

Agenda Item: 20

Title: Response to LS on Uu protocol information for Relocation of SRNS

To: Iu SWG of TSG RAN WG3

Source: TSG RAN WG2

RAN WG2 would like to thank the Iu SWG of RAN WG3 for the clarification regarding transfer of radio protocol information during relocation of SRNS.

R2 is glad to announce that among the two options that were given, it has selected the second approach, which involves the insertion of bitstring in the RANAP transparent container. In the current understanding of R2 this means that the encoding rules of the information contained in the bitstring are to be defined in the R2 specification.

The contents of the bitstring will be defined in 25.331 (RRC Protocol Specification). The scope of the specification is adjusted accordingly. R2 is also responsible for the creation and maintenance of that information. As the container provided by R3 is transparent, the contents should have no impact to the work done in R3.