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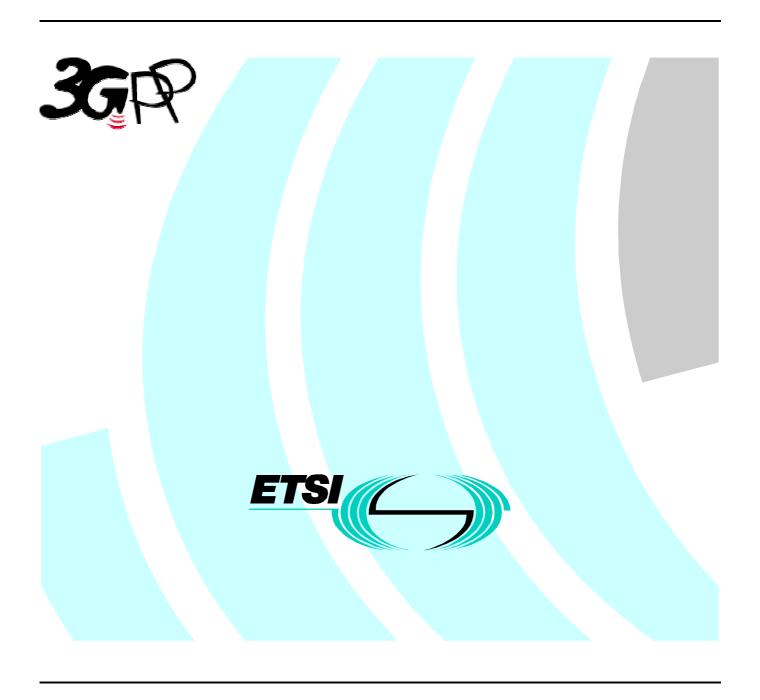
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1 Scope

The present document specifies the CORBA Solution Set (SS) for the IRP whose semantics is specified in Alarm IRP: Information Service (IS) (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13]).

Clause 1 to 3 provides background information. Clause 4 provides key architectural features supporting the SS. Clause 5 defines the mapping of operations, notification, parameters and attributes defined in IS to their SS equivalents. Clause 6 defines the usage of OMG CORBA Structured Event to carry information defined in notifications carrying alarm information. Clause 7 describes the notification interface containing the push method. Annex A contains the IDL specification.

2 References

The following documents contain provisions, which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of the present document.

- References are either specific (identified by date of publication, edition number, version number, etc.) or non-specific.
- For a specific reference, subsequent revisions do not apply.
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- [1] ITU-T Recommendation X.721: "Information technology Open Systems Interconnection Structure of management information: Definition of management information".
- [2] ITU-T Recommendation X.736: "Information technology Open Systems Interconnection Security Alarm Reporting Function".
- [3] ITU-T Recommendation X.732: "Information technology Open Systems Interconnection Relationship Management Function".
- [4] ITU-T Recommendation X.732: "Information technology Open Systems Interconnection State Management Function".
- [5] ITU-T Recommendation X.732: "Information technology Open Systems Interconnection Object Management Function".
- [6] OMG TC Document telecom/98-11-01: "OMG Notification Service".
- [7] OMG CORBA Services: "Common Object Services Specification, Update: November 22, 1996" (Clause 4 contains the Event Service specification).
- [8] 3GPP TS 32.106-8: "Name Convention for Managed Objects".
- [9] 3GPP TS 32.106-1: "3G Configuration Management: Concept and Requirements".
- [10] 3GPP TS 32.106-2: "Notification IRP: Information Service".
- [11] 3GPP TS 32.106-3: "Notification IRP: CORBA Solution Set".
- [11] ITU-T Recommendation X.735: "Information technology Open Systems Interconnection Systems Management: Log control function".
- [12] 3GPP TS 32.111-1: "3G Fault Management".
- [13] 3GPP TS 32.111-2: "Alarm Integration Reference Point: Information Service".
- [14] 3GPP TS 32.111-4: "Alarm Integration Reference Point: CMIP Solution Set".

3 Definitions and abbreviations

3.1 Definitions

In addition to the terms and definitions defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13], there are no additional definitions applicable to the present document.

3.2 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

CORBA Common Object Request Broker Architecture
IDL Interface Definition Language
IRP Integration Reference Point
MOC Managed Object Class
MOI Managed Object Instance
NE Network Element

OMG Object Management Group

TMN Telecommunications Management Network

UML Unified Model Language

3.3 IRP Solution Set version

The version of this CORBA SS is 1:1, where the first "1" indicates the version number of the Alarm IRP: IS (3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13]) and the second "1" indicates the version number of this document.

4 Architectural Features

The overall architectural feature of Alarm IRP is specified in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13]. This clause specifies features that are specific to the CORBA SS.

4.1 Notification Services

In implementations of CORBA SS, IRPAgent conveys Alarm Information to IRPManager via OMG Notification Service (OMG TC Document telecom [6]).

OMG Event Service provides event routing and distribution capabilities. OMG Notification Service provides, in addition to Event Service, event filtering and Quality Of Service (QOS) as well.

A necessary and sufficient sub set of OMG Notification Services shall be used to support AlarmIRPNotifications notifications as specified in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13].

