3GPP TSG-T3 Meeting #27   **Tdoc T3-030400**
Sapporo, Japan, 20-23 May.

Title:	LS on support of GSM SIM files (and services) on the USIM
Release:	Rel-5 and others to be clarified

Source:	TSG-T3
To:	TSG-T, TSG –SA1
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1. Overall Description:

At T plenary #19 it was observed and noted that as a consequence of mandating a Release 5 GERAN-only MT to support the USIM from Rel-5 and onwards, all legacy SIM files have to be supported in the USIM in order to provide service transparency across releases and technologies. CRs drafted by T3#26 removing files relating to SoLSA were rejected as a result.

T3 will prepare a CR or CRs to TS 31.102 fulfilling the action, however before being able to implement the request fully, T3 seek guidance on the following questions:

1. What is meant by, and which GSM services and features should be migrated to the USIM?
2. Shall the features and services be incorporated in Rel-5 only?
3. Shall the features and services be incorporated in earlier releases of TS 31.102?
4. Shall the features and services incorporated in later releases of TS 31.102?
5. T3 could see potential impact on service requirement specifications from introducing GSM "legacy" features, e.g. SoLSA.

T3 look forward to cooperating with TSG-T and TSG-SA1 and other involved groups on this issue.

2. Actions:

To TSG-T and TSG SA1.

ACTION: T3 seek guidance on the above listed questions

3. Date of Next TSG-T3 Meetings:

TSG-T3 Meeting #28	19-22 August 2003	Marseilles, France.
TSG-T3 Meeting #29	18-21 November 2003	TBD, USA.