackage,
  alarmAcknowledgementPackage,
  alarmIRPVersionPackage;

CONDITIONAL PACKAGES
  alarmCountPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it",
```

```

alarmCommentPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it",
alarmProfilePackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it",
alarmUnacknowledgementPackage PRESENT IF "an instance supports it ";
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmObjectClass 1};

```

5.2 Packages

5.2.1 alarmControlBasicPackage

```

alarmControlBasicPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmControlBasicPackageBehaviour;
  ATTRIBUTES
    alarmControlId          GET,
    alarmsCountSummary      GET;
  ACTIONS
    getAlarmList;
  NOTIFICATIONS
    alarmListRebuilt;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 1};

```

```

alarmControlBasicPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS

```

"The MOC alarmControl has been defined to provide information to the Manager about the currently alarms controlled by the Agent.
 An instance of the 'alarmControl' MOC is identified by the value of the attribute 'alarmControlId'.
 The attribute 'alarmsCountSummary' provides a summary of the number of alarms managed in the Agent's alarm list (including the number of cleared but not yet acknowledged alarms).
 The action 'getAlarmList' is the means, for the Manager, to trigger an alarm alignment procedure in accordance with the parameter specified in the action request (this may be needed e.g. for first time alignment or after a link interruption between the Agent and the Manager). The alarm list is sent as a sequence of single alarm reports.
 The notification 'alarmListRebuilt' is sent by the Agent to the Manager to inform that the alarm list has changed. It is recommended that the Manager subsequently triggers an alarm alignment.";

5.2.2 alarmCountPackage

```

alarmCountPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmCountPackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    getAlarmCount;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 2};

```

```

alarmCountPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS

```

"This package has been defined to allow the Managers to get information from the Agent about the number of alarms currently present in the alarm list.";

5.2.3 alarmAcknowledgementPackage

```

alarmAcknowledgementPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmAcknowledgementPackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    acknowledgeAlarms;
  NOTIFICATIONS
    "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":communicationsAlarm,
    "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":environmentalAlarm,
    "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":equipmentAlarm,
    "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":processingErrorAlarm,
    "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992":qualityofServiceAlarm;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 3};

```

```

alarmAcknowledgementPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS

```

"This package has been defined to provide information to the Manager about the acknowledgement status of the alarms controlled by the Agent.
 The action 'acknowledgeAlarms' allows the NM operator to acknowledge one or several alarms previously sent by the Agent as alarm notifications.

The ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant alarm notifications are sent by the Agent to the Manager to inform that one alarm has been acknowledged. The acknowledgement related information is carried in the *additionalInformation* attribute.";

5.2.4 alarmUnacknowledgementPackage

```
alarmUnacknowledgementPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmUnacknowledgementPackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    unacknowledgeAlarms;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 4};
```

```
alarmUnacknowledgementPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
"This package has been defined to provide the Manager with the capability to un-acknowledge alarms.
The action 'unacknowledgeAlarms' allows the NM operator to un-acknowledge one or several alarms previously acknowledged by him.
The ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant alarm notifications are sent by the Agent to the Manager to inform that one alarm has been unacknowledged. The acknowledgement related information is carried in the additionalInformation attribute.";
```

5.2.5 alarmCommentPackage

```
alarmCommentPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmCommentPackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    setComment;
  NOTIFICATIONS
notifyComments;

|             |                                                                 |
|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992": <a href="#">communicationsAlarm,</a>   |
| "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992": <a href="#">environmentalAlarm,</a>    |
| "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992": <a href="#">equipmentAlarm,</a>        |
| "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992": <a href="#">processingErrorAlarm,</a>  |
| "Rec. X.721 | ISO/IEC 10165-2 : 1992": <a href="#">qualityofServiceAlarm;</a> |


  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 5};
```

```
alarmCommentPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
"This package has been defined to allow the management of comments related to alarms.Operators to write comments about alarms that are in the alarm list of the IRP Agent.
The action setComment allows the IRPManager to add a comment to one or several alarms. Also the IRPAgent may add comments to alarms.
ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4] compliant alarm notifications are generated once a comment is added to an alarm. The information in all comments associated to an alarm is carried in the attribute additionalInformation.";
```

5.2.6 alarmIRPVersionPackage

```
alarmIRPVersionPackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmIRPVersionPackageBehaviour;
  ATTRIBUTES
    supportedAlarmIRPVersions GET;
  ACTIONS
    getAlarmIRPVersion;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 6};
```

```
alarmIRPVersionPackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
"This package has been defined to allow the Manager to get information about the Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent.
The attribute 'supportedAlarmIRPVersions' indicates all versions of the Alarm IRP currently supported by the Agent.
The action 'getAlarmIRPVersion' may be invoked by the Manager to get information about the Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent. Such Alarm IRP versions must compatible to each other. This means that the Manager may use any one of such Alarm IRP versions";
```

5.2.7 alarmProfilePackage

```
alarmProfilePackage PACKAGE
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmProfilePackageBehaviour;
  ACTIONS
    getOperationProfile,
    getNotificationProfile;

  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmPackage 7};
```

```
alarmProfilePackageBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This package has been defined to allow the Manager to get detailed information about the profile of Alarm IRP.

The action 'getOperationProfile' is invoked by the Manager to get detailed information about the operations supported by Alarm IRP.

The action 'getNotificationProfile' is invoked by the Manager to get detailed information about the notifications supported by Alarm IRP."

