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| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **24.301** | **CR** | **3622** | **rev** | **1** | **Current version:** | **17.4.1** |  |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME | **X** | Radio Access Network |  | Core Network |  |

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| ***Title:*** | EPS bearer identity to use for 3GPP PS data off | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | OPPO | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | TEI17 | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2021-11-16 |
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| ***Category:*** | **F** |  | | | | | ***Release:*** | | | Rel-17 |
|  | *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-15 (Release 15) Rel-16 (Release 16) Rel-17 (Release 17) Rel-18 (Release 18)* | |
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| ***Reason for change:*** | | When a UE wishes to turn off/on 3GPP PS data, the UE sends to the network the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message with the "3GPP PS data off UE status" indicated in the PCO IE within that BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message.  However, the bearer resource modification procedure is for default and dedicated EPS bearers and in subclause for that procedure it is not indicated which EBI the UE should indicate when wishing to change the status of the 3GPP PS data off UE status.  Also it is ambiguous whether the EBI should be in the "EPS bearer identity IE" or the "EPS bearer identity for packet filter IE".  Because the request to turn off/on 3GPP PS data UE status is UE initiated transactional procedure, the EPS bearer identity IE of the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message need to be set to "no EPS bearer identity assigned", see TS 24.301, subclause 6.3.2. Thus for the request to turn off/on 3GPP PS data UE status, the EPS bearer identity for packet filter IE need to indicate the associated PDN connection, i.e the EBI of the default EPS bearer context.  This CR proposes to unambigiously indicate that the EBI for the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message for turning 3GPP PS data off UE status shall be that of the default EPS bearer of the (entire) PDN connection, and that EBI is to be indicated in the EPS bearer identity for packet filter IE. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | The EBI to be indicated in the EPS bearer identity for packet filter IE, is that of the default EPS bearer context associated with the PDN connection for which 3GPP PS data off UE status is to be changed | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | The incorrect EBI could be set in the wrong IE.  Implementers remain uncertain which EBI to indicate in bearer resource modification when UE wishes to changes the status of 3GPP PS data. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 6.5.4.2 | | | | | | | | |
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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:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

\* \* \* First change \* \* \*

#### 6.5.4.2 UE requested bearer resource modification procedure initiation

In order to request the modification of bearer resources for one traffic flow aggregate, the UE shall send a BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message to the MME, start timer T3481 and enter the state PROCEDURE TRANSACTION PENDING (see example in figure 6.5.4.2.1).

The UE shall include the EPS bearer identity of the EPS bearer associated with the traffic flow aggregate in the EPS bearer identity for packet filter IE.

To request a change of the GBR without changing the packet filter(s), the UE shall set the TFT operation code in the Traffic flow aggregate IE to "no TFT operation" and include the packet filter identifier(s) to which the change of the GBR applies in the Packet filter identifier parameter in the parameters list. The UE shall indicate the new GBR requested for the EPS bearer context in the Required traffic flow QoS IE.

To request a modification of a traffic flow aggregate, the UE shall set the TFT operation code in the Traffic flow aggregate IE to "Replace packet filters in existing TFT" or "Add packet filters to existing TFT". If the TFT operation code is set to "Add packet filters to existing TFT", the UE shall include in the parameter list one existing packet filter identifier to which the newly added packet filter(s) is linked. If the EPS bearer is a GBR bearer and the UE also wishes to request a change of GBR, the UE shall indicate the new GBR requested for the EPS bearer context in the Required traffic flow QoS IE.

To request a release of bearer resources, the UE shall set the TFT operation code in the Traffic flow aggregate IE to "Delete packet filters from existing TFT". If the EPS bearer is a GBR bearer and the UE does not request the release of all bearer resources, the UE shall indicate the new GBR requested for the EPS bearer context in the Required traffic flow QoS IE.

