**3GPP TSG-CT WG1 Meeting #133e-bisC1-220668**

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| **CHANGE REQUEST** | | | | | | | | |
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|  | **24.193** | **CR** | **0075** | **rev** | **-** | **Current version:** | **17.3.0** |  |
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| ***Proposed change affects:*** | UICC apps |  | ME | **X** | Radio Access Network |  | Core Network | **X** |

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| ***Title:*** | ATSSS parameters provisioned and modified through EPS procedure - 24193 Part | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Source to WG:*** | Mediatek Inc. | | | | | | | | | |
| ***Source to TSG:*** | C1 | | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Work item code:*** | ATSSS\_Ph2 | | | | |  | ***Date:*** | | | 2022-01-07 |
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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:*** | | Enable the network to update ATSSS parameters by EPS modification procedure. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Summary of change:*** | | Enable the network to update ATSSS parameters by EPS modification procedure. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Consequences if not approved:*** | | Network is not able to update ATSSS parameters by EPS modification procedure. | | | | | | | | |
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| ***Clauses affected:*** | | 4.4, 5.3.C (new) | | | | | | | | |
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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:*** | |  | | | | | | | | |

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## 4.4 Support of access performance measurements

The ATSSS capable UE can perform access performance measurements to decide how to distribute traffic over 3GPP access and non-3GPP access. The access performance measurements can be performed by using the QoS flow(s) of default QoS rule. Based on the UE capability that the UE has indicated to the network, the access performance measurements can also be performed by using the QoS flows of non-default QoS rules.

An ATSSS capable UE receives MAI from the SMF during the PDU session establishment procedure for an MA PDU session as described in clause 5.32.5 of 3GPP TS 23.501 [2], during a network-requested PDU session modification procedure as specified in clause 6.3.2 of 3GPP TS 24.501 [6], during UE requested PDN connectivity procedure according to clause 6.5.1 of 3GPP TS 24.301 [10] or during EPS bearer context modification procedure according to clause 6.4.3 of 3GPP TS 24.301 [10]. The MAI can contain the addressing information of the PMF in the UPF, as well as an indicator on whether access availability/unavailability reports need to be sent to the network. If the UE indicates to the network the capability to perform the access performance measurements by using the QoS flows of non-default QoS rules, the MAI can also indicate to the UE that the performance measurement is for the QoS flows of non-default QoS rules and therefore include a QoS flow list for which, the measurements are to be performed. The encoding of the MAI is specified in clause 6.1.5.

An ATSSS capable UE that supports the MPTCP steering functionality can use the measurements available at the MPTCP layer.

The following PMF protocol messages can be exchanged between the PMF in the UE and the PMF in the UPF:

a) messages for RTT measurements, only applicable for the ATSSS-LL steering functionality;

b) messages for reporting access availability/unavailability by the UE to the UPF;

c) messages for PLR measurements, only applicable for the ATSSS-LL steering functionality; or

d) messages for UAD provisioning from the UE to the UPF.

An ATSSS capable UE does not apply the ATSSS rules to the PMF protocol messages.

The performance measurement function protocol procedures are specified with following procedures:

a) UE-initiated RTT measurement (see clause 5.4.3);

b) Network-initiated RTT measurement (see clause 5.4.4);

c) UE-initiated PLR measurement (see clause 5.4.6);

d) Network-initiated PLR measurement (see clause 5.4.7);

e) UE assistance data provisioning procedure (see clause 5.4.8); and

f) The access availability/unavailability procedures (see clause 5.4.5)

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### 5.3.C Updating ATSSS parameters

A PGW-C+SMF may update ATSSS parameters as specified in clause 5.2.4 and include the updated MAI in the extended protocol configuration options IE with the ATSSS response with the length of two octets PCO parameter. The updated MAI in the extended protocol configuration options IE with the ATSSS response with the length of two octets PCO parameter is sent to the UE during the EPS bearer context modification according to clause 6.4.3 of 3GPP TS 24.301 [10].

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