
3GPP TSG-SA5 (Telecom Management)
Meeting #35bis, New Orleans, LOUISIANA, USA, 06 - 10 Oct 2003

S5-034642

Title: LS Reply on charging aspects of Priority Service (draft TR 22.952)
Response to: LS (S1-030935/S5-034507) on TR 22.952, Priority Service Guide – request for review and comment from SA1
Release: Rel-6
Work Item: PRIOR (Priority Service), CH (Charging Management)

Source: SA5
To: SA1
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1. Overall Description:

SA5 thank SA1 for their liaison regarding the charging aspects of the priority service described in TR 22.952.

SA5 SWGB (Charging Management) have analysed the charging impacts of this service and are making the following assumptions regarding the charging functionality required for the priority service. These are:

- ?? Existing Charging Data Record (CDR) types will be enhanced to include the priority service indication. No new CDR types will be specified;
- ?? The Rel-6 CDRs shall indicate the HLR subscription to the priority service for the subscriber;
- ?? The Rel-6 CDRs shall indicate if the priority service was invoked for a call;
- ?? The Rel-6 CDRs shall indicate if the priority service functionality was successfully activated, i.e. affecting other users;
- ?? The remaining per call parameters are already available in the existing CDR types;
- ?? The priority service is only applicable for circuit switched calls in Rel-6;
- ?? The priority service shall be available to both post- and pre-paid subscribers.

The format of any summary account reports are outside the scope of the 32-series charging TSs. A number of the fields are available from the CDRs (as described above), while the remainder need to be made available by the operators post processing systems.

2. Actions:

ACTION: None. This liaison reply is for information only.

3. Date of Next SA5 Meetings:

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