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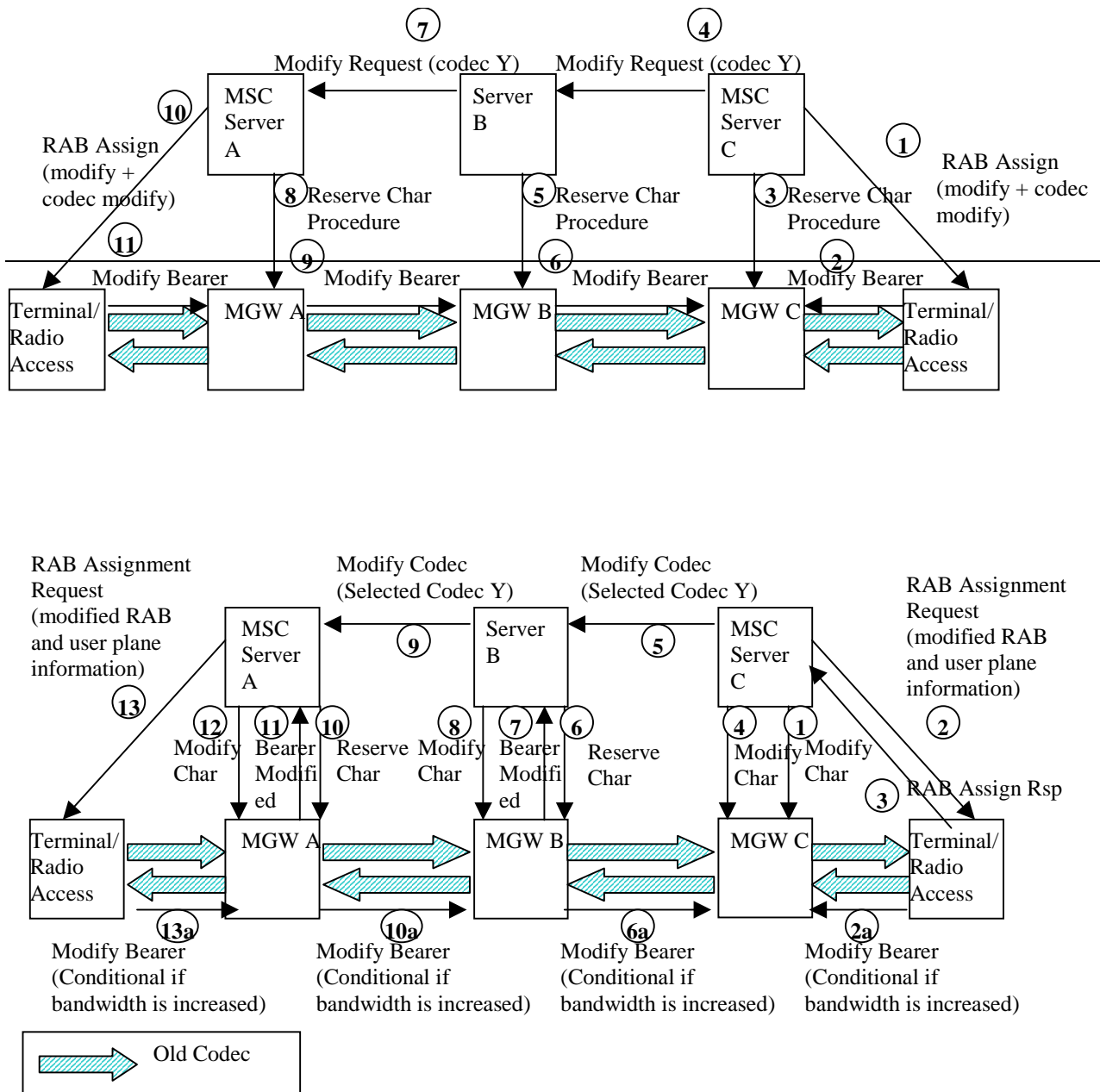


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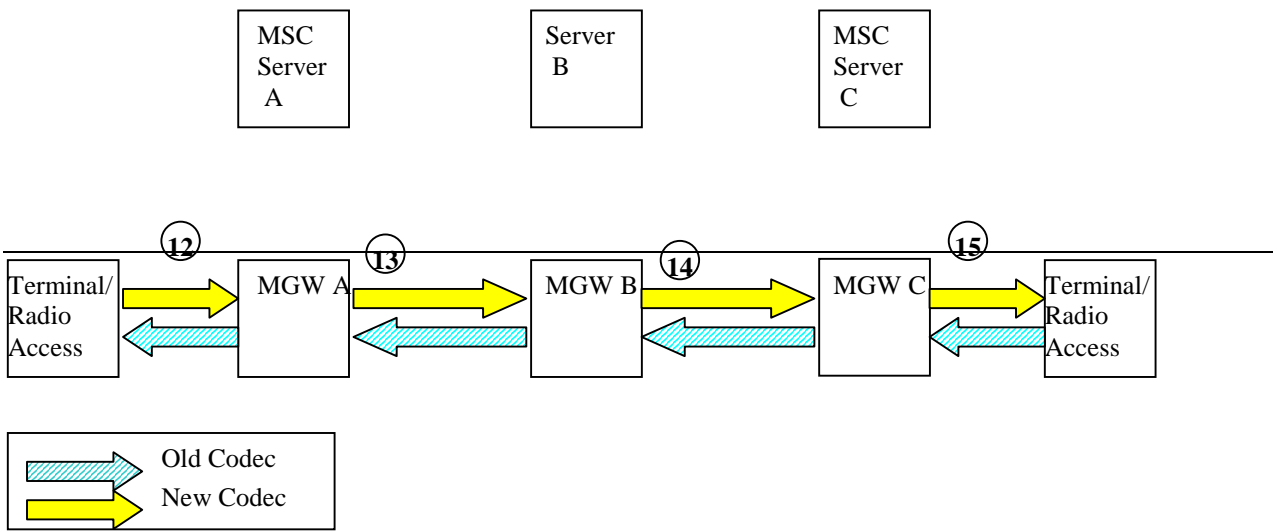
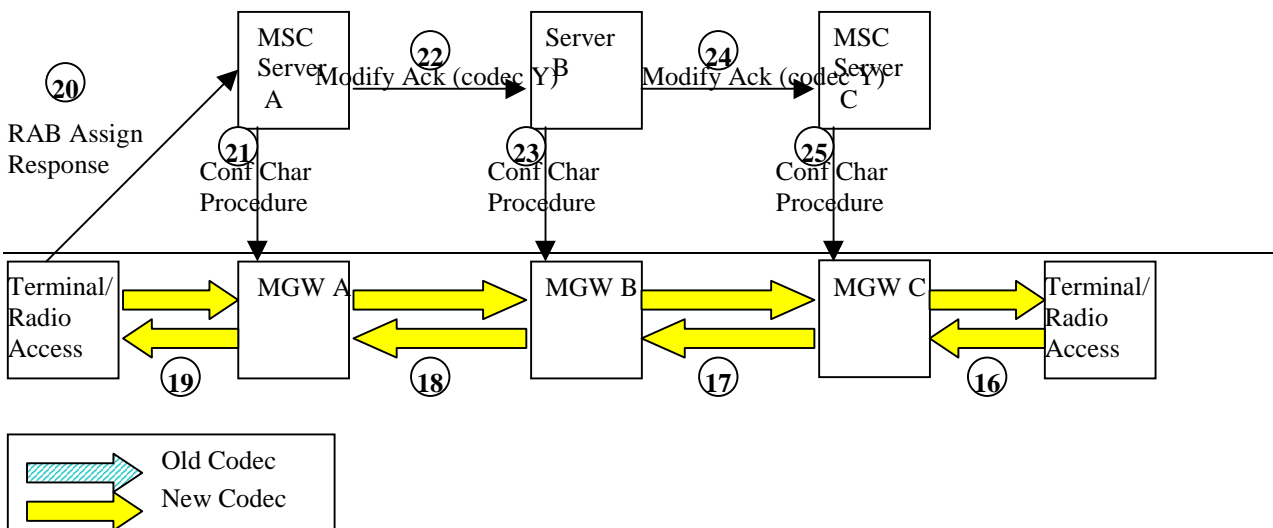


Figure 5.8.1/2: Codec Modification inband procedure

Once the modification of the codec is complete the terminating end replies to the preceding nodes with Modify Ack and indicates to the MGW that the procedure is complete with Conf Char.

If the procedure was unsuccessful then Modify Fail is return to the preceding nodes which then indicate to the MGWs to return to the previous codec selection.



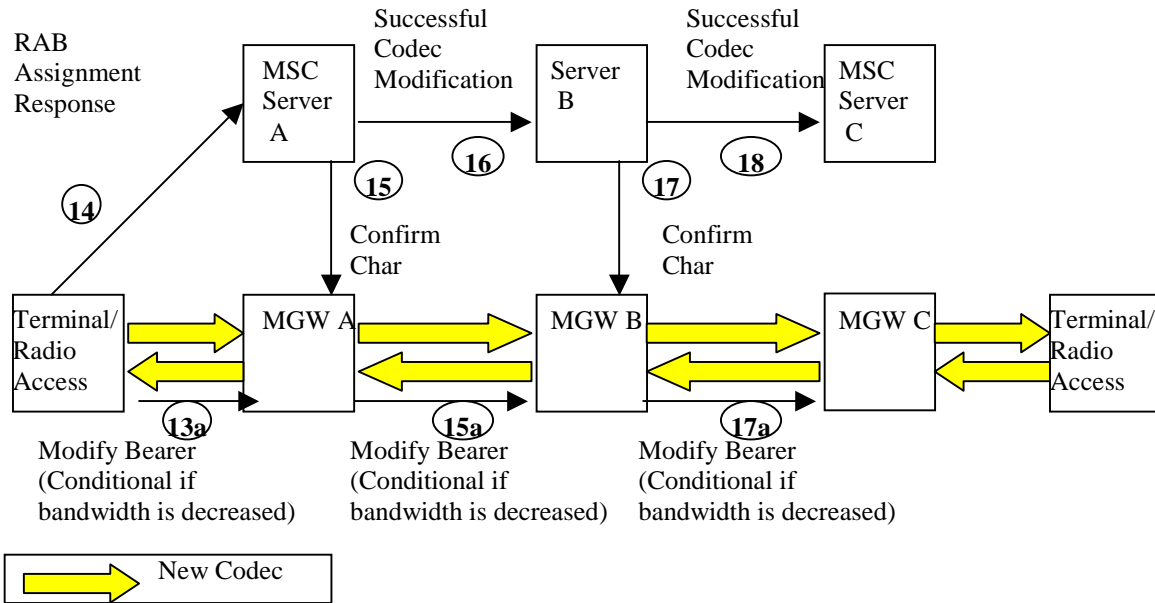


Figure 5.8.1/23: Codec Modification in-band procedure and acknowledgement

5.8.2 Modification of Available Codec List

The modification of the Available Codec List shall support the following changes:

- i) reduction of the ACS of any codec in the Supported Codecs List
- ii) reduction of the SCS of any codec in the Supported Codecs List
- iii) reduction of the codec types in the Supported Codecs List

Codec List modification may occur by "puncturing" of codec types or modes from the current Available Codec List. Note this shall not include removal/puncturing of modes from the selected codec, as this would require Selected Codec modification as described in 5.8.1.

