

CHANGE REQUEST

⌘ **33.102 CR CRNum** ⌘ rev **-** ⌘ Current version: **3.b.0** ⌘

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Proposed change affects: ⌘ (U)SIM ME/UE Radio Access Network Core Network

Title:	⌘ Optional use of Access Link Data Confidentiality		
Source:	⌘ Siemens		
Work item code:	⌘ Security	Date:	⌘ 2 May 2002
Category:	⌘ F	Release:	⌘ R99
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Reason for change:	⌘ 'Access link data confidentiality' is not mandatory for use.		
Summary of change:	⌘ Remove inconsistency in specification: Change text such that confidentiality protection of acces link is not mandatory but optional for use [as been encoded through the definition of UEA0 (no encryption)].		
Consequences if not approved:	⌘ Remaining inconsistent specification.		

Clauses affected:	⌘ 6.6.1		
Other specs affected:	⌘ <input type="checkbox"/> Other core specifications ⌘ <input type="checkbox"/> Test specifications ⌘ <input type="checkbox"/> O&M Specifications	⌘	
Other comments:	⌘		

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- 3) With "track changes" disabled, paste the entire CR form (use CTRL-A to select it) into the specification just in front of the clause containing the first piece of changed text. Delete those parts of the specification which are not relevant to the change request.

6.6 Access link data confidentiality

6.6.1 General

User data and some signalling information elements are considered sensitive and ~~should~~**must** be confidentiality protected. To ensure identity confidentiality (see section 6.1), the temporary user identity (P-)TMSI ~~should~~**must** be transferred in a protected mode at allocation time and at other times when the signalling procedures permit it.

These needs for a protected mode of transmission are fulfilled by a confidentiality function which is applied on dedicated channels between the ME and the RNC.