5.3 Actions

5.3.1 acknowledgeAlarms (M)

```
acknowledgeAlarms ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    acknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckOrUnackAlarms;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckOrUnackAlarmsReply;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 1};
```

```
acknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This action is invoked by the Manager to indicate to the Agent that one or several alarms (previously sent by the Agent as alarm notifications) have to be acknowledged. In the action request the NM supplies the parameter *ackUserId* and *ackSystemId*. The other acknowledgement history parameters, i.e. alarm acknowledgement state (in this case *acknowledged*) and the acknowledgement time are set by the Agent itself.

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmReferenceList*
This parameter contains a set of MOI (Managed Object Instance) and *notificationIdentifier*. Each pair identifies unambiguously in the scope of the Agent an alarm (previously received by the NM) that have to be now acknowledged. MOI can be absent if scope of uniqueness of *notificationIdentifier* is across the IRPAgent.
- *ackUserId*
It contains the name of the operator who acknowledged the alarm or a generic name (dependent on the operational concept). It may have also the value NULL.
- *ackSystemId*
It indicates the management system where the acknowledgment is triggered. It may have also the value NULL.

The 'Action response' contains the following data:

- *status*
This parameter contains the results of the NM acknowledgement action. Possible values: *noError* (0, all alarms found and ack state changed according to the manager request), *ackPartlySuccessful* (some alarms not found / not changeable, see next parameter), *error* (value indicates the reason why the complete operation failed).
- *errorAlarmReferenceList*
This parameter (significant only if *status* = *ackPartlySuccessful*) contains the list of moi (managed object instance) and *notificationIdentifier* pairs of the alarms which could not be acknowledged and, for each alarm, also the reason of the error."

5.3.2 getAlarmCount (O)

```
getAlarmCount ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getAlarmCountBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
```

```

WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmCount;
WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmCountReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 2};

```

getAlarmCountBehaviour **BEHAVIOUR**

DEFINED AS

"The NM invokes this action to receive the number of available alarms in the Agent' alarm list according to the specification in the action request. The Manager may use this action to find out the number of alarms in the alarm list before invoking a synchronisation by means of the *getAlarmList* operation. The request is possible also before the Manager creates an own event forwarding discriminator instance within the Agent.

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmAckState*
Depending on this optional parameter value, the NM gets the number of alarms of each *perceivedSeverity* value according to the following possible choices:
 - all alarms
 - all active alarms (acknowledged or not yet acknowledged)
 - all active and acknowledged alarms
 - all active and unacknowledged alarms
 - all cleared and unacknowledged alarms.
 If the parameter is absent, all alarms from the Agent's alarm list are taken into consideration.
- *filter*
The handling of this optional parameter is as follows:
 - if present and not NULL, it indicates a filter constraint which shall apply in the calculation of the results
 - if its value is NULL, no filter shall be considered and the Agent shall return the number of all alarms according to the value of the parameter *alarmAckState* (see above)
 - if absent, the handling depends on the availability of an event forwarding discriminator instance within the Agent. If this instance is valid, the filter construct of the event forwarding discriminator shall apply. If no EFD instance is available, the Agent shall return the number of all alarms according to the value of the above-mentioned parameter *alarmAckState*.

The 'Action response' is composed of:

- The numbers of alarms for each *perceivedSeverity* value (if applicable).
- The parameter *status* containing the results of the NM action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.3 getAlarmList (M)

```

getAlarmList ACTION
BEHAVIOUR
    getAlarmListBehaviour;
MODE
    CONFIRMED;
WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmList;
WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmListReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 3};

```

getAlarmListBehaviour **BEHAVIOUR**

DEFINED AS

"This action starts an alarm alignment procedure between a NM and Agent, which takes into account the acknowledgment state of the alarms and a dedicated filter (valid only for the current request).

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

- *alarmAckState*
Depending on this optional parameter value, the NM gets the alarm reports according to the following possible choices:
 - all alarms
 - all active alarms (acknowledged or not yet acknowledged)
 - all active and acknowledged alarms
 - all active and unacknowledged alarms
 - all cleared and unacknowledged alarms.
 If the parameter is absent, all alarms from the Agent's alarm list are taken into consideration.
- *destination*
This parameter identifies the destination to which the alarm reports that have passed the test conditions specified in the parameter 'filter' are sent. According to ITU-T Recommendation X.721 [4], if no destination is specified in the request, then the discriminator is created with the destination defaulted to the AE-Title of the invoker.

- *filter*
The handling of this optional parameter (valid only for the current alignment request) is as follows:
 - if present and not NULL, it indicates a filter constraint which shall apply in the forwarding of the alignment-related alarm reports
 - if its value is NULL, no real filter shall be considered and the Manager receives the alarms according to the value of the parameter *alarmAckState* (see above).
 The 'Action response' contains the following data:
- *alignmentId*
The parameter is defined by the Agent and identifies unambiguously the current alarm alignment procedure. It allows the Manager to distinguish between alarm reports sent as consequence of several own alignment requests triggered in parallel.
- *status*
The parameter contains the results of the NM action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).
After the action response is forwarded to the NM, the Agent sends the alarm list as a sequence of single alarm notifications in accordance with the values of the request parameters. Every alarm notification contains all fields of the alarm stored in the alarm list. In particular:
- The field *additionalText* contains at the beginning a string to allow a Manager to recognise that this alarm report is sent due to a previous *getAlarmList* request. The structure of this string is:
 - '(ALIGNMENT-alignmentId)' for every alarm report except the last one **or**
 - '(ALIGNMENTEND-alignmentId)' for the last alarm report sent by the Agent due to the current *getAlarmList* request.
- If available, the data related to the acknowledgment history (i.e. *ackState*, *ackTime*, *ackUserId*, *ackSystemId*) are provided in the field *additionalInformation*.
Further details about the implementation of this operation are provided in the 'Introduction'.";

5.3.4 setComment (O)

