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|  | **29.549** | **CR** | **0034** | **rev** | **-** | **Current version:** | **17.2.0** |  |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME |  | Radio Access Network |  | Core Network | **X** |

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| ***Title:*** | Group Management enhancement for 5G-VN groups | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Ericsson | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | CT3 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | eSEAL | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2021-09-28 |
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| ***Category:*** | **B** |  | | | | | ***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:*** | | The approved TS 23.434 CR 0039r2 and CR0052r1 specify the enhanement of 5G VN Group Management introducing more Group Management configuration parameters to be added in this specification to be align with stage 2 specification. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | Adding new attribute in data type VALGroupDocument, to support 5G LAN-Type communication reusing PduSessionType defined in TS 29.571.  Adding NOTE of group management server maintains mapping between DNN and S-NSSAI of the 5GVN group and the VAL server requester identity based on operator policy. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | Misalignment with stage 2, cannot support 5G LAN Type communication for Group Management configuration. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 2, 5.3.1.2.3.2, 5.3.1.2.4.2, 5.3.1.2.5.2, 7.2.1.4.1, 7.2.1.4.2.2, A.3 | | | | | | | | |
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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:*** | | This CR introduces backward compatible feature into the OpenAPI file applicable to SS\_GroupManagement API. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***This CR's revision history:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

**Additional discussion(if needed):**

**Proposed changes:**

\*\*\* 1st Change \*\*\*

# 2 References

The following documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of the present document.

- References are either specific (identified by date of publication, edition number, version number, etc.) or non‑specific.

- For a specific reference, subsequent revisions do not apply.

- For a non-specific reference, the latest version applies. In the case of a reference to a 3GPP document (including a GSM document), a non-specific reference implicitly refers to the latest version of that document *in the same Release as the present document*.

[1] 3GPP TR 21.905: "Vocabulary for 3GPP Specifications".

[2] 3GPP TS 23.434: "Service Enabler Architecture Layer for Verticals (SEAL); Functional architecture and information flows".

[3] 3GPP TS 29.122: "T8 reference point for Northbound Application Programming Interfaces (APIs)".

[4] IETF RFC 6455: "The Websocket Protocol".

[5] IETF RFC 7230: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP/1.1): Message Syntax and Routing".

[6] IETF RFC 7231: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP/1.1): Semantics and Content".

[7] IETF RFC 7232: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP/1.1): Conditional Requests".

[8] IETF RFC 7233: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP/1.1): Range Requests".

[9] IETF RFC 7234: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP/1.1): Caching".

[10] IETF RFC 7235: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP/1.1): Authentication".

[11] IETF RFC 5246: "The Transport Layer Security (TLS) Protocol Version 1.2".

[12] IETF RFC 7540: "Hypertext Transfer Protocol Version 2 (HTTP/2)".

[13] IETF RFC 8259: "The JavaScript Object Notation (JSON) Data Interchange Format".

[14] 3GPP TS 29.501: "5G System; Principles and Guidelines for Services Definition; Stage 3".

[15] Open API: "OpenAPI Specification Version 3.0.0", <https://spec.openapis.org/oas/v3.0.0>.

[16] 3GPP TS 29.222: "Common API Framework for 3GPP Northbound APIs; Stage 3”.

[17] 3GPP TS 23.222: "Common API Framework for 3GPP Northbound APIs; Stage 2”.

[18] 3GPP TS 33.122: "Security Aspects of Common API Framework for 3GPP Northbound APIs".

[19] IETF RFC 6749: "The OAuth 2.0 Authorization Framework".

[20] 3GPP TS 29.523: "5G System; Policy Control Event Exposure Service; Stage 3".

[21] 3GPP TS 29.571: "5G System; Common Data Types for Service Based Interfaces; Stage 3".

[22] 3GPP TS 29.500: "5G System; Technical Realization of Service Based Architecture; Stage 3".

[23] 3GPP TS 29.468: "Group Communication System Enablers for LTE (GCSE\_LTE); MB2 reference point; Stage 3".

[24] 3GPP TR 21.900: "Technical Specification Group working methods".

[25] 3GPP TS 33.210: "3G security; Network Domain Security (NDS); IP network layer security".

[26] 3GPP TS 33.434: "Service Enabler Architecture Layer for Verticals (SEAL); Security Aspects".