The procedures described in Q.1902.4, clauses 10.4.1 to 10.4.3 [6] shall apply.

No modification of the user plane and signalling towards the MGWs and radio access network is required.

In Figure 5.8.2/1 the basic "modification of available codec list" procedure is shown. This Figure is an example; the codec modification procedure may be initiated by any node within the call.

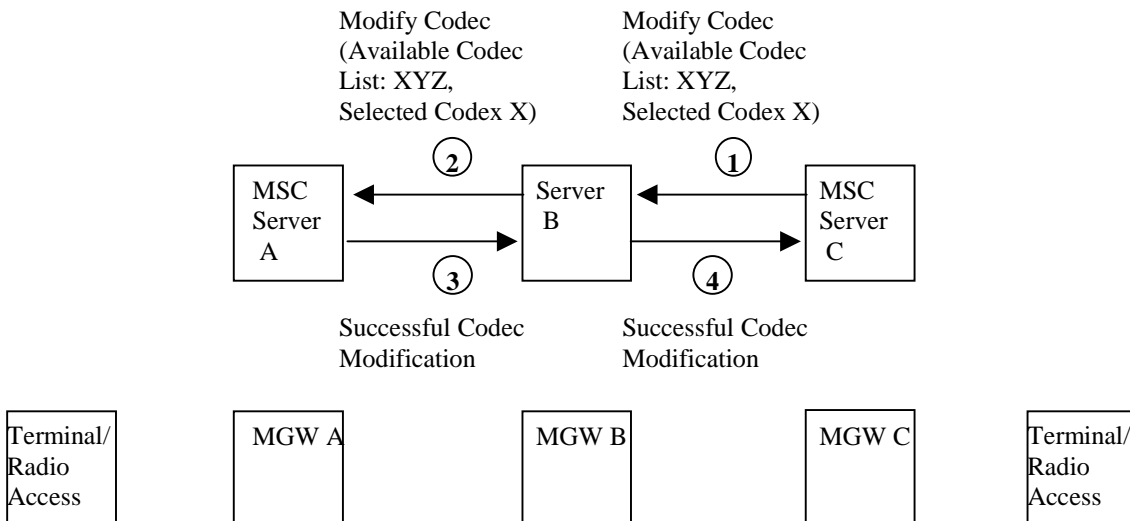


Figure 5.8.2/1: Modification of Available Codec List

If a node performs a procedure (e.g. call forwarding) which results in a reduction to the list of Available Codecs then it shall send the new Available Codecs List to all preceding nodes indicating Codec List Modification.

5.8.3 Mid-call Codec negotiation

The ~~selected~~ Selected codec Codec and the ~~available~~ Available codec Codec list List can be (re-negotiated) negotiated during the call using the “Mid Call Codec Negotiation” mechanism, ~~when necessary~~. The Mid-Call Codec Negotiation mechanism results in a new Available Codec List, where new codec types or modes not within the previous Available Codec List may be included. The codec negotiation procedure is performed as for call set-up.

The procedures described in Q.1902.4, clauses 10.4.4 to 10.4.6 [6] shall apply.

The sequence is shown in Figure 5.8.3/1. Starting with the Modify to Selected Codec message, the remaining sequence is the same as for the Codec Modification in Section 5.8.1 except that the message name for the modify request is “Modify To Selected Codec” (instead of “Modify Codec”) in order to allow collisions between the two procedures to be resolved. Everything stated in Section 5.8.1 shall also apply for the Mid-Call Codec Negotiation procedure.

The node initiating the “Mid Call Codec Negotiation” mechanism ~~procedure~~ (MSC Server A in Figure 5.8.3/1) shall ~~sends a~~ select a Preferred Codec and a Supported Codecs List, which may contain new codecs and also may not contain ~~previous~~ codecs from the ~~previous~~ Available Codecs List. If the list no longer contains the ~~previous~~ Selected Codec, then a new codec ~~must~~ shall be selected as Preferred Codec. If the ~~previous~~ ~~current~~ ~~selected~~ Selected codec Codec exists within the Supported Codecs List, ~~then this codec it~~ should be kept selected as the ~~preferred~~ Preferred codec Codec.

The codec negotiation procedure is performed as for set up, each node may reduce the codec list and pass on the “punctured” list. The last node in the negotiation selects the preferred codec that is left in the remaining Supported Codecs List.

If a server node removes the Preferred Codec, from the Supported Codec List, the node shall select a new Preferred Codec.

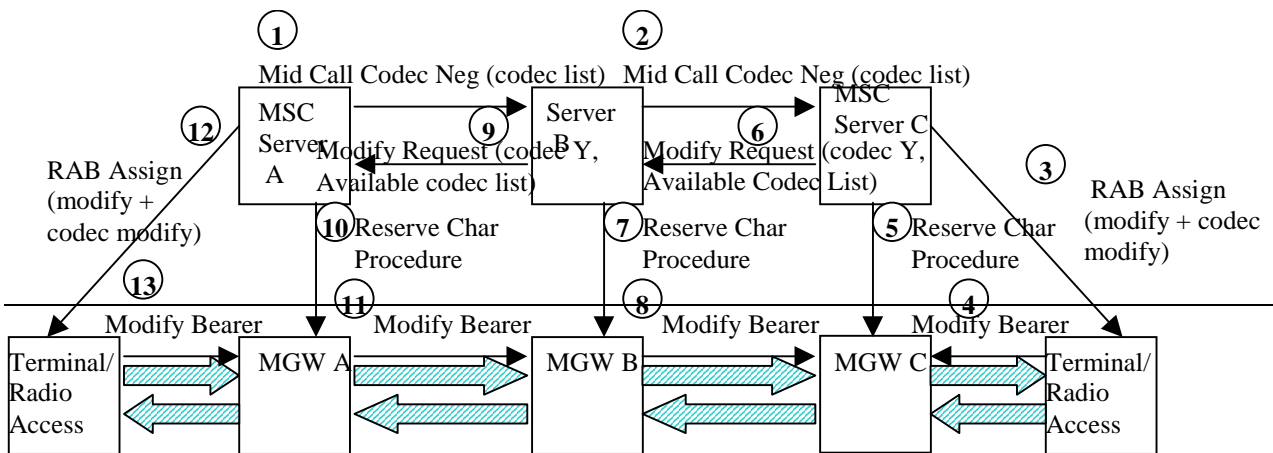
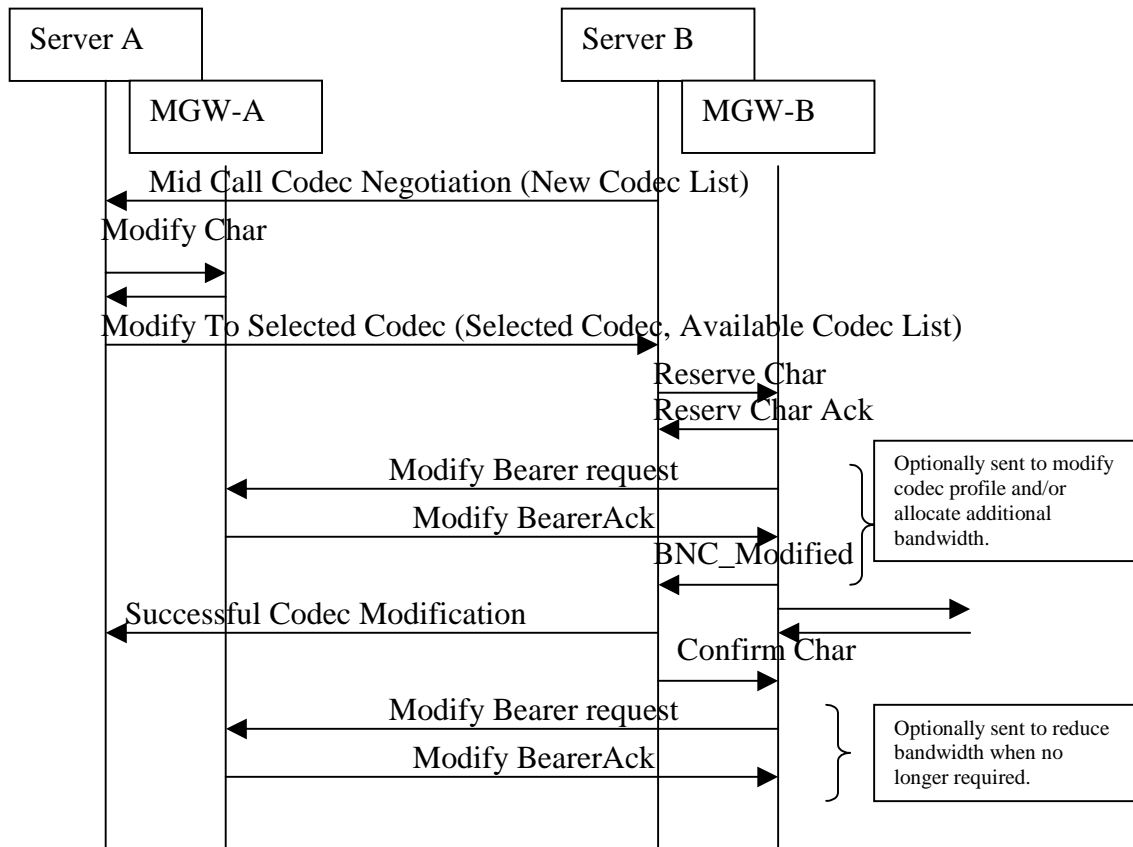


Figure 5.8.3/1: Mid Call Codec Negotiation

The modification to a new Available Codes List and Selected Codec then follows the procedures described in clause 5.8.1/1 & 5.8.1/2, and 5.8.1/3 initiated by the last node receiving the Mid Call Codec Negotiation procedure.

5.8.4 Detailed Procedures For Iu Framing Protocol & Codec Modification

The IuFP must be initialised sequentially from one end to the other in order to store new RFCIs in each node to allow TrFO to resume. The IuFP shall be initialised in the backward direction with respect to the Codec Modification/Modify To Selected Codec message as shown in Figure 5.8.4/1.

