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Title: LS on EHPLMN (Equivalent HPLMN)
Response to: LS (T3-040586) on EHPLMN (Equivalent HPLMN) from T3
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Work Item:

Source: 3GPP TSG CN1
To: 3GPP TSG T3
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1. Overall Description:

CN1 thanks T3 for their LS regarding support of the EHPLMN proposal.

CN1 has noted the two proposals from T3, to either introduce a new file or update the functionality of the existing HPLMN file.

After discussion within CN1 it has been agreed that the introduction of a new file, to cater for the EHPLMN requirement, would be the safer option.

CN1 also discussed the probable format of the new file and proposes that it contains a list of PLMN codes that will be used in addition to the HPLMN code derived from the IMSI. CN1 would also propose that there is no need to include Access Technology information as the mobile will use all the access technologies that it supports when searching for the HPLMN (or an Equivalent HPLMN).

2. Actions:

To 3GPP TSG T3

ACTION: CN1 requests T3 notes the conclusion of the discussion within CN1 and introduces a new file into the SIM and USIM specifications to support the EHPLMN requirement.

CN1 would be grateful if T3 could liaise the agreed CR back to CN1 so that the related CRs to the CN1 specifications can be completed in a timely manner.

3. Date of Next TSG-CN1 Meetings:

CN1_37	14th – 18th February 2005	Sidney, Australia
CN1_38	25th -30th April 2005	Cancun, Mexico