```
setComment ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    setCommentBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .SetComment;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .SetCommentReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 4};
```

```
setCommentBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"The NM invokes this action to associate a comment to one or more alarms.
The 'Action information' field contains:

- *alarmReferenceList*
Contains a list of alarm identifiers to which the comment must be associated.
- *commentUserId*
Contains the identity of the [NM](#) User that invokes this operation.
- *commentSystemId*
Contains the identity of the NM that invokes this operation.
- *commentText*
Contains the text of the comment.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *errorAlarmReferenceList*
List of pair of *alarmId* and failure reason.
- *status*
It contains the results of the NM action. Possible values: *actionSucceeded* (0), *actionPartiallyFailed* (12) or another value indicating the reason of the error.";

5.3.5 getAlarmIRPVersion (M)

```
getAlarmIRPVersion ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getAlarmIRPVersionBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .GetAlarmIRPVersionReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 5};
```

```
getAlarmIRPVersionBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"The NM invokes this action to get information about the Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent.

The 'Action information' field contains no data.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *versionNumbersList*
It defines a list of Alarm IRP versions supported by the Agent. A list containing no element, i.e. a NULL list means that the concerned Agent doesn't support any version of the Notification IRP.
- *status*
It contains the results of the NM action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.6 getNotificationProfile (O)

```
getNotificationProfile ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getNotificationProfileBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.IRPVersionNumber;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.GetNotificationProfileReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 6};
```

```
getNotificationProfileBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"A Manager invokes this action to enquiry about the notification profile (supported notifications and supported parameters) for this specific Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action information' contains the following data:

- *irpVersionNumber*
This mandatory parameter identifies the Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *notificationNameProfile*
It contains a list of notification names, i.e. a NULL list means that the Alarm IRP doesn't support any notification.
- *notificationParameterProfile*.
It contains a set of elements, each element corresponds to a notification name and is composed by a set of parameter names.
- *status*
It contains the results of this action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.7 getOperationProfile (O)

```
getOperationProfile ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    getOperationProfileBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.IRPVersionNumber;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.GetOperationProfileReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 7};
```

```
getOperationProfileBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

DEFINED AS

"A Manager invokes this action to enquiry about the operation profile (supported operations and supported parameters) for this specific Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action information' contains the following data:

- *irpVersionNumber*
This mandatory parameter identifies the Alarm IRP version.

The 'Action response' is composed of the following data:

- *operationNameProfile*
It contains a list of operation names.
- *operationParameterProfile*.
It contains a set of elements, each element corresponds to an operation name and is composed by a set of parameter names.
- *status*
It contains the results of this action. Possible values: noError (0), error (the value indicates the reason of the error).";

5.3.8 unacknowledgeAlarms (O)

```
unacknowledgeAlarms ACTION
  BEHAVIOUR
    unacknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour;
  MODE
    CONFIRMED;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckOrUnackAlarms;
  WITH REPLY SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckOrUnackAlarmsReply;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAction 8};
```

```
unacknowledgeAlarmsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This action is used by the Manager to indicate to the Agent that one or several alarms (previously acknowledged) have to be unacknowledged. Subsequently the 'acknowledgement history' information of these alarms in the Agent's alarm list is completely removed (this operation may be used by operators in case of a previous acknowledgement by mistake).

The 'Action information' field contains the following data:

alarmReferenceList

This parameter contains a set of MOI (Managed Object Instance) and *notificationIdentifier pair*. Each of them identifies unambiguously in the scope of the Agent an alarm (previously acknowledged by the NM) that have to be now unacknowledged. MOI can be absent if scope of uniqueness of notificationIdentifier is across the IRPagent.

- *ackUserId*
It contains the name of the operator who unacknowledged the alarm or a generic name (dependent on the operational concept). It may have also the value NULL. Note that only the user who previously acknowledged the alarm is allowed to un-acknowledge it later.
 - *ackSystemId*
It indicates the management system where the acknowledgment is triggered. It may have also the value NULL. Note that the un-acknowledgement is allowed only at the management system where previously the acknowledgement took place.
- The 'Action response' contains the following data:
- *status*
This parameter contains the results of the NM un-acknowledgement action. Possible values: noError (0, all alarms found and ack state changed according to the manager request), unackPartlySuccessful (some alarms not found / not changeable, see next response parameter), error (value indicates the reason why the complete operation failed).
 - *errorAlarmReferenceList*
This parameter (significant only if *status* = unackPartlySuccessful) contains the list of MOI (Managed Object Instance) and notificationIdentifier pairs of the alarms which could not be unacknowledged and, for each alarm, also the reason of the error. MOI can be absent if scope of uniqueness of notificationIdentifier is across the IRPagent. ";

5.4 Notifications

5.4.1 notifyAlarmListRebuilt (M)

```
alarmListRebuilt NOTIFICATION
  BEHAVIOUR
    alarmListRebuiltBehaviour;
  WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmListRebuiltInfo;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmNotification 1};
```

```
alarmListRebuiltBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This notification is used by the Agent to inform the NM that the alarm list has been rebuilt.

The 'Event Information' field contains the following data:

- notificationIdentifier
This ITU-T X.721 standardised parameter, together with MOI (Managed Object Instance), unambiguously identifies this notification.
- rebuiltObjectClass
This parameter carries the IRPAgent MOC when the entire AlarmList has been rebuilt. It carries a different MOC when the AlarmList has been partially rebuilt.
- rebuiltObjectInstance
This parameter carries DN of the IRPAgent when the entire AlarmList has been rebuilt. It carries the DN of another MOI when the AlarmList has been partially rebuilt and only the MOIs subordinate of this rebuilt MOI may be affected by this partial rebuilt.
- reason
The parameter indicates the reason for alarm list rebuilding (if applicable).";

5.4.2 ~~notifyComments (O)~~