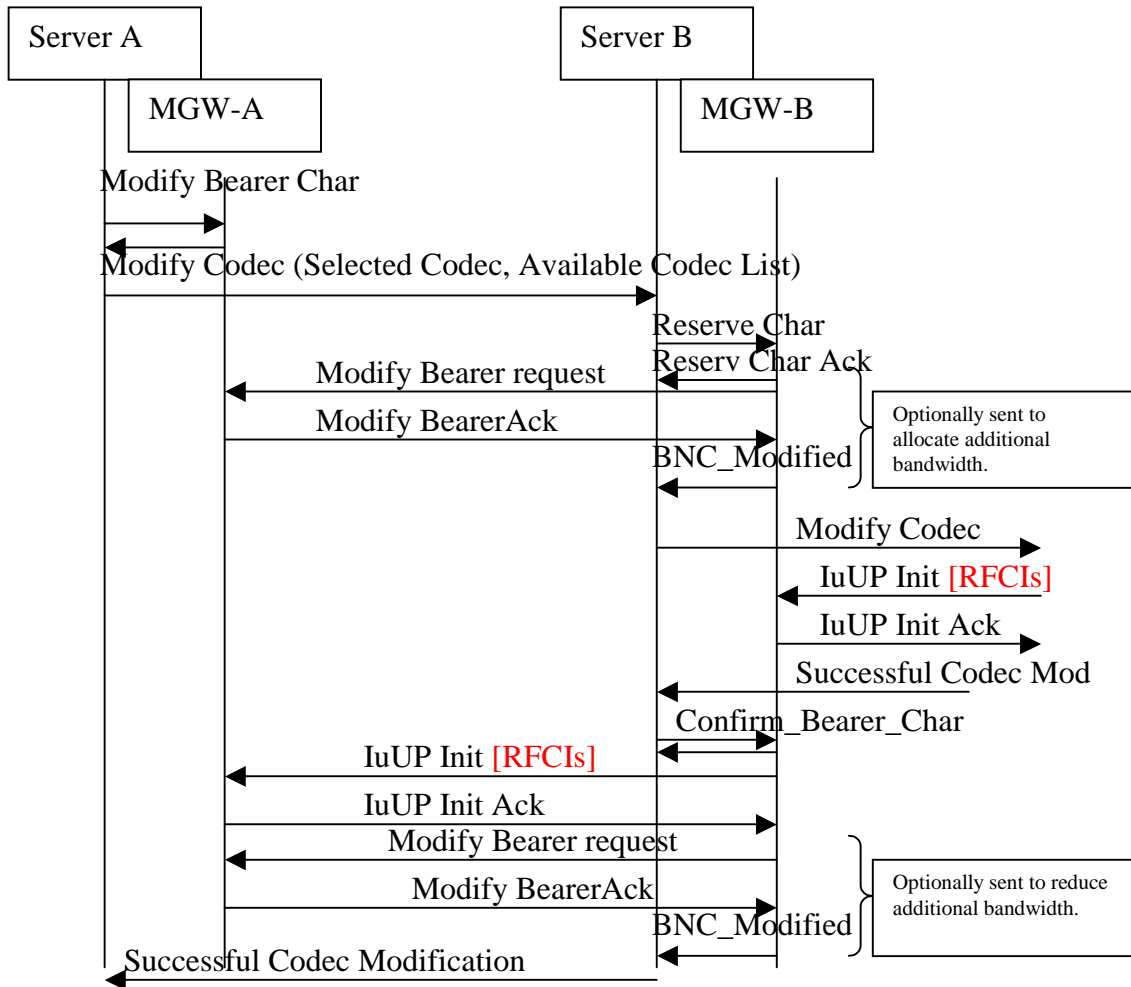


Figure 5.8.3.4/1: Successful Codec Modification including IuFP

A MGW receiving a Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure shall be prepared to receive an incoming modify bearer procedure, this may be to increase the bandwidth prior to IuUP Initialisation or to reduce the bandwidth after the IuUP Initialisation. As the new codec indicated in the Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure differs from the codec that is currently used the MGW shall be prepared to receive an IuUP Initialisation for the new codec.

Each termination receiving a Reserve Char will initiate bearer level modification to the preceding node if needed - i.e. if the bandwidth needs to be increased to support the new IuUP. No IuUP initialisation occurs at this point in time. If the Codec Modification Request is terminated by a MGW the IuUP init through the core-network is triggered by the setting of the 3GUP package property “initialisation direction” to “OUT” in either the Reserve Char or the Confirm Char procedure; the MGW shall then start the IuUP Initialisation out from that Termination. If the node terminating the modification is an RNC then it will generate a new IuUP Initialisation toward its access MGW, each Termination shall have the initialisation direction set to “IN”. Each MGW shall in turn acknowledge the IuUP Init to the succeeding node (with respect to the modification request) and forward the RFCIs in an IuUP Initialisation to the preceding MGW (as for call set-up).

After completing the Iu UP initialisation and receiving the “Confirm Characteristics” procedure, the MGW may decrease the bandwidth of the corresponding bearer performing the “Modify Bearer” procedure (if needed) - no bearer bandwidth reduction shall be initiated while the UP is still initialised for the old codec.

An example call sequence is shown in Figure 5.8.4/2.

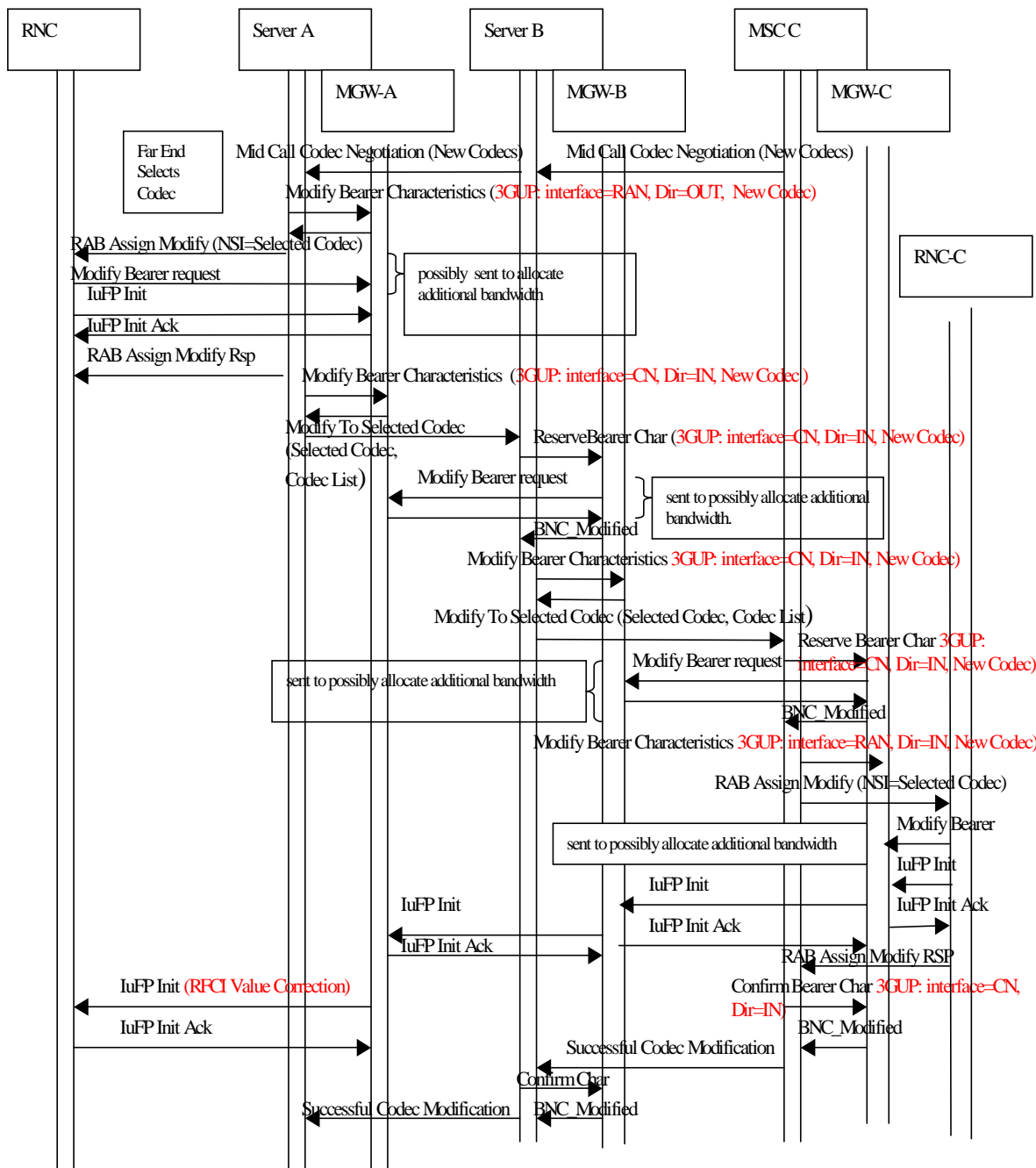


Figure 5.8.4/2: Mid Call Codec Negotiation Call Sequence

5.8.5 Unsuccessful Codec Modification

If the Codec Modification is unsuccessful at a certain node in the connection (due to the MGW rejecting a request to reserve the resources or a server rejecting the request to modify the codec) the Confirm Char message shall be sent to a termination that previously performed a successful Reserve Char Procedure to change the bearer back to its original bandwidth (if needed) and free up any reserved resources. However as the IuUP has not been modified, the Confirm Char shall not trigger an IuFP re-initialisation. The basic sequence is shown in Figure 5.8.5/1 and a detailed call flow is described in Figure 5.8.5/2. A server that performed a Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure to a termination with the new codec shall perform a subsequent Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure to that termination with the old codec in the failure case. As no IuFP initialisation occurs in the unsuccessful case the IuFP currently initialised will then match the old codec restored by the subsequent Modify Bearer Char; the MGW then knows that it can return to TrFO.

The Codec Modification Failure message shall not be returned to a preceding node until notification of the bearer level modification (BNC Modified).

RAB Assigment Modification Failure

If the reason for failed codec modification is due to an unsuccessful RAB Modification Request then the MSC shall assume that the old RAB is resumed and thus shall restore the old codec.

