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**Title:** Draft Reply LS on USAT initiated GBA\_U Bootstrap  
**Response to:** LS on USAT initiated GBA\_U Bootstrap (S3-040710)  
**Release:** Rel-6  
**Work Item:** SEC1-SC

**Source:** SA3  
**To:** T3

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## 1. Overall Description

SA3 thank T3 for their liaison on USAT initiated GBA\_U Bootstrap.

SA3 have discussed the security use cases of T3 liaison and would like to inform T3 with the following considerations:

- Currently, bootstrapping procedure is not linked to ME initialisation but triggered on an application request basis.
- GBA\_U, as part of GBA, is intended to provide a generic framework that could be used by any applications in the UE and in the Network.

In this context, the proposal in the T3 LS is justified. However, SA3 cannot comment on the details of the proposal attached in the T3 liaison.

On the other hand, some SA3 members clearly stated that the proposed USAT initiated GBA\_U Bootstrap should not be mandated for implementation.

## 2. Actions

**ACTION:** SA3 kindly asks T3 to consider the response given below for further progress in this issue in order to implement the involved functionality within Rel-6 time frame.

## 3. Date of Next TSG-SA3 Meetings

SA3#36	23 - 26 November 2004	Shenzhen, China
SA3#37	21 - 25 February 2005	Sophia Antipolis, France