```
notifyComments NOTIFICATION
BEHAVIOUR
notifyCommentsBehaviour;
WITH INFORMATION SYNTAX
TS32-111-4TypeModule .NotifyComments;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmNotification 2};
```

```
notifyCommentsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

~~"This notification is used by the Agent to inform the NM that one or more comments have been associated to one alarm.~~

~~The 'Event Information' field contains the following data:~~

- ~~-alarmedObjectClass
This parameter specifies the object class representing the resource that raised the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-alarmedObjectInstance
This parameter specifies the object instance representing the resource that raised the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-notificationIdentifier
This parameter specifies the notification identifier (ITU-T X.733 [5]), which, together with the instance of the object emitting this notification, unambiguously identifies this notification.~~
- ~~-alarmEventTime
This parameter specifies the time when the alarm, to which the comment was attached, was first raised by the alarmed resource.~~
- ~~-alarmType
This parameter specifies the event type of the notification that reported the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-alarmProbableCause
This parameter specifies the probable cause (ITU-T X.733 [5]) of the alarm to which the comment was attached.~~
- ~~-alarmPerceivedSeverity
This parameter specifies the perceived severity (ITU-T X.733 [5]) of the alarm to which the comment is attached.~~
- ~~-comments
This parameter carries the text of the comment.";~~

5.5 Attributes

5.5.1 alarmControlId

```
alarmControlId ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE SYNTAX
TS32-111-4TypeModule .GeneralObjectId;
MATCHES FOR
EQUALITY;
BEHAVIOUR
alarmControlIdBehaviour;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAttribute 1};
```

```
alarmControlIdBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
```

```
DEFINED AS
```

"This attribute names an instance of a 'alarmControl' object class.";

5.5.2 alarmsCountSummary

```
alarmsCountSummary ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmsCountSummary;
MATCHES FOR
    EQUALITY;
BEHAVIOUR
    alarmsCountSummaryBehaviour;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAttribute 2};
```

```
alarmsCountSummaryBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This attribute indicates a summary of number of alarms managed in the Agent's alarm list sorted according to the perceived severity (including the number of cleared but not yet acknowledged alarms). Additionally the number of all currently active alarms is provided.";

5.5.3 supportedAlarmIRPVersions

```
supportedAlarmIRPVersions ATTRIBUTE
WITH ATTRIBUTE SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule . SupportedAlarmIRPVersions;
MATCHES FOR
    EQUALITY;
BEHAVIOUR
    supportedAlarmIRPVersionsBehaviour;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmAttribute 3};
```

```
supportedAlarmIRPVersionsBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This attribute provides the information concerning the Alarm IRP versions currently supported by the Agent.";

5.6 Parameters

5.6.1 ackStateParameter

```
ackStateParameter PARAMETER
CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckState;
BEHAVIOUR
    ackStateParameterBehaviour;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 1};
```

```
ackStateParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter models the optional *additionalInformation* field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the current acknowledgement state of the present alarm.";

5.6.2 ackSystemIdParameter

```
ackSystemIdParameter PARAMETER
CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .SystemId;
BEHAVIOUR
    ackSystemIdParameterBehaviour;
REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 2};
```

```
ackSystemIdParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter models the optional *additionalInformation* field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the identifier of the management system where the present alarm has been acknowledged.";

5.6.3 ackTimeParameter

```
ackTimeParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AckTime;
  BEHAVIOUR
    ackTimeParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 3};
```

```
ackTimeParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter models the optional *additionalInformation* field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the time the present alarm has been acknowledged by the Agent.";

5.6.4 ackUserIdParameter

```
ackUserIdParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule.UserId;
  BEHAVIOUR
    ackUserIdParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS { ts32-111AlarmParameter 4};
```

```
ackUserIdParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter models the optional *additionalInformation* field of the alarm notification. If present, it informs the NM about the identifier of the user who acknowledged the present alarm.";

5.6.5 [commentsParameter](#)

```
commentsParameter PARAMETER
  CONTEXT
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmInfo.additionalInformation;
  WITH SYNTAX
    TS32-111-4TypeModule .AlarmComments;
  BEHAVIOUR
    commentsParameterBehaviour;
  REGISTERED AS {ts32-111AlarmParameter 7};
```

```
commentsParameterBehaviour BEHAVIOUR
DEFINED AS
```

"This parameter is carried by the attribute *additionalInformation* in alarm notifications. If present, it informs the IRPManager about the comments assigned to an alarm. Every single comment includes the following data: *commentText*, *commentTime*, *commentUserId* and (optionally) *commentSystemId*.";

