**3GPP TSG-RAN WG2 Meeting #128 *R2-2411024***

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| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **38.331** | **CR** | **5155** | **rev** | **1** | **Current version:** | **15.27.0** |  |
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| *For* ***[HE](http://www.3gpp.org/3G_Specs/CRs.htm" \l "_blank)******[LP](http://www.3gpp.org/3G_Specs/CRs.htm" \l "_blank)*** *on using this form: comprehensive instructions can be found at  <http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests>.* | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME | **X** | Radio Access Network | **X** | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | Corrections to smtc configuration | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | ZTE Corporation, Sanechips | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | RAN2 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | NR\_newRAT-Core | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2024-10 |
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| ***Category:*** | **F** |  | | | | | ***Release:*** | | | Rel-15 |
|  | *Use one of the following categories:* ***F*** *(correction)* ***A*** *(mirror corresponding to a change in an earlier release)* ***B*** *(addition of feature),* ***C*** *(functional modification of feature)* ***D*** *(editorial modification)*  Detailed explanations of the above categories can be found in 3GPP [TR 21.900](http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/html-info/21900.htm). | | | | | | | | *Use one of the following releases: Rel-8 (Release 8) Rel-9 (Release 9) Rel-10 (Release 10) Rel-11 (Release 11) … Rel-17 (Release 17) Rel-18 (Release 18) Rel-19 (Release 19)  Rel-20 (Release 20)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | It is specified in first section of subclause 5.5.2.10 that UE sets up first SMTC based on *periodicityAndOffset* parameter included in ***smtc1*** in MO. However, SMTC configuration can also be provided in ***smtc*** in SIBs, or ***smtc*** or ***targetCellSMTC-SCG*** inRRCReconfiguration for HO/PSCell addition or in RRCRelease for redirection. For those cases, UE shall set up SMTC based on configuration in ***smtc*** or ***targetCellSMTC-SCG***, instead of ***smtc1***.  Since both *smtc,* *smtc1* and *targetCellSMTC-SCG*refer to the same IE *SSB-MTC*, a simple fix would be to change the ‘*smtc1*’ in procedure text to ‘*SSB-MTC*’ to harmonize the text for different cases. This is also aligned with the text style used in subclause 5.5.2.13 of 36.331 LTE RRC specs for UE to determine NR SMTC configuration. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | change ‘*smtc1*’ to ‘*SSB-MTC*’ in the first section of subclause 5.5.2.10.  **Impact analysis**  **Impacted 5G Architecture options:**  NR standalone, NR-DC, (NG)EN-DC, NE-DC  **Impacted functionality:**  SMTC configuration    **Inter-operability analysis:**  There is no inter-operability issue foreseen. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | How UE set up smtc configuration is incomplete. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 5.5.2.10 | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Other specs*** | |  | **x** | Other core specifications | | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | |
| ***affected:*** | |  | **x** | Test specifications | | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | |
| ***(show related CRs)*** | |  | **x** | O&M Specifications | | | | TS/TR ... CR ... | | |
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| ***Other comments:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |
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| ***This CR's revision history:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

*1st CHANGE STARTS*

#### 5.5.2.10 Reference signal measurement timing configuration

The UE shall setup the first SS/PBCH block measurement timing configuration (SMTC) in accordance with the received *periodicityAndOffset* parameter (providing *Periodicity* and *Offset* value for the following condition) in the *SSB-MTC* configuration. The first subframe of each SMTC occasion occurs at an SFN and subframe of the NR SpCell meeting the following condition:

SFN mod *T* = (FLOOR (*Offset*/10));

if the *Periodicity* is larger than *sf5*:

subframe = *Offset* mod 10;

else:

subframe = *Offset* or (*Offset* +5);

with *T* = CEIL(*Periodicity*/10).

If *smtc2* is present, for cells indicated in the *pci-List* parameter in *smtc2* in the same *MeasObjectNR*, the UE shall setup an additional SS/PBCH block measurement timing configuration (SMTC) in accordance with the received *periodicity* parameter in the *smtc2* configuration and use the *Offset* (derived from parameter *periodicityAndOffset*) and *duration* parameter from the *smtc1* configuration. The first subframe of each SMTC occasion occurs at an SFN and subframe of the NR SpCell meeting the above condition.

On the indicated *ssbFrequency*, the UE shall not consider SS/PBCH block transmission in subframes outside the SMTC occasion for RRM measurements based on SS/PBCH blocks and for RRM measurements based on CSI-RS except for SFTD measurement (see TS 38.133 [14], clause 9.3.8).

*1st CHANGE ENDS*