**3GPP TSG-RAN WG3 Meeting #123 *R3-240965***

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| *CR-Form-v12.2* | | | | | | | | |
| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **38.423** | **CR** | **1204** | **rev** | **1** | **Current version:** | **15.18.0** |  |
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| *For* [***HE******LP***](http://www.3gpp.org/3G_Specs/CRs.htm#_blank)*on using this form: comprehensive instructions can be found at* [*http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests*](http://www.3gpp.org/Change-Requests)*.* | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME |  | Radio Access Network | **x** | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | Correction on PDU Session Resources Not Admitted | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Huawei | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | R3 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | NR\_newRAT-Core | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2024-02-28 |
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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-16 (Release 16) Rel-17 (Release 17) Rel-18 (Release 18) Rel-19 (Release 19)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | In 8.3.3, M-NG-RAN node initiated S-NG-RAN node Modification Preparation procedure, it says that “**The S-NG-RAN node shall include the PDU sessions that have not been admitted in the *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List* IE with an appropriate cause value.”.**  In S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE message, there is an IE named as id-PDUSessionNotAdmitted-SNModResponse in asn.1, but in the tabular, it was wrongly named as *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted to be Added List* IE, which should be updated to *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List* IE, as this IE includes both the PDU session not admitted to be added and modified, and to be aligned with above mentioned procedural text.  This IE should refer to 9.2.1.3 but it was wrongly referred to 9.2.1.27 which is the PDU Session List without cause and hard to be extended to include cause for each PDU session. RAN3 agreed to introduce a new optional sub-IE refer to *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List* IE and mark the existing one as to be ignored if received. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | In 9.1.2.6, introduce a new optional sub-IE refer to *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List* IE and mark the existing one as to be ignored if received.  In 9.3.4, update asn.1 accordingly.  Impact Analysis:  Impact assessment towards the previous version of the specification (same release):  This CR has an impact under protocol & functional point of view. The impact can be considered isolated because the change affects only the SN Modification Request ACK. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | Wrong IE used in the S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE message, cannot provide appropriate cause value in case some PDU sessions are not admitted. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 9.1.2.6, 9.3.4 | | | | | | | | |
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|  | | **Y** | **N** |  | | | |  | | |
| ***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:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

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### 8.3.3 M-NG-RAN node initiated S-NG-RAN node Modification Preparation

#### 8.3.3.1 General

This procedure is used to enable an M-NG-RAN node to request an S-NG-RAN node to either modify the UE context at the S-NG-RAN node or to query the current SCG configuration for supporting delta signalling in M-NG-RAN node initiated S-NG-RAN node change, or to provide the S-RLF-related information to the S-NG-RAN node.

The procedure uses UE-associated signalling.

#### 8.3.3.2 Successful Operation



Figure 8.3.3.2-1: M-NG-RAN node initiated S-NG-RAN node Modification Preparation, successful operation

The M-NG-RAN node initiates the procedure by sending the S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST message to the S-NG-RAN node.

When the M-NG-RAN node sends the S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST message, it shall start the timer TXnDCprep.

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The S-NG-RAN node shall include the PDU sessions for which resources have been either added or modified or released at the S-NG-RAN node either in the *PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Added List* IE or the *PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Modified List* IE or the *PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Released List* IE. The S-NG-RAN node shall include the PDU sessions that have not been admitted in the *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List* IE with an appropriate cause value.

If the M-NG-RAN node requests transfer of the PDCP hosting from the S-NG-RAN node to the M-NG-RAN node for a PDU session, in which case the S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST message contains an PDU session resource to be released which is configured with the SCG bearer option within the *PDU Session Resources To Be Released List* IE, the S-NG-RAN node shall include the *RLC Mode* IE within the *DRBs To Be Released List* IE in the *PDU Session Resources admitted to be released List – SN terminated* IE in the S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE message. The the *RLC Mode* IE indicates the RLC mode that the S-NG-RAN node uses for the DRB.

