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Multicall AdHoc Working Plan and the Milestone

1: In Offline Meeting

An offline meeting for Multicall issue was held in Dec 16, the major objective of the meeting was clarifying MC related issues (such as Stage 2 level descriptions for MC) that were raised in CN#6 and find a working plan to solve the concerns and complete the MC-WI in R99 time schedule. This minutes recorded the outcome of the meeting.

2: Basic Agreements and High level understandings

- 2.1 Recognize Multicall as a R99 WI. Therefore this meeting was held to realize the completion of the topic in the expected time schedule.
- 2.2 It is planned to have a **NSS-Joint AdHoc on Multicall** during February 17-18 2000 at Milan, Italy, following N2B meeting. The meeting invites those who has interesting on Multicall, especially N1, N2, NSS and S1 delegates. This will be informed to each WG members from the chairperson.

3: Objective of the NSS-Joint AdHoc on Multicall:

The meeting is **NOT** a place to start discussions, but it was agreed that the purpose of the meeting **is to solve all issues, which means complete all CRs with all necessary documentation on Multicall.**

4: Milestone (work plan) toward the NSS-Joint AdHoc

This work plan was built to smoothly complete all Multicall issues at the AdHoc meeting. The following time schedule (steps) was recognized.

Note; Toward **NSS-Joint AdHoc** meeting, e-mail discussion starts by following steps. For the e-mail discussion NSS mailing list will be used. All of those who want to participate this discussion should subscribe NSS-ML. (3GPP_TSG_CN_SS_ADHOC@LIST.ETSI.FR)

Step-1) Our working assumption is separate stage2 for MC, does anybody has objection to this direction? If so, state them.

By 04 Jan 2000 via e-mail.

Background : In CN#6, the necessity of Multicall stage2 was proposed. Originally, such as in N2, the stage 2 description was included in 23.018, basic call procedure. But in the above offline meeting on Dec 16, in

order to more clearly describe the relation of SS and MC, the formulation of independent stage 2 description was recognized.

Step-2) Merge comments raised at CN#6 + High level MC documents (N2 used to have such documents) => we will express this document as “Stage 1.5 for MC”.

By Jan 10 2000, by Japanese interesting companies.

Background : At CN#6, NSS chairman stated that it is necessary to prepare such document that describe High level functional procedure for MC(Stage 1.5 for MC), In order to clearly understand the relationship between MC and SS.

CN2 used to have a high level MC documentation to proceed MC discussion, a technical summary on multical. The document includes some of the MC and SS relationships and information flows. It should be brushed up to reflect current status. Additionally, previous MC offline meeting raised some comments. These also to be included to updated, High level MC document.

(If the necessity of independent stage-2 document is agreed, this (Stage 1.5 for MC) draft document could be a bases of MC stage 2 document.). Japanese interesting companies will provide the draft document by the stated due date.

Step-3) Identification of Open issues after reviewing the documents (Stage 1.5 for MC).

By Jan 21 via e-mail.

Identify those open issues after reviewing the revised MC high level document, if any. The due date should critically be kept. All of the concerns have to be informed by the due date to be registered as open issues.

Step-4) Propose solutions

By Feb 04 2000 (fry)

Propose solutions to the risen open issues.

Step-5) Does it contentious, identify them

By Feb 8 2000.

This step just identify those are contentious or not. Those are not contentious, prepare CRs.

Step-6) Draft CRs on non contentious issues.

Due for the CRs toward the meeting is Feb 14.

Step-7) Face to face meeting, NSS-Joint AdHoc on Multicall, 17-18 February 2000.

At Milan, Italy following the N2B meeting.