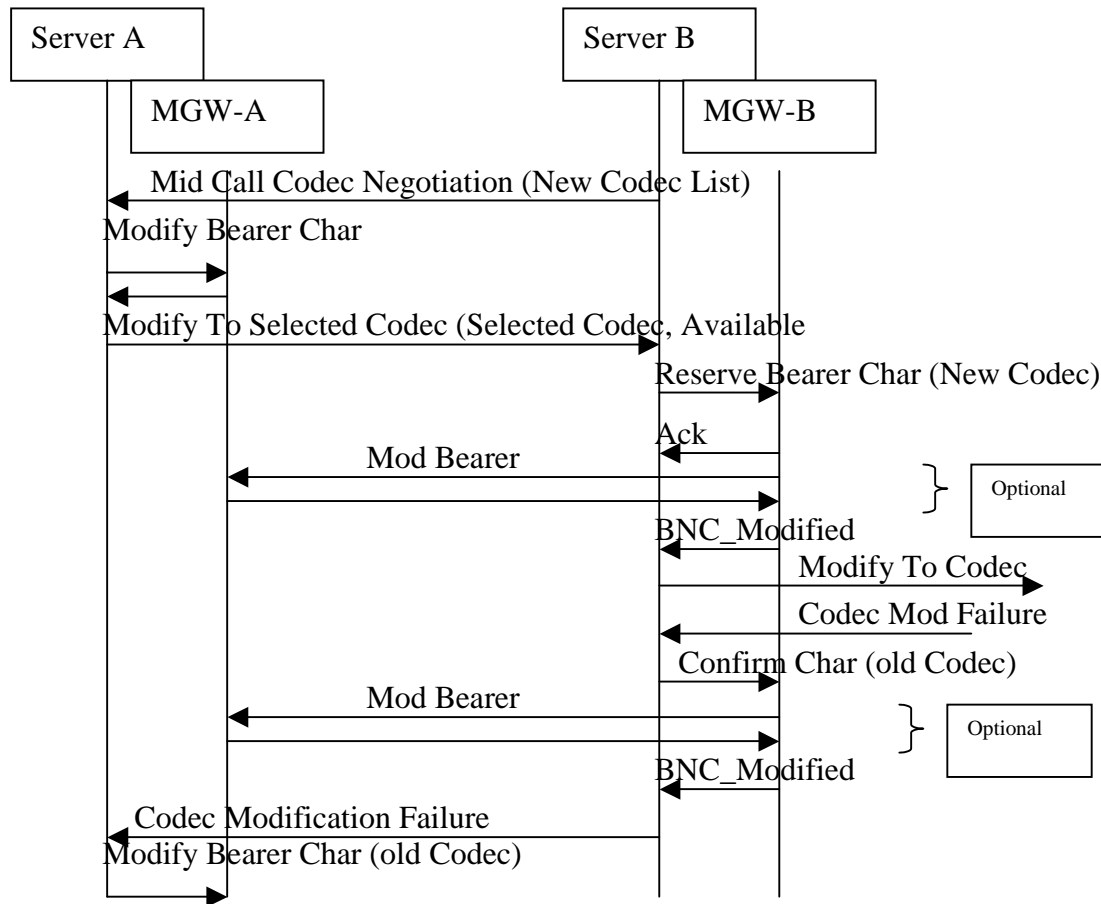


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IuUP Initialisation Unsuccessful

If the IuUP initialisation fails (this must be due to some protocol error or transmission error because the resources have already been successfully reserved) then the UP protocol is cleared by the peers (see TS 25.415) and therefore the MGW shall notify the Server with a Bearer Released notification, the call shall be cleared (normal MGW initiated call clearing applies – see TS 23.205 clause 7.4 [8]).

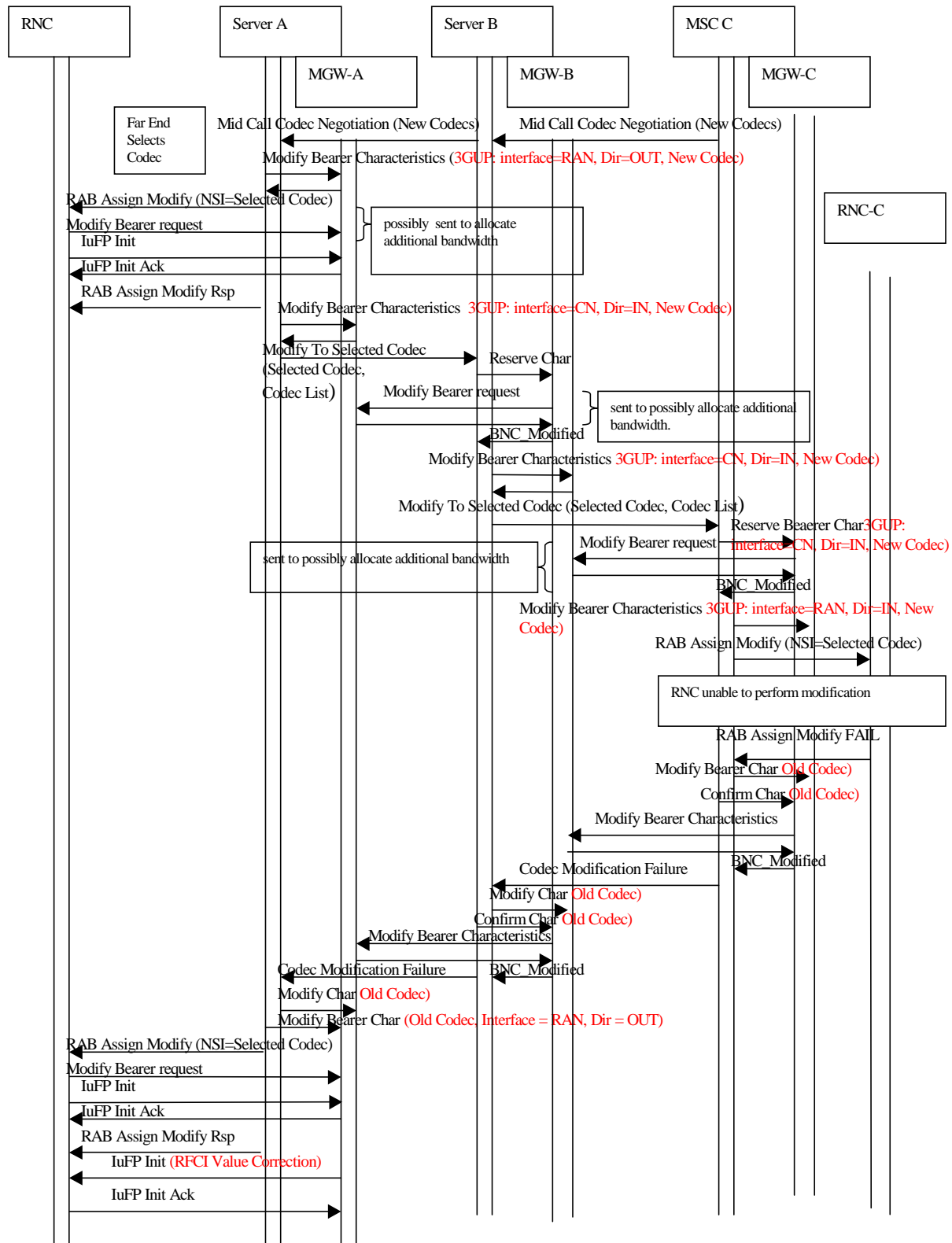


Figure 5.8.5/2: Call Sequence for Unsuccessful Modification

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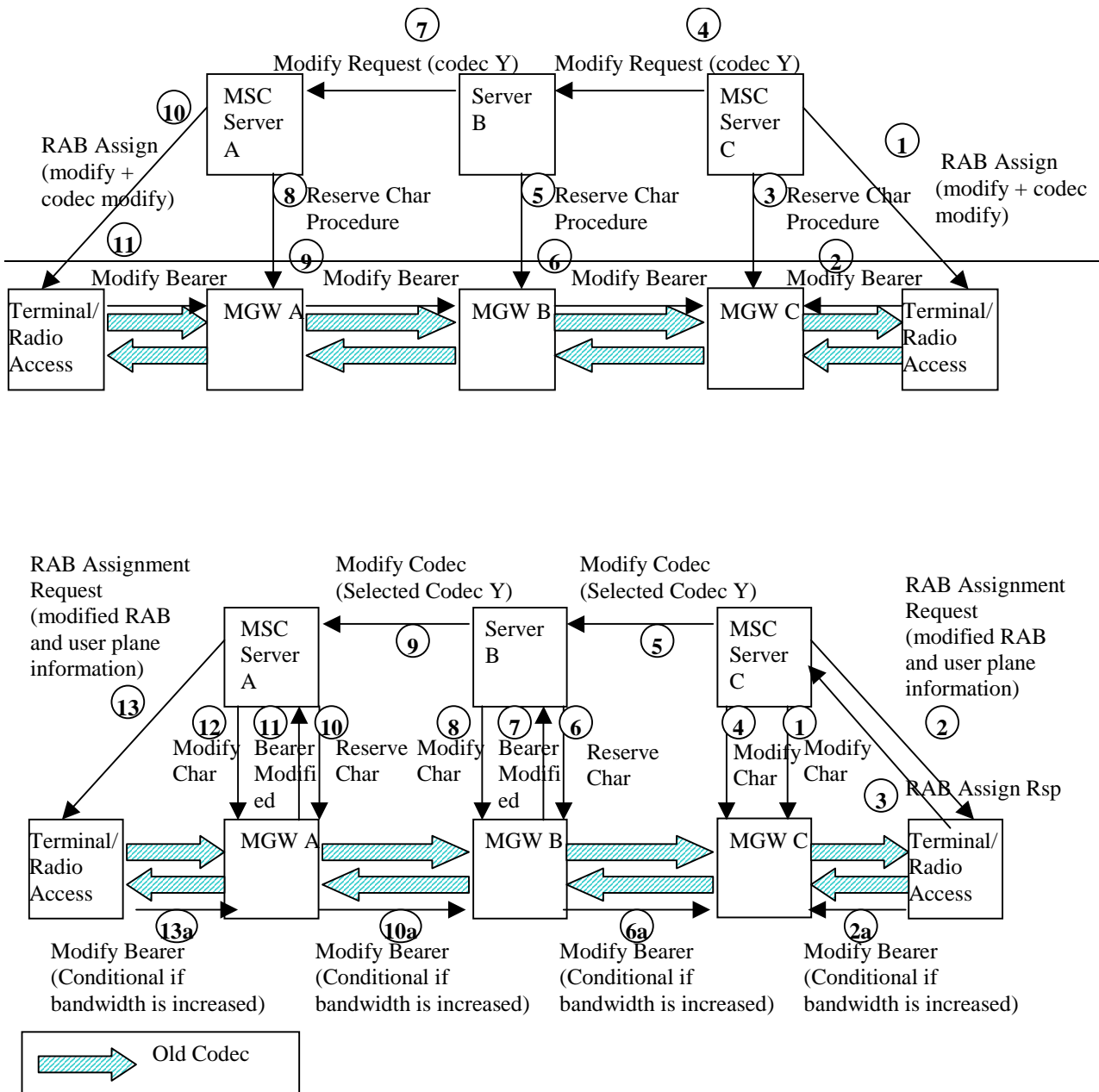


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When the node terminating the Codec Modification receives the Modify request it requests the bearer modification and the codec modification. The MGWs are at this stage only monitoring for new codec type. As shown in Figure 5.8.1/2 the modification of the codec is performed as separate operation for Uplink and Downlink, this ensures that both the codec modification and bearer modification are synchronised.