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#### 9.1.2.6 S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE

This message is sent by the S-NG-RAN node to confirm the M-NG-RAN node’s request to modify the S-NG-RAN node resources for a specific UE.

Direction: S-NG-RAN node → M-NG-RAN node.

| IE/Group Name | Presence | Range | IE type and reference | Semantics description | Criticality | Assigned Criticality |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Message Type | M |  | 9.2.3.1 |  | YES | reject |
| M-NG-RAN node UE XnAP ID | M |  | NG-RAN node UE XnAP ID  9.2.3.16 | Allocated at the M-NG-RAN node | YES | ignore |
| S-NG-RAN node UE XnAP ID | M |  | NG-RAN node UE XnAP ID  9.2.3.16 | Allocated at the S-NG-RAN node | YES | ignore |
| **PDU Session Resources Admitted List** |  | *0..1* |  |  | YES | ignore |
| **>PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Added List** |  | *0..1* |  |  | – |  |
| **>>PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Added Item** |  | *1 .. <maxnoofPDUSessions>* |  | NOTE: If neither the  *PDU Session Resource Setup Response Info – SN terminated* IE  nor the  *PDU Session Resource Setup Response Info – MN terminated* IE is present in a *PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Added Item* IE, abnormal conditions as specified in clause 8.3.3.4 apply. | – |  |
| >>>PDU Session ID | M |  | 9.2.3.18 |  | – |  |
| >>>PDU Session Resource Setup Response Info – SN terminated | O |  | 9.2.1.6 |  | – |  |
| >>>PDU Session Resource Setup Response Info – MN terminated | O |  | 9.2.1.8 |  | – |  |
| **>PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Modified List** |  | *0..1* |  |  | – |  |
| **>>PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Modified Item** |  | *1 .. <maxnoofPDUSessions>* |  | NOTE: If neither the  *PDU Session Resource Modification Response Info – SN terminated* IE  nor the  *PDU Session Resource Modification Response Info – MN terminated* IE is present in a *PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Modified Item* IE, abnormal conditions as specified in clause 8.3.3.4 apply. | – |  |
| >>>PDU Session ID | M |  | 9.2.3.18 |  | – |  |
| >>>PDU Session Resource Modification Response Info – SN terminated | O |  | 9.2.1.10 |  | – |  |
| >>>PDU Session Resource Modification Response Info – MN terminated | O |  | 9.2.1.12 |  | – |  |
| **>PDU Session Resources Admitted To Be Released List** |  | *0..1* |  |  | – |  |
| >>PDU Session Resources admitted to be released List – SN terminated | O |  | PDU session List with data forwarding request info  9.2.1.24 |  | – |  |
| >>PDU Session Resources admitted to be released List – MN terminated | O |  | PDU session List with data Cause  9.2.1.26 |  | – |  |
| **PDU Session Resources Not Admitted** | O |  |  |  | YES | ignore |
| >PDU Session List | O |  | 9.2.1.27 | Ignored if the *PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List* IE is included | - | - |
| >PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List | O |  | 9.2.1.3 |  | Yes | ignore |
| S-NG-RAN node to M-NG-RAN node Container | O |  | OCTET STRING | Includes the *CG-Config* message as defined in subclause 11.2.2 of TS 38.331 [10]. | YES | ignore |
| Admitted Split SRBs | O |  | ENUMERATED (srb1, srb2, srb1&2, ...) | Indicates admitted SRBs | YES | ignore |
| Admitted Split SRBs release | O |  | ENUMERATED (srb1, srb2, srb1&2, ...) | Indicates admitted SRBs release | YES | ignore |
| Criticality Diagnostics | O |  | 9.2.3.3 |  | YES | ignore |
| Location Information at S-NODE | O |  | Target Cell Global ID  9.2.3.25 | Contains information to support localisation of the UE | YES | ignore |
| MR-DC Resource Coordination Information | O |  | 9.2.2.33 | Information used to coordinate resource utilisation between M-NG-RAN node and S-NG-RAN node. | YES | ignore |
| PDU Session Resources with Data Forwarding List |  | *0..1* |  |  | YES | ignore |
| **>**PDU Session Resources with Data Forwarding List – SN terminated | M |  | PDU session List with data forwarding request info  9.2.1.24 |  | – |  |
| RRC Config Indication | O |  | 9.2.3.72 |  | YES | reject |