[m] 3GPP TS 29.522: "5G System; Network Exposure Function Northbound APIs; Stage 3".

\*\*\* 2nd Change \*\*\*

###### 5.3.1.2.3.2 VAL server modifying group membership and configuration using Update\_Group\_Info service operation

To modify group information of a VAL group, the VAL server shall send HTTP PUT message to the group management server to the Resource URI identifying the VAL group document resource representation, as specified in the clause 7.2.1.2.3.3.2. This request shall not replace valGroupId property in the existing resource. Upon receiving the HTTP PUT message, the group management server shall:

1. verify the identity of the VAL server and check if the VAL server is authorized to modify VAL group information;

2. verify that valGroupId in the request is same as valGroupId of the VAL group document resource;

3. if the VAL server is authorized to modify the group information and the valGroupId matches, then the group management server shall;

a. if the group configuration information in the request is valid, update the resource identified by the Resource URI of the group document with group members list and group configuration information received in the request;

b. if the group document information in the request includes 5G LAN-Type communication, invoke the 5GLANParameterProvision API towards the NEF via an HTTP PUT/PATCH message as defined in clause 4.4.15.3 of 3GPP TS 29.522 [m].

c. return a 200 OK status code with the updated VAL group document in the response or a 204 No Content status code.

NOTE: The group management server maintains a mapping between DNN and S-NSSAI of the 5GVN group and the VAL server requester identity based on operator policy. How such mapping is configured is implementation specific and out of the scope of this specification.

\*\*\* 3rd Change \*\*\*

###### 5.3.1.2.4.2 VAL server creating new group using Create\_Group service operation

To create a VAL group, the VAL server shall send a HTTP POST message to the group management server. The body of the POST message shall include VAL group document information as specified in clause 7.2.1.2.2.3.1. Upon receiving HTTP POST message, the group management server shall

1. verify the identity of the VAL server and check if the VAL server is authorized to create VAL group document;

2. if the VAL group document information in the request includes location criteria, shall obtain the list of VAL users or VAL UEs within the requested location criteria information from the Location Management server and include them in VAL group members of the new VAL group;

3. if the VAL group document information in the request includes 5G LAN-Type communication, invoke the 5GLANParameterProvision API towards the NEF via an HTTP POST message as defined in clause 4.4.15.2 of 3GPP TS 29.522 [m].

4. if the VAL server is authorized to create VAL group document, shall create a new resource as defined in 7.2.1.2.2.3.1 and return the VAL group document and its Resource URI in the response message.

NOTE: The group management server maintains a mapping between DNN and S-NSSAI of the 5GVN group and the VAL server requester identity based on operator policy. How such mapping is configured is implementation specific and out of the scope of this specification.

\*\*\* 4th Change \*\*\*

###### 5.3.1.2.5.2 VAL server deleting VAL group using Delete\_Group service operation

To delete a VAL group, the VAL server shall send a HTTP DELETE message to the Group Management server to its resource representation in the Group Management server as specified in clause 7.2.1.2.3.3.3. Upon receiving HTTP DELETE message, the Group Management server shall:

1. verify the identity of the VAL server and check if the VAL server is authorized to delete the VAL group document;

2. if the VAL server is authorized to delete the VAL group document, the Group Management server shall

a. if the group communication type is 5GLAN communication, invoke the 5GLANParameterProvision API towards the NEF via an HTTP DELETE message as defined in clause 4.4.15.4 of 3GPP TS 29.522 [m].

b. delete the resource representation pointed by the group document resource identifier.

\*\*\* 5th Change \*\*\*

##### 7.2.1.4.1 General

This clause specifies the application data model supported by the API. Data types listed in clause 6.2 apply to this API

Table 7.2.1.4.1-1 specifies the data types defined specifically for the SS\_GroupManagement API service.

Table 7.2.1.4.1-1: SS\_GroupManagement API specific Data Types

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Data type | Section defined | Description | Applicability |
| VALGroupDoument | 7.2.1.4.2.2 | VAL group document details. |  |

Table 7.2.1.4.1-2 specifies data types re-used by the SS\_GroupManagement API service.