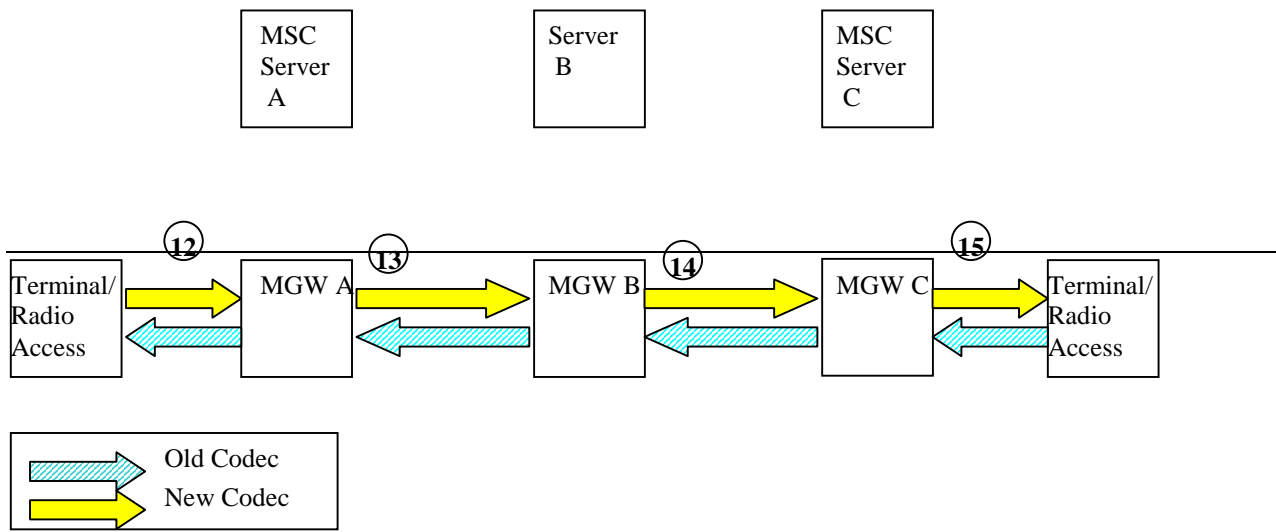
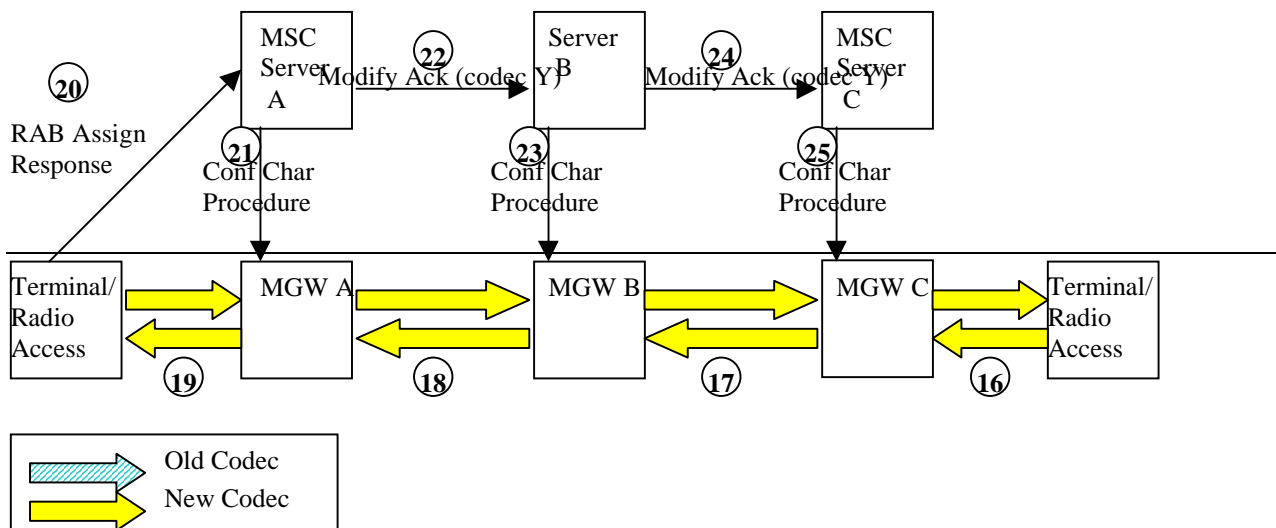


Figure 5.8.1/2: Codec Modification inband procedure

Once the modification of the codec is complete the terminating end replies to the preceding nodes with Modify Ack and indicates to the MGW that the procedure is complete with Conf Char.

If the procedure was unsuccessful then Modify Fail is return to the preceding nodes which then indicate to the MGWs to return to the previous codec selection.



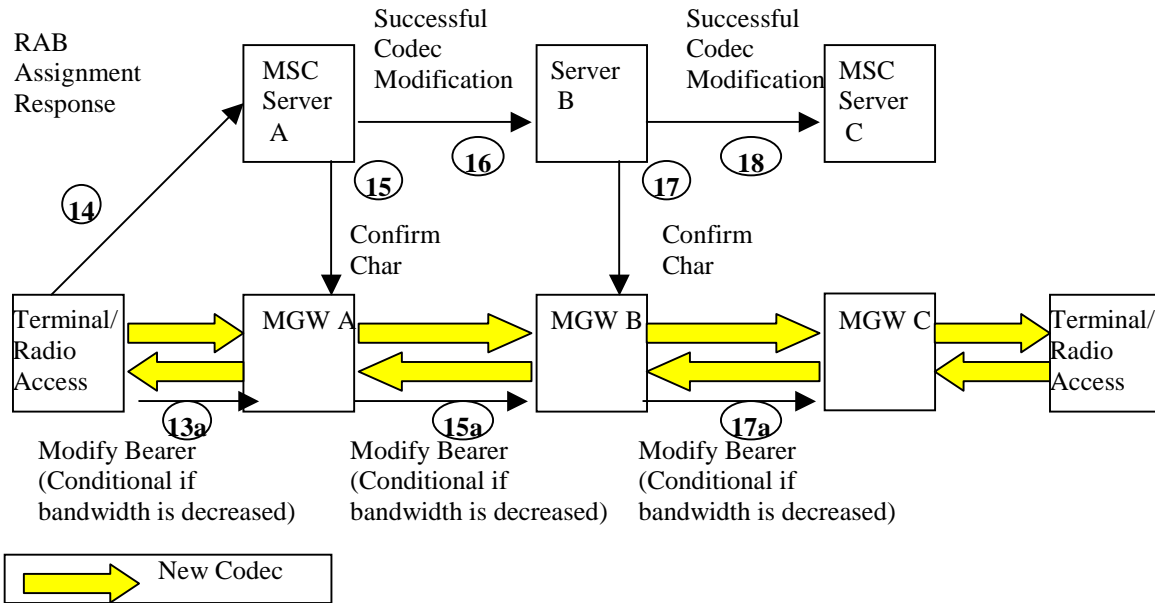


Figure 5.8.1/23: Codec Modification in-band procedure and acknowledgement

5.8.2 Modification of Available Codec List

The modification of the Available Codec List shall support the following changes:

- i) reduction of the ACS of any codec in the Supported Codecs List
- ii) reduction of the SCS of any codec in the Supported Codecs List
- iii) reduction of the codec types in the Supported Codecs List

Codec List modification may occur by "puncturing" of codec types or modes from the current Available Codec List. Note this shall not include removal/puncturing of modes from the selected codec, as this would require Selected Codec modification as described in 5.8.1.

The procedures described in Q.1902.4, clauses 10.4.1 to 10.4.3 [6] shall apply.

No modification of the user plane and signalling towards the MGWs and radio access network is required.

In Figure 5.8.2/1 the basic "modification of available codec list" procedure is shown. This Figure is an example; the codec modification procedure may be initiated by any node within the call.

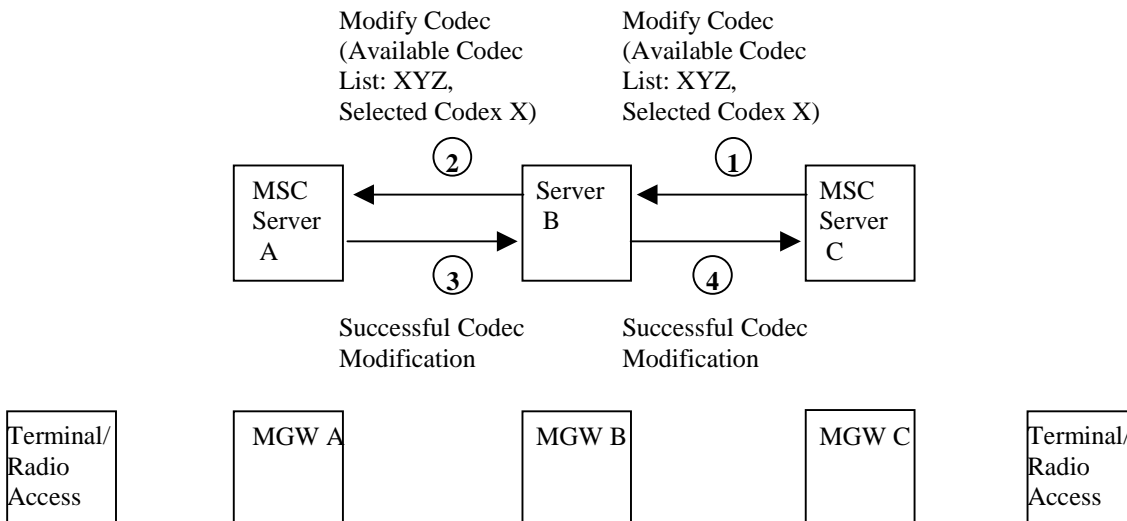


Figure 5.8.2/1: Modification of Available Codec List

If a node performs a procedure (e.g. call forwarding) which results in a reduction to the list of Available Codecs then it shall send the new Available Codecs List to all preceding nodes indicating Codec List Modification.

