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In an e-mail by the N3 chairman to MCC via the N3 secretary sent on 04/09/00 the following comments were made:

- Unclear where the information in the columns "WG approved" or "TSG approved" come from. Not in line with approved WIDs.
- to remove 19, 20, 21 (See joint session with N4)
- IM work tasks not reviewed because a new work split within CN is very likely, however 102 is not in the scope of N3 (possibly N4)
- 120: Nb reference point can only be finished in March 2001, work starts only when N4 has stable stage 2 on Bearer independent circuit switched network architecture (not IM domain / 23.821 as mentioned in the project plan)
- 125: only start when 124 is available in a first version
- 131: approved WI exists, GTT interworking is scheduled from Sep - Dec 2000, no work in N3 because N3 is still waiting for stage 1 and 2 for GTT, only then work will start in N3, finalisation date in Dec 2000 is very unrealistic
- 157: work will start when stage 1 is available, but not yet available, finalisation date scheduled for March 2001, however there are also dependencies to TrFO.
- 375: Is there any WID?

Some of the comments were implemented in the Project Plan version 000914. The following were not implemented and N3 seeks guidance from CN. The following line numbers are according to the Project Plan version 000825:

- The Work Tasks to evolve bearers in CN has been removed by N3. With this it does not make any sense to provide interworking towards the fixed network for those evolved bearers. N3 therefore proposes to delete the work tasks in lines 20 (Multimedia domain and CS networks interworking) and 21 (Multimedia domain and IP networks interworking) and with this the building block in line 19 (R00 evolutions of bearers in the CN).
- The IM work tasks have not been reviewed by N3 because a new work split within CN was very like. However, N3 wants to emphasise that work task in line 102 (Internetwork roaming aspects) of the building block "Roaming between IP multimedia and CS domain networks" is not within their scope of work.