**3GPP TSG-SA3 Meeting #105-e *draft\_S3-213814-r2***

e-meeting, 8 - 19 November 2021

**Title: Reply LS on Using N32 for interconnect scenarios**

**Response to: LS S3-213814 on Using N32 for interconnect scenarios from CT4**

**Release: Rel-17**

**Work Item: TEI17**

**Source: SA3#105e**

**To: CT4**

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**Attachments:** XXX

# 1 Overall description

SA3 thanks CT4 for their LS on using N32 for interconnect scenarios. SA3 agrees it should be addressed in TS 33.501 that N32 security not only applies for roaming but also for interconnect. This is addressed by a CR in S3-21XXXX (revision S3-214195-r3).

Regarding the solutions proposed, SA3 thinks it is not a security related discussion, which solution to follow and therefore suggests that CT4 makes this decision.

# 2 Actions

**To SA3**

**ACTION:** SA3 asks CT4 to take this information into account.

# 3 Dates of next TSG SA WG 3 meetings

SA3#106 7-11 February 2022 online

SA3#106-Bis 4 - 8 April 2022 online