5.8.3 Mid-call Codec negotiation

The ~~selected~~ Selected codec Codec and the ~~available~~ Available codec Codec list List can be (re-negotiated) negotiated during the call using the “Mid Call Codec Negotiation” mechanism, ~~when necessary~~. The Mid-Call Codec Negotiation mechanism results in a new Available Codec List, where new codec types or modes not within the previous Available Codec List may be included. The codec negotiation procedure is performed as for call set-up.

The procedures described in Q.1902.4, clauses 10.4.4 to 10.4.6 [6] shall apply.

The sequence is shown in Figure 5.8.3/1. Starting with the Modify to Selected Codec message, the remaining sequence is the same as for the Codec Modification in Section 5.8.1 except that the message name for the modify request is “Modify To Selected Codec” (instead of “Modify Codec”) in order to allow collisions between the two procedures to be resolved. Everything stated in Section 5.8.1 shall also apply for the Mid-Call Codec Negotiation procedure.

The node initiating the “Mid Call Codec Negotiation” mechanism ~~procedure~~ (MSC Server A in Figure 5.8.3/1) shall ~~sends a~~ select a Preferred Codec and a Supported Codecs List, which may contain new codecs and also may not contain ~~previous~~ codecs from the ~~previous~~ Available Codecs List. If the list no longer contains the ~~previous~~ Selected Codec, then a new codec ~~must~~ shall be selected as Preferred Codec. If the ~~previous~~ ~~current~~ selected Selected codec Codec exists within the Supported Codecs List, ~~then this codec it~~ should be kept selected as the ~~preferred~~ Preferred codec Codec.

The codec negotiation procedure is performed as for set up, each node may reduce the codec list and pass on the “punctured” list. The last node in the negotiation selects the preferred codec that is left in the remaining Supported Codecs List.

If a server node removes the Preferred Codec, from the Supported Codec List, the node shall select a new Preferred Codec.

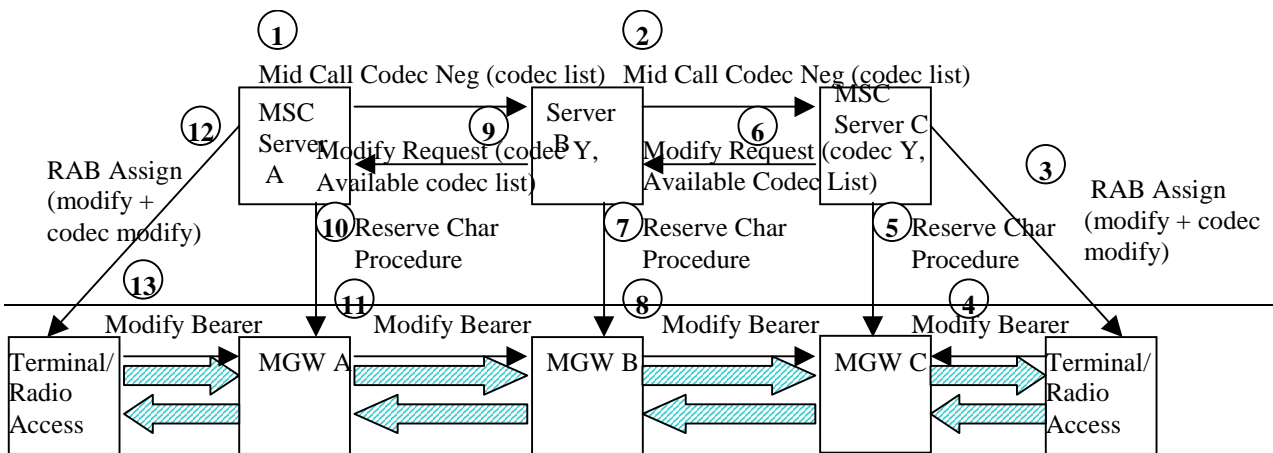
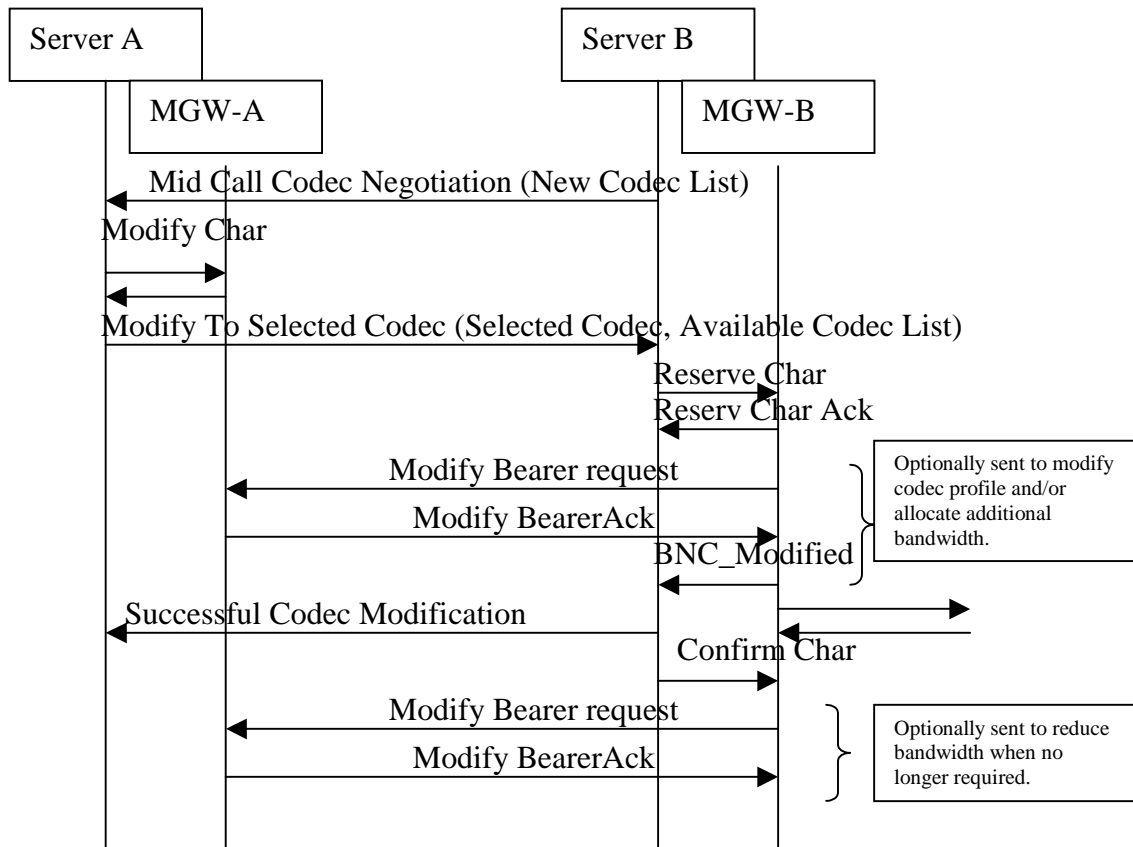


Figure 5.8.3/1: Mid Call Codec Negotiation

The modification to a new Available Codes List and Selected Codec then follows the procedures described in clause 5.8.1/1 & 5.8.1/2, and 5.8.1/3 initiated by the last node receiving the Mid Call Codec Negotiation procedure.

5.8.4 Detailed Procedures For Iu Framing Protocol & Codec Modification

The IuFP must be initialised sequentially from one end to the other in order to store new RFCIs in each node to allow TrFO to resume. The IuFP shall be initialised in the backward direction with respect to the Codec Modification/Modify To Selected Codec message as shown in Figure 5.8.4/1.

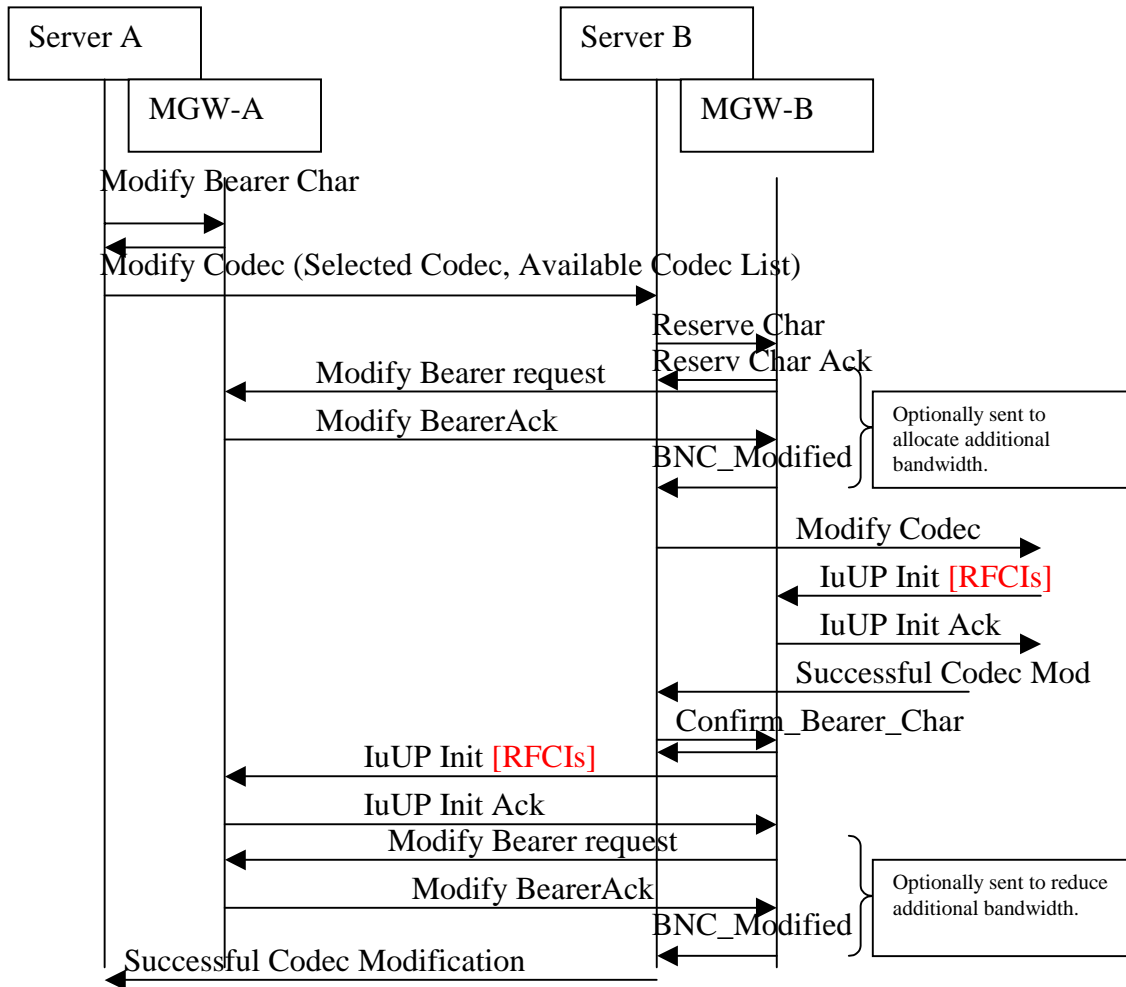


Figure 5.8.3.4/1: Successful Codec Modification including IuFP

A MGW receiving a Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure shall be prepared to receive an incoming modify bearer procedure, this may be to increase the bandwidth prior to IuUP Initialisation or to reduce the bandwidth after the IuUP Initialisation. As the new codec indicated in the Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure differs from the codec that is currently used the MGW shall be prepared to receive an IuUP Initialisation for the new codec.

