

(S2-011572, to TSG-RAN) LS on Requirements on the Iu Interface

Title: Liaison Statement on Requirements on the Iu Interface

Source: 3GPP TSG SA2

To: 3GPP TSG RAN3, 3GPP TSG RAN

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TSG SA WG2 has been made aware of a TSG RAN WG3 working assumption to mandate the use of IPv6 on the Iu interface for the "IP in the UTRAN" option in Release 5. It has been specified in TS23.221 that both IPv4 and IPv6 would be options for IP connectivity in Release 5.

As this is an architectural issue, SA2 would like to be included in the discussion before a final decision is taken.