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| Range bound | Explanation |
| maxnoofPDUSessions | Maximum no. of PDU sessions. Value is 256 |

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#### 9.2.1.3 PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List

This IE contains a list of PDU session resources which were not admitted to be added or modified.

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| IE/Group Name | Presence | Range | IE type and reference | Semantics description |
| **PDU Session Resources Not Admitted List** |  | *1* |  |  |
| >**PDU Session Resources Not Admitted Item** |  | *1..<maxnoofPDUSessions>* |  |  |
| >>PDU Session ID | M |  | 9.2.3.18 |  |
| >>Cause | O |  | 9.2.3.2 |  |

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| Range bound | Explanation |
| maxnoofPDUSessions | Maximum no. of PDU sessions. Value is 256 |

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#### 9.2.1.27 PDU Session List

This IE contains a list of PDU sessions.

| IE/Group Name | Presence | Range | IE type and reference | Semantics description |
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| **PDU Session List** |  | *1 .. <maxnoofPDUsessions>* |  |  |
| >PDU Session ID | M |  | 9.2.3.18 |  |

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| Range bound | Explanation |
| maxnoofPDUsessions | Maximum no. of PDU sessions. Value is 256. |

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### 9.3.4 PDU Definitions

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-- PDU definitions for XnAP.

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XnAP-PDU-Contents {

itu-t (0) identified-organization (4) etsi (0) mobileDomain (0)

ngran-access (22) modules (3) xnap (2) version1 (1) xnap-PDU-Contents (1) }

DEFINITIONS AUTOMATIC TAGS ::=

BEGIN

-- \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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-- IE parameter types from other modules.

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IMPORTS

ActivationIDforCellActivation,

AMF-Region-Information,

AMF-UE-NGAP-ID,

AS-SecurityInformation,

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-- S-NODE MODIFICATION REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGE

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SNodeModificationRequestAcknowledge ::= SEQUENCE {

protocolIEs ProtocolIE-Container {{ SNodeModificationRequestAcknowledge-IEs}},

...

}

SNodeModificationRequestAcknowledge-IEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-IES ::= {

{ ID id-M-NG-RANnodeUEXnAPID CRITICALITY ignore TYPE NG-RANnodeUEXnAPID PRESENCE mandatory}|

{ ID id-S-NG-RANnodeUEXnAPID CRITICALITY ignore TYPE NG-RANnodeUEXnAPID PRESENCE mandatory}|

{ ID id-PDUSessionAdmitted-SNModResponse CRITICALITY ignore TYPE PDUSessionAdmitted-SNModResponse PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-PDUSessionNotAdmitted-SNModResponse CRITICALITY ignore TYPE PDUSessionNotAdmitted-SNModResponse PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-SN-to-MN-Container CRITICALITY ignore TYPE OCTET STRING PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-admittedSplitSRB CRITICALITY ignore TYPE SplitSRBsTypes PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-admittedSplitSRBrelease CRITICALITY ignore TYPE SplitSRBsTypes PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-CriticalityDiagnostics CRITICALITY ignore TYPE CriticalityDiagnostics PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-LocationInformationSN CRITICALITY ignore TYPE Target-CGI PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-MR-DC-ResourceCoordinationInfo CRITICALITY ignore TYPE MR-DC-ResourceCoordinationInfo PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-PDUSessionDataForwarding-SNModResponse CRITICALITY ignore TYPE PDUSessionDataForwarding-SNModResponse PRESENCE optional }|