Each termination receiving a Reserve Char will initiate bearer level modification to the preceding node if needed - i.e. if the bandwidth needs to be increased to support the new IuUP. No IuUP initialisation occurs at this point in time. If the Codec Modification Request is terminated by a MGW the IuUP init through the core-network is triggered by the setting of the 3GUP package property “initialisation direction” to “OUT” in either the Reserve Char or the Confirm Char procedure; the MGW shall then start the IuUP Initialisation out from that Termination. If the node terminating the modification is an RNC then it will generate a new IuUP Initialisation toward its access MGW, each Termination shall have the initialisation direction set to “IN”. Each MGW shall in turn acknowledge the IuUP Init to the succeeding node (with respect to the modification request) and forward the RFCIs in an IuUP Initialisation to the preceding MGW (as for call set-up).

After completing the Iu UP initialisation and receiving the “Confirm Characteristics” procedure, the MGW may decrease the bandwidth of the corresponding bearer performing the “Modify Bearer” procedure (if needed) - no bearer bandwidth reduction shall be initiated while the UP is still initialised for the old codec.

An example call sequence is shown in Figure 5.8.4/2.

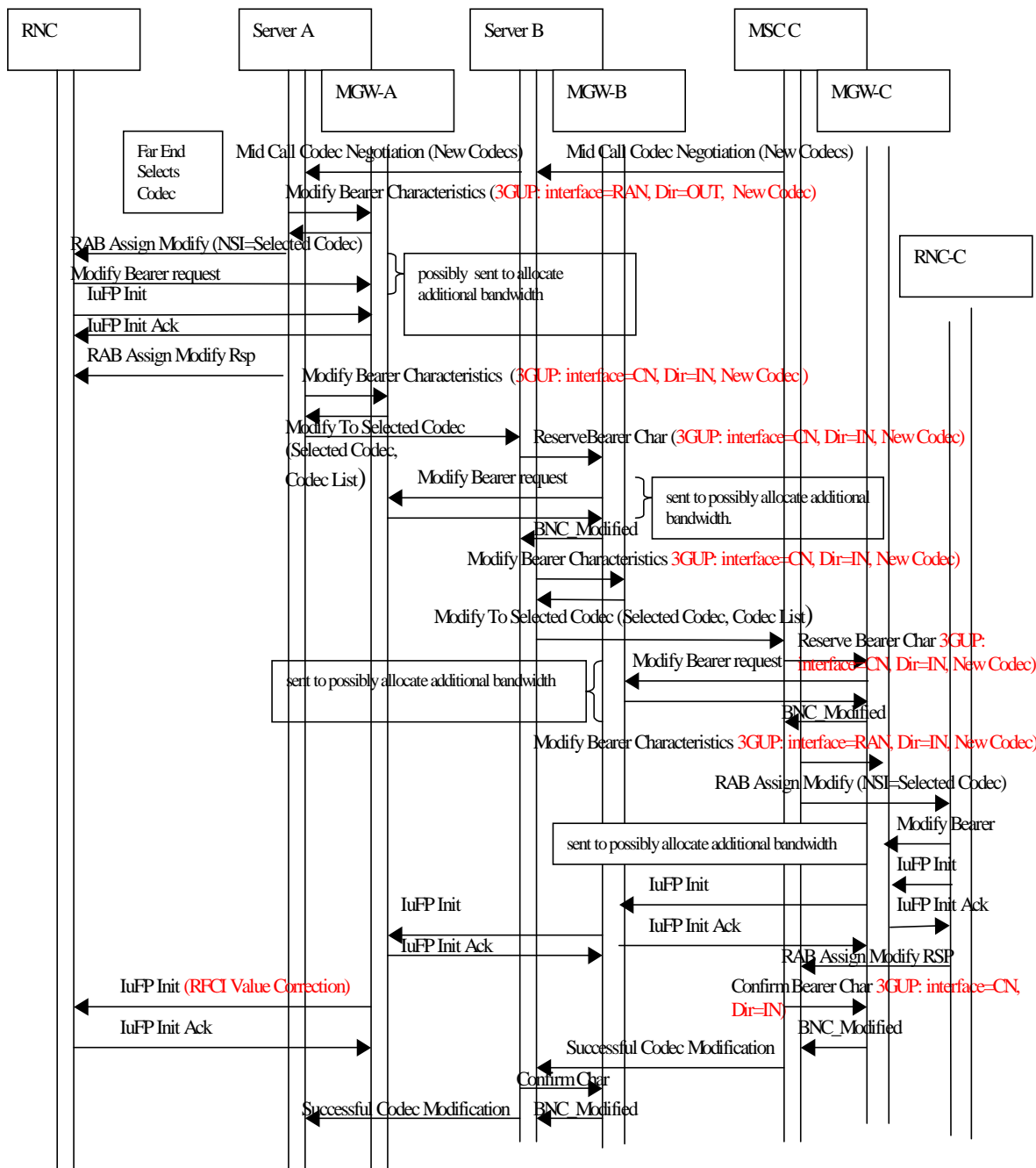


Figure 5.8.4/2: Mid Call Codec Negotiation Call Sequence

5.8.5 Unsuccessful Codec Modification

If the Codec Modification is unsuccessful at a certain node in the connection (due to the MGW rejecting a request to reserve the resources or a server rejecting the request to modify the codec) the Confirm Char message shall be sent to a termination that previously performed a successful Reserve Char Procedure to change the bearer back to its original bandwidth (if needed) and free up any reserved resources. However as the IuUP has not been modified, the Confirm Char shall not trigger an IuFP re-initialisation. The basic sequence is shown in Figure 5.8.5/1 and a detailed call flow is described in Figure 5.8.5/2. A server that performed a Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure to a termination with the new codec shall perform a subsequent Modify Bearer Characteristics procedure to that termination with the old codec in the failure case. As no IuFP initialisation occurs in the unsuccessful case the IuFP currently initialised will then match the old codec restored by the subsequent Modify Bearer Char; the MGW then knows that it can return to TrFO.

The Codec Modification Failure message shall not be returned to a preceding node until notification of the bearer level modification (BNC Modified).

RAB Assignment Modification Failure

If the reason for failed codec modification is due to an unsuccessful RAB Modification Request then the MSC shall assume that the old RAB is resumed and thus shall restore the old codec.

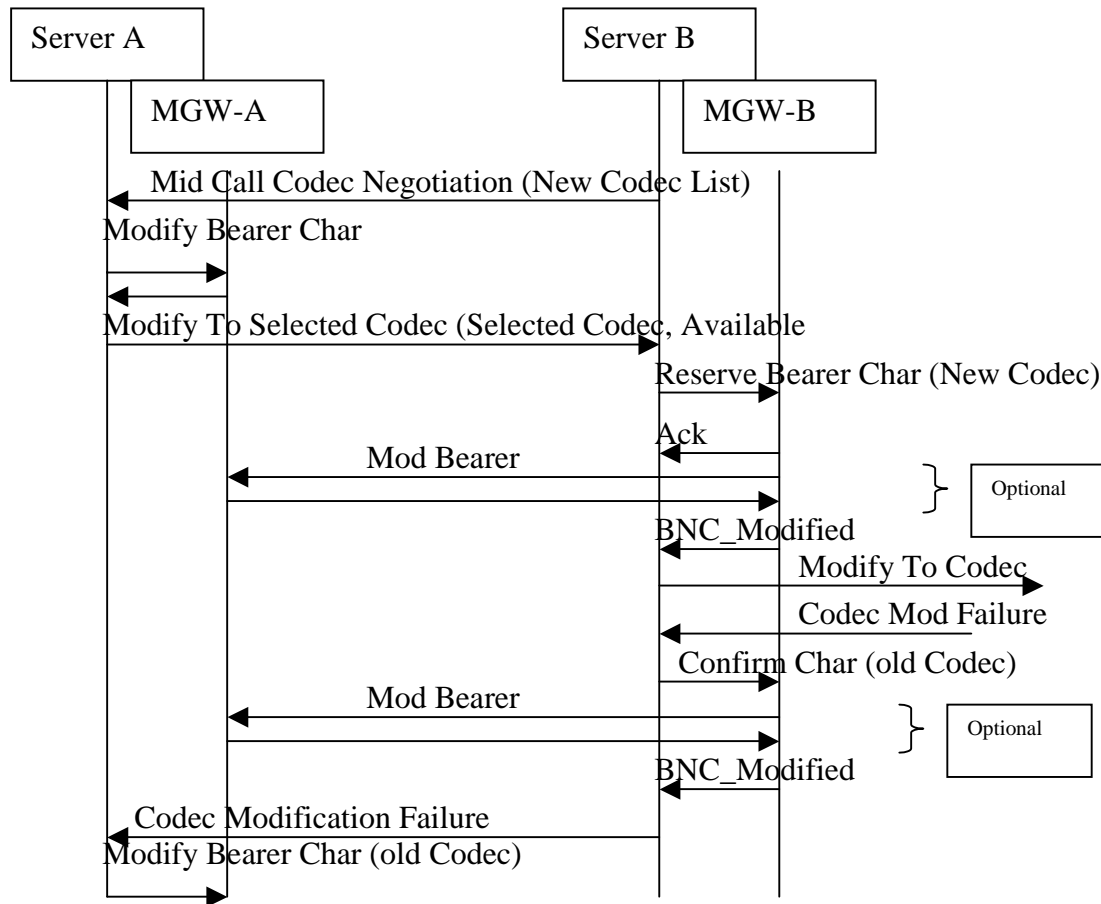


Figure 5.8.5/1: Unsuccessful Codec Modification

IuUP Initialisation Unsuccessful

If the IuUP initialisation fails (this must be due to some protocol error or transmission error because the resources have already been successfully reserved) then the UP protocol is cleared by the peers (see TS 25.415) and therefore the MGW shall notify the Server with a Bearer Released notification, the call shall be cleared (normal MGW initiated call clearing applies – see TS 23.205 clause 7.4 [8]).

