

TSG-SA Working Group 1 (Services) meeting #3  
Hampton Court, Surrey, UK 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> May 1999

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Agenda: 6.5.1

**Source:** TSG RAN WG3 (R3-99366)

**To:** TSG SA WG1

**Title:** **LS to TSG SA 1:Requirements for inter-operator Handover**

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This liaison statement replies to TD TSGS1#2(99)207 "Need for inter-operator handover between UMTS and GSM.

SA WG1 asks to clarify any technical and timescale implications that may impact on the feasibility of including these requirements in Phase 1 of UMTS release 99.

RAN WG3 did not yet study the inter-operator handover cases, however, this will be subject to the work plan of this group. In order to be able to clarify technical and timescale implications, as requested by SA WG1, RAN WG3 needs more detailed requirements as this is provided by UMTS 22.29, version 1.1.0, which is referenced in TD TSGS1#2(99)207.

RAN WG3 therefore asks SA WG1 to be more specific regarding requirements for inter-operator handover, both between UMTS and GSM and between UMTS and UMTS, and forward these informations to RAN WG3.