

Title: MExE security issues

Source: TSG SA WG3

To: TSG T WG2 MExE

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S3 would like to thank T2 MExE for their LS (S3-000704=T2-000738) which contained comments on the security concerns highlighted in a Vodafone contribution to S3#16 (S3-000693=T2-000735).

S3 offer the following response:

- On the concept of a pre-runtime check on whether an executable makes use of functions which are restricted in a particular domain, S3 acknowledge T2 MExE's comments on the difficulty of implementing such a security mechanism on terminals.
- S3 have noted the statement that MExE are not considering any proposals to allow "trusted" executables with invalid signatures to run in the untrusted domain.

S3 welcome continued co-operation with T2 MExE. As part of the S3 work item on MExE security, S3 would like to invite T2 MExE to participate in a forthcoming S3 meeting with the specific objective of ensuring that security issues continue to be addressed as new releases are developed (in particular Release 4).

S3 meeting schedule:

TO BE COMPLETED

Attachments: S3-000704 (with S3-000693 enclosed)

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