# Technical Specification Group Services and System Aspects Meeting #23, Phoenix, USA, 15 - 18 March 2004

Source: SA5 (Telecom Management)

**Title:** LS out from SA5 to SA1, SA on Addition of Subscription Management

(SuM) Definition and Abbreviation in 21.905

**Document for:** Information

Agenda Item: 7.5.3

# 3GPP TSG-SA5 (Telecom Management) Meeting #37, Malaga, SPAIN, 23 - 27 Feb 2004

S5-042111

Title: LS on Addition of Subscription Management (SuM) Definition and Abbreviation in 21.905

Response to:

Release: Release 6

Work Item: Subscription Management SuM (former SM)

Source: SA5 (SWGA)
To: SA1, SA

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Attachments: Draft CR on TS 21.905 v6.5.0

### 1. Overall Description:

The enclosed draft CR 21905-650 proposes to Add the Definition and Abbreviation of the term Subscription Management (SuM) in TR 21.905 "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications" in order to align with the 3GPP Work Plan (WI Acronym) and SA5 SuM specifications (32.140/1, 32.171/2...).

As the only SA1 meeting prior to SA#23 (03/2004) had taken place already in Jan 2004, SA5 intends to submit this draft CR directly to TSG SA#23 for Approval and asks for the support of SA1 members attending SA#23.

### 2. Actions:

## To SA1, SA groups.

ACTION: SA5 kindly asks SA#23 to approve the attached draft CR for 21.905 and

SA1 members attending SA#23 to support this request.

## 3. Date of Next SA5 Meetings:

3GPPSA5#37-Bis	29 Mar - 2 Apr 2004	Sophia Antipolis	FR
3GPPSA5#38	10 - 14 May 2004	Beijing	CN
3GPPSA5#38-bis	28 Jun - 2 Jul 2004	Sophia Antipolis	FR

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- 2) Obtain the latest version for the release of the specification to which the change is proposed. Use the MS Word "revision marks" feature (also known as "track changes") when making the changes. All 3GPP specifications can be downloaded from the 3GPP server under <a href="ftp://ftp.3gpp.org/specs/">ftp://ftp.3gpp.org/specs/</a> For the latest version, look for the directory name with the latest date e.g. 2001-03 contains the specifications resulting from the March 2001 TSG meetings.
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# 3 Terms and definitions

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**Sub Network Management Functions:** Set of functions that are related to a network model for a set of network elements constituting a clearly defined sub-network, which may include relations between the network elements. This model enables additional functions on the sub-network level (typically in the areas of network topology presentation, alarm correlation, service impact analysis and circuit provisioning).

**Subscribed QoS:** The network will not grant a QoS greater than the subscribed. The QoS profile subscription parameters are held in the HLR. An end user may have several QoS subscriptions. For security and the prevention of damage to the network, the end user cannot directly modify the QoS subscription profile data.

**Subscriber:** A Subscriber is an entity (associated with one or more users) that is engaged in a Subscription with a service provider. The subscriber is allowed to subscribe and unsubscribe services, to register a user or a list of users authorised to enjoy these services, and also to set the limits relative to the use that associated users make of these services.

Subscription: A subscription describes the commercial relationship between the subscriber and the service provider.

<u>Subscription Management (SuM):</u> set of capabilities that allow Operators, Service Providers, and indirectly subscribers, to provision, control, monitor the Subscription Profile.

Suitable Cell: This is a cell on which an UE may camp. It must satisfy certain conditions.

**Supplementary service:** A service which modifies or supplements a basic telecommunication service. Consequently, it cannot be offered to a user as a standalone service. It must be offered together with or in association with a basic telecommunication service. The same supplementary service may be common to a number of basic telecommunication services.

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# 4 Abbreviations

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SM Session Management Short Message

SMDS Switched Multimegabit Data Service

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STTD Space Time Transmit Diversity
SuM Subscription Management
SVC Switched virtual circuit
SVN Software Version Number

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