6 ASN.1 definitions for Alarm IRP

```
TS32-111-4TypeModule {itu-t(0) identified-organization(4) etsi(0) mobileDomain(0) umts-Operation-
Maintenance(3) ts-32-111(111) part4(4) informationModel(0) asn1Module(2) version1(1)}
```

```
DEFINITIONS IMPLICIT TAGS ::=
BEGIN
--EXPORTS everything
IMPORTS
```

```
NotificationIdentifier, Destination, EventTime, ProbableCause, PerceivedSeverity
FROM Attribute-ASN1Module {joint-iso-ccitt ms(9) smi(3) part2(2) asn1Module(2) 1}
```

```
AlarmInfo
FROM Notification-ASN1Module {joint-iso-ccitt ms(9) smi(3) part2(2) asn1Module(2) 2}
```

```
CMISFilter, ObjectInstance, ObjectClass, EventTypeId
FROM CMIP-1 {joint-iso-ccitt ms(9) cmip(1) modules(0) protocol(3)};
```

```

baseNodeUMTS OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain
(0)
umts-Operation-Maintenance (3) }
ts32-111Prefix OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { baseNodeUMTS ts-32-111(111)}
ts32-111Part4 OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111Prefix part4(4)}
ts32-111-4InfoModel OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111Part4 informationModel(0)}

ts32-111AlarmObjectClass OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel managedObjectClass(3)}
ts32-111AlarmPackage OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel package(4)}
ts32-111AlarmParameter OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel parameter(5)}
ts32-111AlarmAttribute OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel attribute(7)}
ts32-111AlarmAction OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel action(9)}
ts32-111AlarmNotification OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { ts32-111-4InfoModel action(10)}

-- Start of 3GPP SA5 own definitions
AckErrorList ::= SET OF ErrorInfo

AlarmReference ::= SEQUENCE
{
  moi ObjectInstance OPTIONAL, -- absent if scope of uniqueness of notificationId is across IRPagent
  notificationIdentifier NotificationIdentifier
}

AckOrUnackAlarms ::= SEQUENCE
{
  alarmReferenceList SET OF AlarmReference, -- ITU-T X.721
  ackUserId UserId,
  ackSystemId SystemId OPTIONAL
}

AckOrUnackAlarmsReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
  status ErrorCauses,
  errorAlarmReferenceList AckErrorList
}

AckState ::= ENUMERATED
{
  acknowledged (0),
  unacknowledged (1)
}

AckTime ::= GeneralizedTime

AlarmChoice ::= ENUMERATED
{
  allAlarms (0),
  allActiveAlarms (1),
  allActiveAndAckAlarms (2),
  allActiveAndUnackAlarms (3),
  allClearedAndUnackAlarms (4),
  allUnackAlarms (5)
}

AlarmComments ::= SET OF SingleAlarmComment

AlarmsCountSummary ::= SEQUENCE
{
  activeAlarmsCount INTEGER, -- this is the sum of criticalCount, majorCount,
minorCount, warningCount
  -- and indeterminateCount
  criticalCount INTEGER,
  majorCount INTEGER,
  minorCount INTEGER,
  warningCount INTEGER,
  indeterminateCount INTEGER,
  clearedCount INTEGER
}

AlarmListRebuiltInfo ::= SEQUENCE
{
  notificationIdentifier NotificationIdentifier, -- ITU-T X.721
  rebuiltObjectClass ObjectClass,
  rebuiltObjectInstance ObjectInstance,
  reason ErrorCauses
}

```

```

CommentText ::= GraphicString

CommentTime ::= GeneralizedTime

ErrorCauses ::= ENUMERATED
{
noError (0),      -- operation / notification successfully performed
wrongFilter (1),  -- the value of the filter parameter is not valid
wrongAlarmAckState (2), -- the value of the alarmAckState parameter (e.g. getAlarmCount) is not
valid
ackPartlySuccessful (3),  -- acknowledgment request partly successful
unackPartlySuccessful (4), -- unacknowledgment request partly successful
wrongAlarmReference (5),  -- alarm identifier used in the alarm reference list not found (e.g. in
case of acknowledgement request)
wrongAlarmReferenceList (6), -- the alarm reference list (e.g. in case of acknowledgement
request) is empty or completely wrong
alarmAlreadyAck (7),      -- alarm to be acknowledged is already in this state
alarmAlreadyUnack (8),   -- alarm to be acknowledged is already in this state
wrongUserId (9),        -- the user identifier in the unacknowledgement operation is not the same as
in the previous acknowledgementAlarms request
wrongSystemId (10),    -- the system identifier in the unacknowledgement operation is not the same as
in the previous acknowledgementAlarms request
alarmAckNotAllowed (11), -- current management system not allowed to acknowledge the alarm (e.g.
due to acknowledgement competence rules)
setCommentPartlySuccessful (12), -- the setComment action partly successful (e.g. some alarmId
are not in the alarmList)
unspecifiedErrorReason (255) -- operation failed, specific error unknown
}

ErrorInfo ::= SEQUENCE
{
moi ObjectInstance OPTIONAL, -- absent if uniqueness of notificationIdentifier is across
IRPagent
notificationIdentifier      NotificationIdentifier, -- ITU-T X.721
reason                      ErrorCauses
}

GeneralObjectId ::= INTEGER

GetAlarmCount ::= SEQUENCE
{
alarmAckState              AlarmChoice OPTIONAL,
filter                    CMISFilter OPTIONAL -- ITU-T X.711
}

GetAlarmCountReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
criticalCount              INTEGER,
majorCount                 INTEGER,
minorCount                 INTEGER,
warningCount               INTEGER,
indeterminateCount         INTEGER,
clearedCount               INTEGER,
status                    ErrorCauses
}

GetAlarmIRPVersionReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
versionNumberList          SupportedAlarmIRPVersions,
status                    ErrorCauses
}

GetAlarmList ::= SEQUENCE
{
alarmAckState              AlarmChoice OPTIONAL,
destination                Destination, -- ITU-T X.721
filter                    CMISFilter OPTIONAL -- ITU-T X.711
}

GetAlarmListReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
alignmentId                INTEGER,
status                    ErrorCauses
}

GetNotificationProfileReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
notificationNameProfile     NotificationList,
}