To request re-negotiation of header compression configuration associated to an EPS bearer context, the UE shall include the Header compression configuration IE in the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message if the network indicated "Control plane CIoT EPS optimization supported" and "Header compression for control plane CIoT EPS optimization supported" in the EPS network feature support IE.

After an inter-system change from N1 mode to S1 mode, if:

a) the UE is operating in single-registration mode and has received the interworking without N26 interface indicator set to "interworking without N26 interface not supported" from the network;

b) the PDN type value of the PDN type IE is set to "IPv4", "IPv6" or "IPv4v6";

c) the UE indicates "Control plane CIoT EPS optimization supported" and "Header compression for control plane CIoT EPS optimization supported" in the UE network capability IE of the TRACKING AREA UPDATE REQUEST message; and

d) the network indicates "Control plane CIoT EPS optimization supported" and "Header compression for control plane CIoT EPS optimization supported" in the EPS network feature support IE of the TRACKING AREA UPDATE ACCEPT message;

the UE shall send a BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message to the MME and include the Header compression configuration IE to negotiate the header compression configuration.

To indicate a change of 3GPP PS data off UE status associated to a PDN connection, the UE shall include the protocol configuration options IE in the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message and set the 3GPP PS data off UE status only if:

- the network included the 3GPP PS data off support indication in the protocol configuration options IE in the ACTIVATE DEFAULT EPS BEARER CONTEXT REQUEST message when the PDN connection was established; or

- the PDU session was established when in N1 mode.

In the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message, the UE shall indicate in the EPS bearer identity for packet filter IE, the EPS bearer identity of the default EPS bearer context of the PDN connection for which the UE wishes a change of the 3GPP PS data off UE status.

The UE behaves as described in clause 6.3.10.

If the UE requests the modification of a traffic flow aggregate, which is assigned to a dedicated EPS bearer context, it shall ensure that at least one packet filter applicable for the uplink direction remains among the packet filters created on request from the UE in that TFT, or no own packet filters.

NOTE: If the UE requests the release of all bearer resources of a GBR bearer and includes a Required traffic flow QoS IE in the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message, the network ignores the Required traffic flow QoS IE.

If the UE includes the Required traffic flow QoS IE, the UE shall set the QCI to the current QCI value of the EPS bearer context.

If the UE requests the release of bearer resources, the ESM cause value typically indicates one of the following:

#36: regular deactivation.

To perform C2 authorization of UAV operation for the C2 communication when a PDN connection is already established for the USS communication, the UE shall include the extended protocol configuration options IE in the BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message containing the C2 aviation container with the length of two octets (or service-level AA container with the length of two octets). In the C2 aviation container with the length of two octets (or service-level AA container with the length of two octets), the UE:

- shall include CAA-level UAV ID of the UE;

- if available, shall include the identification information of UAV-C to pair; and

- may include the flight authorization information.

NOTE: The CAA-Level UAV ID, pairing information and flight authorization information are coded as described in 3GPP TS 24.501 [54].

Editor's note: Whether the new C2 aviation container with the length of two octets is adopted for C2 authorization or the service-level AA container with the length of two octets is re-used, is FFS.

Editor's note: Whether the identification information of UAV-C to pair is mandatory or optional if it is available is FFS.



Figure 6.5.4.2.1: UE requested bearer resource modification procedure

For the NBIFOM procedures as defined in 3GPP TS 24.161 [36], the UE may send a BEARER RESOURCE MODIFICATION REQUEST message to the MME.

It is possible that the traffic flow aggregate IE is not needed in the following procedures:

- re-negotiation of header compression configuration associated to an EPS bearer context;

- indicating a change of 3GPP PS data off UE status associated to a PDN connection; or

- NBIFOM procedures.

If the traffic flow aggregate IE is not needed, the UE shall set:

- the length indicator of the Traffic flow aggregate IE to the value 1;

- the TFT operation code to "000";

- the E bit to zero; and

- the number of packet filters to zero.

\* \* \* End of Changes \* \* \*