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Liaison Statement

To: 3GPP TSG-GERAN WG4

From: 3GPP TSG-T WG1

Cc: 3GPP TSG-T

Subject: Handling of Test Cases for Inter System Handover / Cell Selection / Cell Re-

selection between GSM and UTRAN

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At the recent 3GPP TSG-T and 3GPP TSG-SA plenary meeting it was agreed and decided that tests for Inter System Handovers from GSM -> UTRAN are under the responsibility of 3GPP TSG-GERAN WG4 (GERAN4) and tests for Inter System Handovers from UTRAN -> GSM are under the responsibility of 3GPP TSG-T WG1 (TSG-T1). The same applies for Inter System Cell Selection and Cell Re-selection Test Cases.

At the TSG-T1 #09 meeting, tests for Inter System Handovers and Cell Selection / Cell Re-selection into both directions were introduced by the MCC Task 161 to be included into the test specification TS 34.123 which is under the responsibility of TSG-T1.

In order to not to lose already written valuable test cases and to encourage Test Equipment Manufacturers to implement these tests on test equipment, TSG-T1 agreed to maintain temporarily all proposed tests on Inter System Handover / Cell Selection / Cell Re-selection until a final solution between GERAN4 and TSG-T1 how to handle those tests is elaborated.

TSG-T1 seeks guidance and opinion from GERAN4 on how to handle the Test Cases on Inter System Handover / Cell Selection / Cell Re-selection from GSM -> UTRAN and how they will be implemented into the current GSM Test Specification(s).

The TSG-T1 approved Test Cases on Inter System Handover (T1S-000251r2) and on Cell Selection / Cell Re-selection (T1S-000239r1) are attached below for information.



