Title: Response to:	Security aspects of early IMS systems
Release: Work Item:	Rel-6 -
Source: To: Cc:	SA3 CN1, CN4, SA2
Contact Person: Name: Tel. Number: E-mail Addres	Peter Howard +44 1635 676206 s: peter.howard@vodafone.com
Attachments:	S3-040868

1. Overall Description:

SA3 has produced the attached draft TR 33.878 on security aspects of early IMS. The TR includes details of how stage 3 CN1 and CN4 specifications may be modified to accommodate a security solution for early IMS systems. SA3 has made good progress with this work and believe that the TR is now stable enough to be used as the basis for the development of the necessary stage 3 CRs to CN1 and CN4 specifications.

It is planned to progress the TR at SA3 meeting #36 with the aim of presenting it to SA plenary in December 2004 for approval. According to a decision at SA meeting #25, the approval of the necessary stage 3 CRs shall be conditional on the approval of the TR at SA plenary and the upgrade of the TR to 33.9xx series.

SA3 believe that the TR does not impact any SA2 specifications, but SA2 are asked to verify this.

2. Actions:

To CN1 and CN4.

ACTION: SA3 ask CN1 and CN4 to consider the development of the necessary stage 3 CRs based on the attached TR.

To SA2.

ACTION: SA3 ask SA2 to verify that the attached TR does not impact any SA2 specifications.

3. Dates of Next SA3 Meetings:

SA3#36	23-26 November 2004	Shenzhen, China
SA3#37	21-25 February 2005	Sophia Antipolis, France