Table 7.2.1.4.1-2: Re-used Data Types

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Data type | Reference | Comments | Applicability |
| SupportedFeatures | 3GPP TS 29.571 [21] | Used to negotiate the applicability of optional features defined in table 7.2.1.6-1. |  |
| LocationInfo | 3GPP TS 29.122 [3] | The location information related to VAL group. |  |
| ValTargetUe | Clause 7.3.1.4.2.3 | Used to indicate either VAL User ID or VAL UE ID, to which location reporting applies. |  |
| LocationArea5G | 3GPP TS 29.122 [3] | The locations information related to the VAL group. |  |
| ExternalGroupId | 3GPP TS 29.122 [3] | Used to represent the the external group identifier related to the member UEs of the group. |  |
| PduSessionType | 3GPP TS 29.571 [21] | Identifies PDU Session Type. |  |

\*\*\* 6th Change \*\*\*

###### 7.2.1.4.2.2 Type: VALGroupDocument

Table 7.2.1.4.2.2-1: Definition of type VALGroupDocument

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Attribute name | Data type | P | Cardinality | Description | Applicability |
| valGroupId | string | M | 1 | This is VAL group identity (VAL group ID) as per TS 23.434 [2], which is a unique identifier within the VAL service that represents a VAL group, set of VAL users or VAL UEs according to the VAL service. |  |
| grpDesc | string | O | 0..1 | Text description of the VAL group. |  |
| members | array(ValTrgetUe) | O | 1..N | List of VAL User IDs or VAL UE IDs, which are members of the VAL group. |  |
| valGrpConf | string | O | 0..1 | Configuration data for the VAL group.  Shall be present in HTTP POST request message from VAL server to Group Management server. |  |
| valServiceIds | array(string) | O | 1..N | List of VAL services whose communications enabled on the group. |  |
| suppFeat | SupportedFeatures | O | 0..1 | Used to negotiate the supported optional features of the API as described in clause 6.8.  This attribute shall be provided in the HTTP POST request and in the response of successful resource creation. |  |
| resUri | Uri | O | 0..1 | The URI for individual VAL group document resource. (NOTE 1) |  |
| locInfo | LocationInfo | O | 0..1 | The location information related to the VAL group. This information is used to determine the members of the group. |  |
| addLocInfo | LocationArea5G | O | 0..1 | The additional location information related to the VAL group. This information is used to determing the members of the group. |  |
| extGrpId | ExternalGroupId | O | 0..1 | The external group identifier, identifying the member UEs of the VAL group at the 3GPP core network. |  |
| com5GLanType | PduSessionType | O | 0..1 | Identifies the 5G LAN-Type communication. (NOTE m) |  |
| NOTE 1: The “resUri” attribute is not modifiable by the VAL server.  NOTE m: The enumeration value "UNSTRUCTURED" in data type "PduSessionType" is not applicable. | | | | | |

\*\*\* 7th Change \*\*\*

## A.3 SS\_GroupManagement API

openapi: 3.0.0

info:

title: SS\_GroupManagement

description: |

API for SEAL Group management.

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version: "1.1.0-alpha.3"

externalDocs:

description: 3GPP TS 29.549 V17.2.0 Service Enabler Architecture Layer for Verticals (SEAL); Application Programming Interface (API) specification; Stage 3.

url: http://www.3gpp.org/ftp/Specs/archive/29\_series/29.549/

security:

- {}

- oAuth2ClientCredentials: []

servers:

- url: '{apiRoot}/ss-gm/v1'

variables:

apiRoot:

default: https://example.com

description: apiRoot as defined in clause 6.5 of 3GPP TS 29.549

paths:

/group-documents:

post:

description: Creates a new VAL group document.

requestBody:

required: true

content:

application/json:

schema:

$ref: '#/components/schemas/VALGroupDocument'

responses:

'201':

description: VAL group created sucessfully.

content:

application/json:

schema:

$ref: '#/components/schemas/VALGroupDocument'

headers:

Location:

description: 'Contains the URI of the newly created resource'

required: true

schema:

type: string

'400':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/400'

'401':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/401'

'403':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/403'

'404':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/404'

'411':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/411'

'413':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/413'

'415':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/415'

'429':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/429'

'500':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/500'

'503':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/503'

default:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/default'

get:

description: Retrieves VAL group documents satisfying filter criteria

parameters:

