
Source: TSG SA WG2 (S2-042272)
Title: WID on IMS enhancements for NGN
Agenda Item: 7.2.3

Work Item Description

Title: IMS enhancements for NGN

1 3GPP Work Area

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| | Radio Access |
| X | Core Network |
| X | Services |

2 Linked work items

none identified

3 Justification

The standardization of the Next Generation Network (NGN) is addressed by a number of SDOs and ITU-T. ETSI TISPAN has liaised to 3GPP their intention to use the 3GPP IMS and was seeking coordination with 3GPP. SA Plenary#23 agreed that 3GPP would support the TISPAN decision to use IMS as a component of NGN.

A Next Generation Network (NGN) architecture is under development, which intends to use the 3GPP IMS. This will embed IMS as the framework for conversational multimedia services for many types of operators. It is expected that some enhancements of the 3GPP specifications will be needed for IMS to meet the NGN requirements.

This work item studies and intends to implement the necessary enhancements to IMS within 3GPP for NGN, as seen appropriate from a 3GPP system perspective. Note that 3GPP intends to evaluate whether those enhancements are expected to be generally useful to IMS when deciding to incorporate them.

Also note that NGN may need to use 3GPP specifications which are not specifically IMS.

4 Objective

This work item is to provide possible architectural enhancements necessary in the 3GPP system to support NGN based on IMS, for NGN release 1 (ETSI TISPAN release 1). Where there are impacts to the IMS core 3GPP intends to develop their specifications to meet the NGN requirements, as seen appropriate from a 3GPP system perspective.

The NGN Requirements, received from other 3GPP OPs and MRPs, shall be considered as well to study the impacts on the IMS.

5 Service Aspects

For NGN requirements, refer to ETSI TR 01016: TISPAN_NGN; Release 1: Release Definition. NGN requirements impacting 3GPP service requirements within the scope of this Work Item will have to be analyzed by SA1

6 MMI-Aspects

No MMI aspects are expected in context of this WI.

7 Charging Aspects

For NGN charging aspects, refer to ETSI TR 01016: TISPAN_NGN; Release 1: Release Definition. NGN charging aspects impacting 3GPP charging architecture and mechanisms within the scope of this Work Item will have to be analyzed by SA5.

8 Security Aspects

For NGN security aspects, refer to ETSI TR 01016: TISPAN_NGN; Release 1: Release Definition. NGN security aspects impacting 3GPP security architecture and mechanisms within the scope of this Work Item will have to be analyzed by SA3.

9 Impacts

| Affects: | UICC apps | ME | AN | CN | Others |
|-------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| Yes | | | | X | |
| No | | X | X | | |
| Don't know | X | | | | X |

10 Expected Output and Time scale (to be updated at each plenary)

Note that an ETSI TISPAN – 3GPP workshop will be held on 22-23 June 2004 from which it is expected that further details on sections 5-8 will be provided.

| New specifications | | | | | | |
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| Spec No. | Title | Prime resp. WG | 2ndary resp. WG(s) | Presented for information at plenary# | Approved at plenary# | Comments |
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| Affected existing specifications | | | | | | |
| Spec No. | CR | Subject | | Approved at plenary# | Comments | |
| 23.228 | | Changes to fulfil NGN requirements | | #27 | | |
| | | Other specs may be identified as requiring changes as work progresses e.g. 23.141 for presence | | | | |
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11 Work item rapporteurs
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12 Work item leadership

SA 2

13 Supporting Companies

Nortel Networks, Siemens, Lucent, Orange, BT, TeliaSonera, Nokia, Ericsson

14 Classification of the WI (if known)

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| X | Feature (go to 14a) |
| | Building Block (go to 14b) |
| | Work Task (go to 14c) |

14a The WI is a Feature: List of building blocks under this feature

Building Blocks and Work Tasks are anticipated to be identified when the stage 2 is presented “for information”.

14b The WI is a Building Block: parent Feature

(one Work Item identified as a feature)

14c The WI is a Work Task: parent Building Block

(one Work Item identified as a building block)