```

```

notificationParameterProfile      ParameterListOfList,
status                            ErrorCauses
}

GetOperationProfileReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
operationNameProfile              OperationList,
operationParameterProfile         ParameterListOfList,
status                            ErrorCauses
}

IRPVersionNumber ::= GraphicString

NotificationList ::= SET OF NotificationName

NotificationName ::= GraphicString

NotifyComments ::= SEQUENCE
{
alarmedObjectClass              ObjectClass, -- ITU-T X.711
alarmedObjectInstance          ObjectInstance, -- ITU-T X.711
notificationIdentifier         NotificationIdentifier, -- ITU-T X.721
alarmEventTime                 EventTime, -- ITU-T X.721
alarmType                       EventTypeId, -- ITU-T X.711
alarmProbableCause             ProbableCause, -- ITU-T X.721
alarmPerceivedSeverity         PerceivedSeverity, -- ITU-T X.721
comments                        SET OF Comment
}

OperationList ::= SET OF OperationName

OperationName ::= GraphicString

ParameterList ::= SET OF ParameterName

ParameterListOfList ::= SET OF ParameterList

ParameterName ::= GraphicString

SetComment ::= SEQUENCE
{
alarmReferenceList               SET OF AlarmReference,
commentUserId                    UserId,
commentSystemId                  SystemId OPTIONAL,
commentText                      CommentText
}

SetCommentReply ::= SEQUENCE
{
badAlarmReferenceList            SET OF ErrorInfo,
status                          ErrorCauses
}

SingleAlarmComment ::= SEQUENCE
{
commentText                      CommentText
commentTime                      CommentTime,
commentUserId                    UserId,
commentSystemId                  SystemId OPTIONAL
}

SystemId ::= GraphicString

SupportedAlarmIRPVersions ::= SET OF IRPVersionNumber

UserId ::= GraphicString

END -- of module TS32-111-4TypeModule

```

End of Change in Clause 4 and 5

CHANGE REQUEST

⌘ **32.111-2 CR 024** ⌘ rev **-** ⌘ Current version: **5.2.0** ⌘

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Proposed change affects: UICC apps ME Radio Access Network Core Network

Title:	⌘	Corrections regarding Alarm Acknowledgement and Alarm Comments - alignment with 32.111-1
Source:	⌘	S5
Work item code:	⌘	OAM-NIM
		Date: ⌘ 28/02/2003
Category:	⌘	A
		Use <u>one</u> of the following categories:
		F (correction)
		A (corresponds to a correction in an earlier release)
		B (addition of feature),
		C (functional modification of feature)
		D (editorial modification)
		Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP TR 21.900 .
		Release: ⌘ Rel-5
		Use <u>one</u> of the following releases:
		2 (GSM Phase 2)
		R96 (Release 1996)
		R97 (Release 1997)
		R98 (Release 1998)
		R99 (Release 1999)
		Rel-4 (Release 4)
		Rel-5 (Release 5)
		Rel-6 (Release 6)

Reason for change:	⌘	The IS document is not consistent in itself and with respect to the Alarm IRP Requirements (32.111-1) regarding Alarm Acknowledgement and Alarm Comments
Summary of change:	⌘	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> State clearly that alarm comments can be added by both the IRPManager and (optionally) the IRPAgent State clearly that <i>notifyComments</i> is generated whenever a comment is added to an alarm regardless whether the comment is added by the IRPManager or the IRPAgent. Correct the description of the parameters <i>ackTime</i>, <i>ackUserId</i> and <i>ackSystemId</i> to allow these parameters to be populated also in case the IRPAgent acknowledges/unacknowledges alarms Correct the description of the parameters <i>commentTime</i>, <i>commentText</i>, <i>commentUserId</i>, <i>commentSystemId</i> to allow these parameters to be populated also in case the IRPAgent adds the alarm comment State clearly that the operation <i>getAlarmList</i> shall not only provide the AlarmInformation instances but also the associated IOC instances.
Consequences if not approved:	⌘	It is not possible to implement the IRP according to the requirements.

Clauses affected:	⌘	5.5, 6.3.2, 6.8.2, 6.10.1								
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Change in Clause 5.5

5.5 Information attribute definition

5.5.1 Definition and legal values

Name	Definition	Legal Values
alarmId	It identifies one AlarmInformation in the AlarmList.	
notification Id	It identifies the notification that carries the AlarmInformation.	
alarmRaised Time	It indicates the date and time when the alarm is first raised by the alarmed resource.	All values indicating valid time.
alarmChanged Time	It indicates the last date and time when the AlarmInformation is changed by the alarmed resource. Changes to AlarmInformation caused by invocations of the IRPManager would not change this date and time.	All values indicating valid time.
alarmCleared Time	It indicates the date and time when the alarm is Cleared.	All values indicating valid time.
eventType	It indicates the type of event. See Annex A for information on event type.	See Annex A.
probableCause	It qualifies alarm and provides further information than eventType. See Annex B for a complete listing.	See Annex B.
perceived Severity	It indicates the relative level of urgency for operator attention.	Critical, Major, Minor, Warning, Indeterminate, Cleared: see ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2]. This IRP does not recommend the use of indeterminate.
specific Problem	It provides further qualification on the alarm than probableCause. This attribute value shall be single-value and of simple type such as integer or string. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.2.	Provided by vendor.
backedUp Status	It indicates if an object (the MonitoredEntity) has a back up. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.4.	All values that carry the semantics of backedUpStatus defined by ITU-T X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.4.
trend Indication	It indicates if some observed condition is getting better, worse, or not changing.	"Less severe", "no change", "more severe": see definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.6.
thresholdInfo	It indicates the direction of threshold crossing.	See definitions in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.7.
stateChange Definition	It indicates MO attribute value changes. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.10.	
monitored Attributes	It indicates MO attributes whose value changes are being monitored. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.11.	
proposed RepairActions	It indicates proposed repair actions. See definition in ITU-T Recommendation X.733 [2] clause 8.1.2.12.	
additional Text	It carries semantics that is outside the scope of this IRP specification. It may provide the identity of the NE (e.g. RNC, Node-B) from which the alarm has been originated. It corresponds to the "user label" attribute of the object class representing the NE in the Generic Network Resource Model [10]. It can contain further information on the alarm.	N/A
ackTime	It identifies the time of last operation acknowledgeAlarms or unacknowledgeAlarms when the alarm has been acknowledged or unacknowledged the last time.	All values that indicate valid time that are later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime.
ackUserId	It identifies the last user who has changed the Acknowledgement State via operation acknowledgeAlarms or unacknowledgeAlarms .	It can be used to identify the human operator such as "John Smith" or it can identify a group, such as "Team Six", or it can contain no information such as "".

