**3GPP TSG RAN WG2#117-e R2-220xxxx**

**Online, 21 February – 03 March 2022**

Title: Reply LS on the Length of MBS Service Area Identity

Response to: R2-2203727(S2-2201517) Reply LS on MBS Service Area Identity and start procedure for broadcast service

Release: Rel-17

Work Item: NR\_MBS-Core

Source: CATT (to be RAN2)

To: SA2

Cc: RAN3,SA4

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Attachments: None

**1. Overall Description:**

RAN2 thanks SA2 for the reply LS on MBS Service Area Identity and start procedure for broadcast service. RAN2 discussed the LS and would like to provide the following feedback on the issue which requires RAN2 confirmation (i.e. to make final decision on the length of MBS FSA ID).

**On the question:**

RAN2 to confirm the length of MBS FSA ID suggested by SA2.

**RAN2 response:**

RAN2 confirms that the length of MBS FSA ID is 3 bytes.

**2. Actions:**

**To SA2:**

**ACTION:** RAN2 kindly asks SA2 to take the above information into account.

**3. Date of Next TSG RAN WG2 Meeting:**

TSG-RAN2 Meeting #118e May 16 - 27, 2022 Online