

NG GSG#252 Minutes

Virtual Meeting, Teams

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Introduction

Jerry Shih introduced the meeting as chair, Tom Van Pelt was the minute taker.

The meeting was reminded of the GSMA Antitrust policy and the importance of adhering to it.

The agenda was agreed, adding in a number of CRs distributed late.

The minutes of the previous meeting were agreed.

The open actions from previous meetings were discussed and all actions were considered closed.

An overview was given on the status of CRs and Contributions.

Note: all documents referred to are available at

<https://infocentre2.gsma.com/gp/wg/IR/RCC/Lists/Calendar/DispForm.aspx?ID=44>

RCC.71

Root CA for Chatbot Verification Signature (CR021), *Chris Drake, iconectiv*

The CR references the requirements proposed in CR002 as agreed by PDTF and proposes a technical realisation for those.

Some questions were asked for clarification, but no objections were raised against approving the CR. However, given its late distribution to the group, a 72h email approval will be required for its formal approval.

Conclusion:

CR021 will be subject to a 72h email approval

'iat' used in Chatbot Verification Signature (CR019), *Chris Drake, iconectiv*

The CR references the requirements proposed in CR006 as agreed by PDTF and proposes a technical realisation for those.

Some questions were asked for clarification, but no objections were raised against approving the CR. However, given its late distribution to the group, a 72h email approval will be required for its formal approval.

Conclusion:

CR019 will be subject to a 72h email approval

Automated Verification Authority Integration with MaaP Platform (CR020), *Chris Drake, iconectiv*

The CR references the requirements proposed in CR001 as agreed by PDTF and proposes a technical realisation for those by referring to the new NG.131 specification.

Some comments were raised regarding the reference to NG.131 requiring a revision. When that revision is available, a 72h email approval will be required for the formal approval of the CR.

Conclusion:

CR020 requires a revision. Once available that revision will be subject to a 72h email approval

Carousel Change (CR016), *Tom Van Pelt, GSMA*

The CR proposes a change to the UX when interacting with Rich Cards in a Carousel.

Due to absence of the company proposing the CR (Deutsche Telekom), the CR was discussed only informally.

Orange indicated that they had comments regarding the CR that had been raised to the PDTF chair, but that couldn't be progressed there because the CR had been agreed already. It was suggested that they raise them again to allow progressing the CR in the next GSG meeting (potentially after updates to clarify).

Action 252-01: Yann Gestraud to liaise with the PDTF chair to bring up comments again and ask to progress.

Conclusion:

No formal disposition on CR due to absence of its authors or replacement representatives. CR deferred to next meeting, but may need updates in PDTF to better clarify the user experience and make it more consistent.

Privacy Terms (CR017), *Tom Van Pelt, GSMA*

The CR proposes to add Privacy and data security terms to the Chatbot Information and to display them prominently and clarifies that when an element is not present in the Chatbot Information, it shouldn't be displayed to the user.

Due to absence of the company proposing the CR (Vodafone), the CR was discussed only informally. No comments or concerns were raised

Conclusion:

No formal disposition on CR due to absence of its authors or replacement representatives. Formal discussion of the CR deferred to next meeting.

RCC.07

Root CA for Chatbot Verification Signature (CR008R2), *Chris Drake, iconectiv*

The CR proposes a note to add a note to clarify that the use of X.509 certificates might be a way to realise the exchange of keys from VA to MNO allowing to trace back a key used for verification to a root certificate for that VA.

A small update was required because the proposed note seemed to contain normative text, resulting in a revision. An alternative where the formal procedure for working with certificates is defined in a dedicated section was deferred to a future CR.

No objections were raised against CR008R3

Conclusion:

CR008R3 was approved

'iat' used in Chatbot Verification Signature (CR007R2), *Chris Drake, iconectiv*

The CR proposes a technical realisation for the requirements proposed in CR006 that were agreed by PDTF. The proposal is to add the date of VA signature issuance as an optional field to the protected header of the JWS and relay it to the clients on the UNI as part of the Chatbot Information.

Several updates were required, most importantly to provide the update to section 3.6.3.2 describing the verification on the directory interface. All required updates were considered straightforward and were not expected to need further discussion. Therefore given that no formal objections were raised against the proposed approach, the revision will be subject to a 72-h email approval once it is available.

Conclusion:

CR007R2 requires a revision. Once available that revision will be subject to a 72h email approval

add CRS parameter to map action (CR018), *Liu Yue, China Mobile*

The CR proposes requirements to add a parameter to the Map Action JSON object indicating the coordinate reference system to which the provided coordinates refer.

It was raised that the possible values of the parameter were not defined and neither was their handling, resulting in potential divergence between implementations. Even if in some circumstances proprietary reference systems might be required due to the mapping applications used locally, one or more standard values and their relation to a coordinate reference model should be defined.

Action 252-02: Tom Van Pelt to work with China Mobile to clarify the solution for relaying a coordinate reference system as part of the Map Suggested Action in a future revision of CR018.

Conclusion:

CR018 requires a revision

NG.131

[RCS Verification Authority API Interfaces \(CONT008R2\)](#), *Chris Drake, iconectiv*

The contribution provides the initial content of a new PRD (NG.131) that defines an API for automating the brand verification process.

The contribution has been mostly stable for over a month with only a small update provided to clarify the normative character of the included statements.

A small wording update was suggested to section 1.6 to state that HTTPS is highly recommended avoiding the current "is mandated" wording which was considered confusing. No objections were raised to that change or to the revision as a whole.

Conclusion:

CONT008R3 was approved. The change from R3 should be included in NG.131 CR1001 which brings the same content and is subject to approval in NG and the ISAG.

Closure

Unless urgent topics come up, the next meeting will be likely on 11th February 2022 at part of the virtual NG subgroup meetings, subject to confirmation in the coming weeks.

Jerry Shih highlighted that the group is still looking for a deputy chair. Javier Sendin confirmed that that deputy chair should come from the non-operator community as required by AA.35.

The meeting was closed at 16:10 GMT.

Actions

Action no.	Related Doc no.	Description	Owner	Due Date
252-01	CR016	to liaise with the PDTF chair to bring up comments on CR016 again and ask to progress in the PDTF.	Yann Gestraud / Orange	25 th October 2021
252-02	CR018	to work with China Mobile to clarify the solution for relaying a coordinate reference system as part of the Map Suggested Action in a future revision of CR018	Tom Van Pelt / GSMA	28 th January 2022

Decisions

Decision no.	Description	Related Docs