- name: val-group-id

in: query

description: String identifying the VAL group.

schema:

type: string

- name: val-service-id

in: query

description: String identifying the Val service.

schema:

type: string

responses:

'200':

description: List of VAL group documents matching the query parameters in the request.

content:

application/json:

schema:

type: array

items:

$ref: '#/components/schemas/VALGroupDocument'

minItems: 0

'307':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/307'

'308':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/308'

'400':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/400'

'401':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/401'

'403':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/403'

'404':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/404'

'406':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/404'

'429':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/429'

'500':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/500'

'503':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/503'

default:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/default'

/group-documents/{groupDocId}:

get:

description: Retrieves VAL group information satisfying filter criteria.

parameters:

- name: groupDocId

in: path

description: String identifying an individual VAL group document resource.

required: true

schema:

type: string

- name: group-members

in: query

description: When set to true indicates the group management server to send the members list information of the VAL group.

schema:

type: boolean

- name: group-configuration

in: query

description: When set to true indicates the group management server to send the group configuration information of the VAL group.

schema:

type: boolean

responses:

'200':

description: The VAL group information based on the request from the VAL server. Includes VAL group members list if group-members flag is set to true in the request, VAL group configuration information if the group-configuration flag is set to true in the request, VAL group identifier, whole VAL group document resource if both group-members and group-configuration flags are omitted/set to false in the request.

content:

application/json:

schema:

$ref: '#/components/schemas/VALGroupDocument'

'307':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/307'

'308':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/308'

'400':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/400'

'401':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/401'

'403':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/403'

'404':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/404'

'406':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/404'

'429':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/429'

'500':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/500'

'503':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/503'

default:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/default'

put:

description: Updates an individual VAL group document.

parameters:

- name: groupDocId

in: path

description: String identifying an individual VAL group document resource

required: true

schema:

type: string

requestBody:

description: VAL group document to be updated in Group management server.

required: true

content:

application/json:

schema:

$ref: '#/components/schemas/VALGroupDocument'

responses:

'200':

description: VAL group document updated successfully.

content:

application/json:

schema:

$ref: '#/components/schemas/VALGroupDocument'

'204':

description: No Content

'307':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/307'

'308':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/308'

'400':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/400'

'401':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/401'

'403':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/403'

'404':

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'411':

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'413':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/413'

'415':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/415'

'429':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/429'

'500':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/500'

'503':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/503'

default:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/default'

delete:

description: Deletes a VAL Group.

parameters:

- name: groupDocId

in: path

description: String identifying an individual VAL group document resource.

required: true

schema:

type: string

responses:

'204':

description: The individual VAL group matching groupDocId was deleted.

'307':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/307'

'308':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/308'

'400':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/400'

'401':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/401'

'403':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/403'

'404':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/404'

'429':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/429'

'500':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/500'

'503':

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/503'

default:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/responses/default'

components:

securitySchemes:

oAuth2ClientCredentials:

type: oauth2

flows:

clientCredentials:

tokenUrl: '{tokenUrl}'

scopes: {}

schemas:

VALGroupDocument:

description: Represents details of the VAL group document information.

type: object

properties:

valGroupId:

type: string

description: The VAL group idenitity.

grpDesc:

type: string

description: The text description of the VAL group.

members:

type: array

description: The list of VAL User IDs or VAL UE IDs, which are members of the VAL group.

items:

$ref: 'TS29549\_SS\_UserProfileRetrieval.yaml#/components/schemas/ValTargetUe'

minItems: 1

valGrpConf:

type: string

description: Configuration data for the VAL group.

valServiceIds:

type: array

description: The list of VAL services enabled on the group.

items:

type: string

minItems: 1

suppFeat:

$ref: 'TS29571\_CommonData.yaml#/components/schemas/SupportedFeatures'

resUri:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/schemas/Uri'

locInfo:

$ref: 'TS29122\_MonitoringEvent.yaml#/components/schemas/LocationInfo'

addLocInfo:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/schemas/LocationArea5G'

extGrpId:

$ref: 'TS29122\_CommonData.yaml#/components/schemas/ExternalGroupId'

com5GLanType:

$ref: 'TS29571\_CommonData.yaml#/components/schemas/PduSessionType'

required:

- valGroupId

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