Name	Definition	Legal Values
ackSystemId	It identifies the system (EM or NM) from which the alarm has been acknowledged or unacknowledged the last time in which IRPManager, that invokes the acknowledgeAlarms or unacknowledgeAlarms operation, runs.	-It can be used to identify the system, such as "system 6" or it can contain no information such as "".
ackState	It identifies the Acknowledgement State of the alarm.	Acknowledged: the alarm has been acknowledged. Unacknowledged: the alarm has been unacknowledged or the alarm has never been acknowledged.
commentTime	It carries the time when the comment has been added to the alarm, is made via setComment operation.	
commentText	It carries the textual comment, made via setComment operation.	
commentUserId	It carries the identification of the user who made the comment, via setComment operation.	
commentSystemId	It carries the identification of the system (EM or NM) from which the comment is made, in which the IRPManager runs. That IRPManager system supports the user that made the comment.	
source	It identifies one MonitoredEntity.	All values that carry the semantics of DN.
notificationIdSet	It carries one or more notification identifiers.	
clearUserId	It carries the identity of the user who invokes the clearAlarms operation.	It can be used to identify the human operator such as "John Smith" or it can identify a group, such as "Team Six", or it can contain no information such as "".
clearSystemId	It carries the identity of the system in which the IRPManager runs. That IRPManager supports the user who invokes the clearAlarms().	It can be used to identify the system, such as "system 6" or it can contain no information such as "".
serviceUser	It identifies the service-user whose request for service provided by the serviceProvider led to the generation of the security alarm.	This attribute may carry no information if the server user is not identifiable.
serviceProvider	It identifies the service-provider whose service is requested by the serviceUser and the service request provokes the generation of the security alarm.	
securityAlarmDetector	It carries the identity of the detector of the security alarm.	This attribute may carry no information if the security alarm detector is not identifiable.

5.5.2 Constraints

Name	Definition
inv_alarmChangedTime	Time indicated shall be later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime.
inv_alarmClearedTime	Time indicated shall be later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime.
inv_ackTime	Time indicated shall be later than that carried in alarmRaisedTime.
inv_notificationId	NotificationIds shall be chosen to be unique across all notifications of a particular managed object (representing the NE) throughout the time that alarm correlation is significant. The algorithm by which alarm correlation is accomplished is outside the scope of this IRP.

End of Change in Clause 5.5

Change in Clause 6.3.2

6.3.2 getAlarmList (M)

6.3.2.1 Definition

IRPManager requests IRPAgent to provide the list of AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList, [including \(when supported\) the IOC instances associated with the AlarmInformation instances.](#)

There are two modes of operation. One mode is synchronous. In this mode, the list of AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList is returned synchronously with the operation. The other mode is asynchronous. In this mode, the list of AlarmInformation instances is returned via notifications. In asynchronous mode of operation, the only information returned synchronously is the status of the operation. The mode of operation to be used is determined by means outside the scope of specification. To use asynchronous mode, the IRPManager must have established a subscription with the IRPAgent notificationIRP via the subscribe operation specified in [5].

6.3.2.2 Input Parameters

Name	Qualifier	Information Type	Comment
alarmAckState	O	ENUM (all alarms, all active alarms, all active and acknowledged alarms, all active and unacknowledged, all Cleared and unacknowledged alarms, all unacknowledged)	It carries a constraint. The IRPAgent shall apply it on AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList when constructing its output parameter AlarmInformationList.
filter	O	N/A	It carries a filter constraint. The IRPAgent shall apply it on AlarmInformation instances in AlarmList when constructing its output parameter AlarmInformationList.

6.3.2.3 Output Parameters

Name	Qualifier	Matching Information	Comment
AlarmInformationList	M	List of AlarmInformation.	<p>It carries AlarmInformation in AlarmList.</p> <p>Case when synchronous mode of operation is used:</p> <p>(a) The IRPAgent shall apply the constraints expressed in alarmAckState and filter to AlarmInformation instances when constructing this output parameter.</p> <p>Case when asynchronous mode of operation is used (i.e., this output parameter is conveyed via notifications):</p> <p>(a) If the filter parameter is present, the IRPAgent shall apply the constraint when constructing this output parameter. Furthermore, if the alarmAckState constraint is present, the IRPAgent shall apply that constraint as well. The filter constraint, if any, that is currently active in the notification channel is not used for the construction of this output parameter.</p> <p>(b) If the filter parameter is absent, the IRPAgent shall apply the filter constraint currently active in the notification channel when constructing this output parameter. If the alarmAckState constraint is present, the IRPAgent shall apply that constraint as well.</p>
status	M	ENUM (OperationSucceeded, OperationFailed)	<p>If allAlarmInformationReturned is true, status = OperationSucceeded.</p> <p>If operation_failed is true, status = OperationFailed.</p>

6.3.2.4 Pre-condition

There is no pre-condition.