{ ID id-RRCConfigIndication CRITICALITY reject TYPE RRCConfigIndication PRESENCE optional },

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}

PDUSessionAdmitted-SNModResponse ::= SEQUENCE {

pduSessionResourcesAdmittedToBeAdded PDUSessionAdmittedToBeAddedSNModResponse OPTIONAL,

pduSessionResourcesAdmittedToBeModified PDUSessionAdmittedToBeModifiedSNModResponse OPTIONAL,

pduSessionResourcesAdmittedToBeReleased PDUSessionAdmittedToBeReleasedSNModResponse OPTIONAL,

iE-Extension ProtocolExtensionContainer { {PDUSessionAdmitted-SNModResponse-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

...

}

PDUSessionAdmitted-SNModResponse-ExtIEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeAddedSNModResponse ::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofPDUSessions)) OF PDUSessionAdmittedToBeAddedSNModResponse-Item

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeAddedSNModResponse-Item ::= SEQUENCE {

pduSessionId PDUSession-ID,

sn-terminated PDUSessionResourceSetupResponseInfo-SNterminated OPTIONAL,

mn-terminated PDUSessionResourceSetupResponseInfo-MNterminated OPTIONAL,

-- NOTE: If neither the *PDU Session Resource Setup Response Info – SN terminated* IE

-- nor the *PDU Session Resource Setup Response Info – MN terminated* IE is present,

-- abnormal conditions as specified in clause 8.3.3.4 apply.

iE-Extension ProtocolExtensionContainer { {PDUSessionAdmittedToBeAddedSNModResponse-Item-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

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}

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeAddedSNModResponse-Item-ExtIEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeModifiedSNModResponse::= SEQUENCE (SIZE(1..maxnoofPDUSessions)) OF PDUSessionAdmittedToBeModifiedSNModResponse-Item

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeModifiedSNModResponse-Item ::= SEQUENCE {

pduSessionId PDUSession-ID,

sn-terminated PDUSessionResourceModificationResponseInfo-SNterminated OPTIONAL,

mn-terminated PDUSessionResourceModificationResponseInfo-MNterminated OPTIONAL,

-- NOTE: If neither the *PDU Session Resource Modification Response Info – SN terminated* IE

-- nor the *PDU Session Resource Modification Response Info – MN terminated* IE is present,

-- abnormal conditions as specified in clause 8.3.3.4 apply.

iE-Extension ProtocolExtensionContainer { {PDUSessionAdmittedToBeModifiedSNModResponse-Item-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

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}

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeModifiedSNModResponse-Item-ExtIEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

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}

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeReleasedSNModResponse ::= SEQUENCE {

sn-terminated PDUSession-List-withDataForwardingRequest OPTIONAL,

mn-terminated PDUSession-List-withCause OPTIONAL,

iE-Extension ProtocolExtensionContainer { {PDUSessionAdmittedToBeReleasedSNModResponse-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

...

}

PDUSessionAdmittedToBeReleasedSNModResponse-ExtIEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

...

}

PDUSessionNotAdmitted-SNModResponse ::= SEQUENCE {

pdu-Session-List PDUSession-List OPTIONAL,

iE-Extension ProtocolExtensionContainer { {PDUSessionNotAdmitted-SNModResponse-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

...

}

PDUSessionNotAdmitted-SNModResponse-ExtIEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

{ ID id-PDUSessionResourcesNotAdmitted-List CRITICALITY ignore TYPE PDUSessionResourcesNotAdmitted-List PRESENCE optional },

...

}

PDUSessionDataForwarding-SNModResponse ::= SEQUENCE {

sn-terminated PDUSession-List-withDataForwardingRequest,

iE-Extensions ProtocolExtensionContainer { {PDUSessionDataForwarding-SNModResponse-ExtIEs} } OPTIONAL,

...

}

PDUSessionDataForwarding-SNModResponse-ExtIEs XNAP-PROTOCOL-EXTENSION ::= {

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}

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