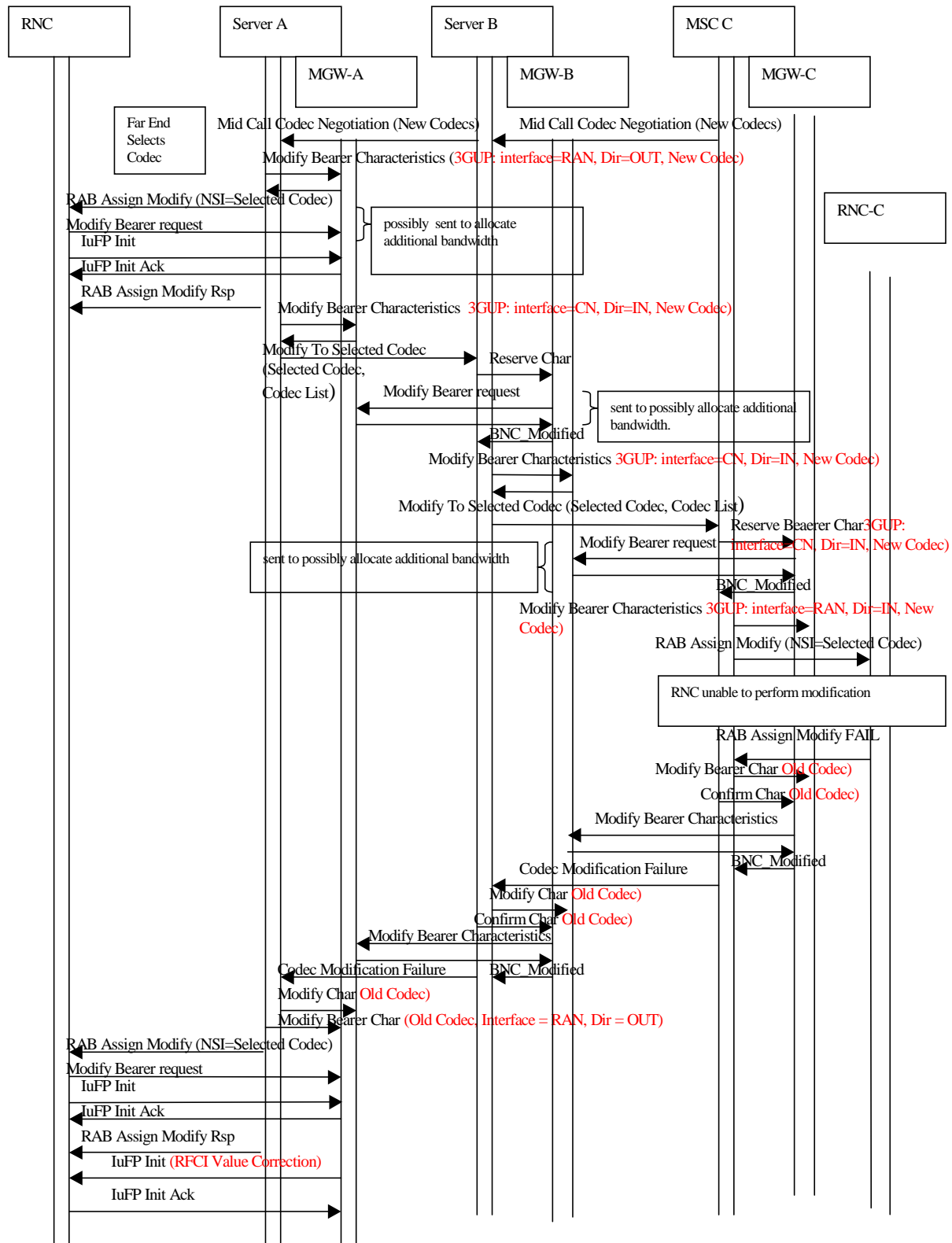


Figure 5.8.5/2: Call Sequence for Unsuccessful Modification

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Summary of change:	⌘	Sentence which mandates the usage of GTT in case of relocation between RNC's connected to different 3G MSC's
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6.2 SRNS Relocation during TrFO

In order to maintain TrFO connection in SRNS Relocation, procedures specified in [8] and [11] for "Intra-MSC SRNS Relocation" shall be followed. Note that the "Intra-MSC SRNS Relocation" procedure can also be used for relocation between RNC's connected to different 3G MSC's. ~~In this case SCCP Global Title addressing shall be used to signal directly from the Anchor MSC to the drift RNC.~~

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6.2 SRNS Relocation during TrFO

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Reason for change:	⌘ Current Procedures do not support codec modification for luFP This is a category F CR – it is essential for codec modification to work in Rel-4.
Summary of change:	⌘ New Procedures: Confirm_Bearer_Characteristics, Reserve_Bearer_Char based on Q.1950 Confirm_Char and Reserve_Char with addition on properties from 3GUP package. Description of the MGW behaviour with respect to luUP handling based on the indicated codec.
Consequences if not approved:	⌘ Codec modification does not work.

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14.2.36 Modify Bearer Characteristics

This procedure is the same as that defined in the subclause "Modify Char" in ITU-T Recommendation Q.1950 (see 3GPP TS 29.205 [7]) with additions as shown below.

Address Information	Control information	Bearer information
	If framing protocol used: UP mode = mode UPversion =version Delivery of erroneous SDUs=value Interface=interface Initdirerection=initdirection If indication on Protocol Negotiation Result requested: NotificationRequested (Event ID = x, "Prot Negotiation Result") If indication on Rate Change requested: NotificationRequested (Event ID = x, "RateChange")	If data call: PLMN bearer capbility = PLMN capability GSM channel coding=coding

If the "Modify Bearer Characteristics" procedure contains a codec that is not currently in use at the Termination when it receives this procedure, and if the framing protocol is used in support mode, the MGW shall be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation. If the "Modify Bearer Characteristics" contains no codec or the -codec that is already in use at the Termination when it receives this procedure, the MGW does not need to be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation.

14.2.40 Reserve Bearer Characteristics

This procedure is the same as that defined in the subclause "Reserve Char" in ITU-T Recommendation Q.1950 (see 3GPP TS 29.205 [7]) with additions as shown below.

Address Information	Control information	Bearer information
	<u>If framing protocol used:</u> <u>UP mode = mode</u> <u>UPversion =version</u> <u>Delivery of erroneous SDUs=value</u> <u>Interface=interface</u> <u>Initdirerection=initdirection</u>	

If the "Reserve Bearer Characteristics" procedure contains a codec that is not currently in use at the Termination -when it receives this procedure, and if the framing protocol is used in support mode, the MGW shall be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation. If the "Reserve Bearer Characteristics" contains no codec or the -codec that is already in use at the Termination when it receives this procedure, the MGW does not need to be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation.

14.2.41 Confirm Bearer Characteristics

This procedure is the same as that defined in the subclause "Confirm Char" in ITU-T Recommendation Q.1950 (see 3GPP TS 29.205 [7]) with additions as shown below.

<u>Address Information</u>	<u>Control information</u>	<u>Bearer information</u>
	<u>If framing protocol used:</u> <u>UP mode = mode</u> <u>UPversion =version</u> <u>Delivery of erroneous SDUs=value</u> <u>Interface=interface</u> <u>Initdirerection=initdirection</u>	

If the "Confirm Bearer Characteristics" procedure contains a codec that is not currently in use at the Termination- when it receives this procedure, and if the framing protocol is used in support mode, the MGW shall be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation. If the "Confirm Bearer Characteristics" contains no codec or the -codec that is already in use at the Termination -when it receives this procedure, the MGW does not need to be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation.

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Consequences if not approved:	⌘ Codec modification does not work.

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14.2.36 Modify Bearer Characteristics

This procedure is the same as that defined in the subclause "Modify Char" in ITU-T Recommendation Q.1950 (see 3GPP TS 29.205 [7]) with additions as shown below.

Address Information	Control information	Bearer information
	If framing protocol used: UP mode = mode UPversion =version Delivery of erroneous SDUs=value Interface=interface Initdirerection=initdirection If indication on Protocol Negotiation Result requested: NotificationRequested (Event ID = x, "Prot Negotiation Result") If indication on Rate Change requested: NotificationRequested (Event ID = x, "RateChange")	If data call: PLMN bearer capbility = PLMN capability GSM channel coding=coding

If the "Modify Bearer Characteristics" procedure contains a codec that is not currently in use at the Termination when it receives this procedure, and if the framing protocol is used in support mode, the MGW shall be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation. If the "Modify Bearer Characteristics" contains no codec or the -codec that is already in use at the Termination when it receives this procedure, the MGW does not need to be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation.

14.2.40 Reserve Bearer Characteristics

This procedure is the same as that defined in the subclause "Reserve Char" in ITU-T Recommendation Q.1950 (see 3GPP TS 29.205 [7]) with additions as shown below.

Address Information	Control information	Bearer information
	<u>If framing protocol used:</u> <u>UP mode = mode</u> <u>UPversion =version</u> <u>Delivery of erroneous SDUs=value</u> <u>Interface=interface</u> <u>Initdirerection=initdirection</u>	

If the "Reserve Bearer Characteristics" procedure contains a codec that is not currently in use at the Termination -when it receives this procedure, and if the framing protocol is used in support mode, the MGW shall be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation. If the "Reserve Bearer Characteristics" contains no codec or the -codec that is already in use at the Termination when it receives this procedure, the MGW does not need to be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation.

14.2.41 Confirm Bearer Characteristics

This procedure is the same as that defined in the subclause "Confirm Char" in ITU-T Recommendation Q.1950 (see 3GPP TS 29.205 [7]) with additions as shown below.

<u>Address Information</u>	<u>Control information</u>	<u>Bearer information</u>
	<u>If framing protocol used:</u> <u>UP mode = mode</u> <u>UPversion =version</u> <u>Delivery of erroneous SDUs=value</u> <u>Interface=interface</u> <u>Initdirerection=initdirection</u>	

If the "Confirm Bearer Characteristics" procedure contains a codec that is not currently in use at the Termination- when it receives this procedure, and if the framing protocol is used in support mode, the MGW shall be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation. If the "Confirm Bearer Characteristics" contains no codec or the -codec that is already in use at the Termination -when it receives this procedure, the MGW does not need to be prepared to handle a framing protocol initialisation.