6.3.2.5 Post-condition

`allAlarmInformationReturned`.

Assertion Name	Definition
<code>allAlarmInformationReturned</code>	All <code>AlarmInformation</code> that satisfy the constraints expressed in input parameters <code>filter</code> and <code>alarmAckState</code> and are present in the <code>AlarmList</code> at the moment of this operation invocation are returned. All <code>AlarmInformation</code> in <code>AlarmList</code> remains unchanged as the result of this operation.

6.3.2.6 Exceptions

Assertion Name	Definition
<code>operation_failed</code>	Condition: At least one input parameter is invalid or the pre-condition is false or the post-condition is not true. Returned Information: The output parameter status. Exit state: Entry state.

End of Change in Clause 6.3.2

Change in Clause 6.8.2

6.8.2 `notifyAckStateChanged` (M)

6.8.2.1 Definition

The subscribed `IRPManager` instances are notified regarding changes in alarm Acknowledgement State. The `AlarmInformation` carried in the notification shall satisfy the current filter constraint of the subscription.

The notification shall contain all parameters that are filterable and are present in the original (related) `notifyNewAlarm` notification.

| ~~The `IRPManager`~~ ~~or~~ ~~and the~~ `IRPAgent` can acknowledge ~~and unacknowledge~~ ~~alarms~~ `AlarmInformation` as defined by 3GPP TS 32.111-1 [9].

6.8.2.2 Input Parameters

Parameter Name	Qualifier	Matching Information	Comment
objectClass	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectClass where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
objectInstance	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectInstance where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
notificationId	M	This carries the semantics of notification identifier.	
eventTime	M,F	AlarmInformation.ackTime	
systemDN	C,F	IRPAgent.systemDN	
notificationType	M,F	"notifyAckStateChanged"	
probableCause	M,F	AlarmInformation.probableCause	
perceivedSeverity	M,F	AlarmInformation.perceivedSeverity	
alarmType	M,F	AlarmInformation.eventType	
alarmId	M	AlarmInformation.alarmId	
ackTime	M	AlarmInformation.ackTime	
ackState	M	AlarmInformation.ackState	
ackUserId	M	AlarmInformation.ackUserId	If this AlarmInformation has been acknowledged by a human operator, than this parameter contains the operator identifier. If it has been acknowledged by a System (EM or NM), than this parameter contains the identifier of the System.
ackSystemId	O	AlarmInformation.ackSystemId	This parameter always contains the identifier of the System (EM or NM) where the acknowledgement request was originated.

6.8.2.3 Triggering Event

6.8.2.3.1 From-state

alarmInformationExists.

Assertion Name	Definition
alarmInformationExists	The AlarmInformation exists in AlarmList.

6.8.2.3.2 To-state

alarmAckStateHasChanged.

Assertion Name	Definition
alarmAckStateHasChanged	The AlarmInformation.ackState of the AlarmInformation identified by from-state assertion alarmInformationExists have been updated. Specifically, the following attributes of the subject AlarmInformation are updated. notificationId, ackTime, ackUserId, ackState, ackSystemId.

End of Change in Clause 6.8.2

Change in Clause 6.10.1

6.10.1 notifyComments (O)

6.10.1.1 Definition

The subscribed IRPManager instances are notified regarding to the addition of a Comment [instance](#), ~~as a consequence of successful completion of setComment operation, in~~ to an AlarmInformation instances in the AlarmList. The AlarmInformation carried in the notification shall satisfy the current filter constraint of the subscription.

The notification shall contain all parameters that are filterable and are present in the original (related) notifyNewAlarm notification.

[The IRPManager and the IRPAgent can add comments to instances of AlarmInformation as described in 3GPP TS 32.111-1 \[9\].](#)

IRPAgent shall support this notification if it supports the operation setComment.

6.10.1.2 Input Parameters

Parameter Name	Qualifier	Matching Information	Comment
objectClass	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectClass where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
objectInstance	M,F	MonitoredEntity.objectInstance where the MonitoredEntity is identified by the relation-alarmedObject-AlarmInformation of the AlarmInformation.	
notificationId	M	This carries the semantics of notification identifier.	
eventTime	M,F	AlarmInformation.alarmChangedTime	
systemDN	C,F	IRPAgent.systemDN	
notificationType	M,F	"notifyComments"	
alarmType	M,F	AlarmInformation.eventType	
probableCause	M,F	AlarmInformation.probableCause	
perceivedSeverity	M,F	AlarmInformation.perceivedSeverity	
comments	M	The set of Comment instances involved in a relationship with this AlarmInformation.	
alarmId	M	AlarmInformation.alarmId	

6.10.1.3 Triggering Events

6.10.1.3.1 From-state

alarmInformationExists.

Assertion Name	Definition
alarmInformationExists	The AlarmInformation is in AlarmList.

6.10.1.3.2 To-state

commentInserted.

Assertion Name	Definition
commentInserted	One Comment has been created and it is involved in a relationship with the AlarmInformation identified by from-state assertion alarmInformationExists. The following attributes of the newly created Comment instance shall be populated:- commentTime (set to setComment operation completion time), commentText, commentUserId and commentSystemId.

End of Change in Clause 6.10.1