

TSG-RAN Working Group 2 Meeting #28
Kobe, Japan, 8 - 12 April 2002

R2-020796

Title: Response to LS (N4-020302) on Trace and Availability of IMSI and IMEI
Source: RAN2
To: CN4
Cc: SA5, SA3, GERAN2, RAN3, CN1
Response to: LS (N4-020302) on Trace and Availability of IMSI and IMEI from CN4
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Attachments: None

1. Overall Description:

RAN2 thanks CN4 for their LS Response Liaison Statement on Trace and Availability of IMSI and IMEI and would like to inform CN4 about the answer to their question:

Question from CN4:

- CN4 kindly asks if IMSI/IMEI is already sent over their signalling interfaces (CN4 is receiving contradictory information)

Answer from RAN2:

- The IMSI or IMEI may be used as the Initial UE identity in case of RRC connection setup request on the UTRAN radio interface.
Otherwise the IMSI/IMEI is never sent over the radio interface to the RNC. Especially, the RNC has no possibility to request the UE to send the IMSI/IMEI over the air interface.

2. Actions:

None

3. Date of Next RAN2 Meetings:

RAN2_29	13 – 17 May 2002	Gyeongju, Korea.
RAN2_30	24 – 28 June 2002	Torino, Italy.