3GPP TSG-WG2 Meeting #36   *Tdoc R2-031446*
Paris, France, 19ᵗʰ-23ᵗʰ May, 2003

Title:	Response to LS on double ciphering for MBMS multicast data.
Response to:	S3-030156 (LS on double ciphering for MBMS multicast data)
Release:	Rel-6
Work Item:	MBMS

Source:	Siemens
To:	SA3
Cc:	CN1, GERAN2

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Attachments: None

RAN2 thanks SA3 for the LS on double ciphering for MBMS multicast.

No significant benefits in terms of performance have been identified in case the ciphering on the radio interface was switched off for ptp MBMS data transmissions. Therefore RAN2 does not foresee to include the possibility to switch off the ciphering for these radio bearers.

In case of ptm MBMS data transmissions it is RAN2's assumption that no radio interface ciphering would be applied.

2. Actions

To [SA3] group:

None

3. Date of Next TSG RAN WG2 Meetings:

Meeting	Date	Location
RAN2	25-29 August 203	Budapest, Hungary