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Due to the sensitive nature of the SA3 Lawful Intercept documents, SA3-LI wishes to limit, from January 1, 2003, the subscriptions to the [ftp.3gpp.org/WG3\\_Security/TSG3\\_LI](ftp://ftp.3gpp.org/WG3_Security/TSG3_LI) document area and the LI e-mail list. The subscriptions will include those subscribers that have 3GPP or ETSI logins and passwords (e.g., anonymous access will no longer be accepted) and have been approved by one of the controllers of the list. The existing subscription list will continue into 2003. Documents will be available to those members on the subscription list.

This does not mean that there will be limits on the access to the final documents (as 33.106, 33.107, 33.108).

The reasons for limiting the access to the activities in the SA3LI group include:

For law enforcement, providers and the manufacturers there is a need to utilize operational examples during discussions. The examples are often sensitive. The examples might not apply to the legislation in each country but the participation of the entire group is needed to develop internationally acceptable solutions.

The discussions in the group are in certain respect personal views that after reflection of the whole group and the organizations back home might or might not result in a specification. The practice shows that participants from law enforcement, providers and the manufacturers are reluctant to contribute to optimize the solution if these inputs associated with interception are made public.

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