4.2 Push and Pull Style

OMG Notification Service defines two styles of interaction. One is called push style. In this style, IRPAgent pushes notifications to IRPManager as soon as they are available. The other is called pull style. In this style, IRPAgent keeps the notifications till IRPManager requests for them.

This CORBA SS specifies that support of Push style is Mandatory (M) and that support of Pull style is Optional (O).

4.3 Support multiple notifications in one push operation

For efficiency reasons, IRPAgent may send multiple notifications using one single push operation. To pack multiple notifications into one push operation, IRPAgent may wait and not invoke the push operation as soon as notifications are available. To avoid IRPAgent to wait for an extended period of time that is objectionable to IRPManager, IRPAgent shall implement an IRPAgent wide timer configurable by administrator. On expiration of this timer, IRPAgent shall invoke push if there is at least one notification to be conveyed to IRPManager. This timer is re-started after each push invocation.

4.4 Filter

IRPAgent shall optionally support alarm filtering based on IRPManager's supplied alarm filter constraints (e.g., as parameter in subscribe() of 3GPP TS 32.106-2 [10]. Alarm filtering can be applied in the following cases:

- It is applicable to alarms emitted by IRPAgent via AlarmIRPNotifications. IRPManager supplies alarm filter constraint via the subscribe method. This filter is effective during the period of subscription.
- It is applicable to alarms returned by IRPAgent via the out parameter of get_alarm_list method. IRPManager supplies alarm filter constraint via the get_alarm_list method. This filter is effective only for this method invocation.
- It is applicable to the calculation of alarm counts returned by IRPAgent via the out parameters of get_alarm_count method. IRPManager supplies alarm filter constraint via the get_alarm_count method. This filter is effective only for this method invocation.

This SS shall use of filter constraint grammar specified by reference 3GPP TS 32.106-2 [6]. The name of the grammar is called "EXTENDED_TCL". See clause 2.4, Default Filter Constraint Language in 3GPP TS 32.106-2 [6]. This SS shall use this grammar only.

5 Mapping

5.1 Operation and Notification mapping

Alarm IRP: IS 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] defines semantics of operation and notification visible across the Alarm IRP. Table 1 indicates mapping of these operations and notifications to their equivalents defined in this SS.

Table 1: Mapping from IS Notification/Operation to SS equivalents

| IS Operation/ notification 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] | SS Method | Qualifier |
|--|--|-----------|
| acknowledgeAlarms | acknowledge_alarms | M |
| unacknowledgeAlarms | unacknowledge_alarms | 0 |
| getAlarmList | get_alarm_list | M |
| getAlarmIRPVersion | get_alarm_IRP_version | M |
| getAlarmCount | get_alarm_count | О |
| notifyNewAlarm | push_structured_events | M |
| | Note that OMG Notification Service 3GPP TS 32.106- | |
| | 2 [6] defines this method. See clause 8.1 | |
| notifyClearedAlarm | push_structured_events | M |
| | See clause 8.1 | |
| notifyChangedAlarm | push_structured_events | M |
| | See clause 8.1 | |
| notifyAckStateChanged | push_structured_events | M |
| | See clause 8.1 | |
| notifyAlarmListRebuilt | push_structured_events | M |
| | See clause 8.1 | |

5.2 Operation parameter mapping

Reference 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] defines semantics of parameters carried in operations across the Alarm IRP. Table2 and table 3 indicate the mapping of these parameters, as per operation, to their equivalents defined in this SS.

Table 2: Mapping from IS acknowledgeAlarms parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Operation parameter | SS Method parameter | | n parameter SS Method parameter Qua | |
|------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| alarmInformation | AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq | M | | |
| ReferenceList | alarm_information_id_list | | | |
| ackUserId | string ack_user_id | M | | |
| ackSystemId | string ack_system_id | 0 | | |
| bad AlarmInformation | AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq | | | |
| ReferenceList | oad_alarm_information_id_list | | | |
| status | CommonIRPConstDefs::Signal | M | | |
| | Exceptions: | | | |
| | AcknowledgeAlarms, ParameterNotSupported, | | | |
| | InvalidParameter | | | |

Table 3: Mapping from IS unacknowledgeAlarms parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Operation parameter | SS Method parameter | Qualifier |
|--------------------------|--|-----------|
| alarm | AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq | M |
| InformationReferenceList | alarm_information_id_list | |
| ackUserId | string ack_user_id | M |
| ackSystemId | string ack_system_id | 0 |

| badAlarm Information | AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq | |
|----------------------|---|---|
| ReferenceList | bad_alarm_information_id_list | |
| status | CommonIRPConstDefs::Signal | M |
| | Exceptions: | |
| | UnacknowledgeAlarms, OperationNotSupported, | |
| | ParameterNotSupported, InvalidParameter | |

Table 4: Mapping from IS getAlarmList parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Operation parameter | SS Method parameter | Qualifier |
|------------------------|--|-----------|
| alarmAckState, filter | string filter | О |
| alarmInformation List | Return value of type | |
| | AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationSeq | |
| status | Exceptions: | M |
| | GetAlarmList, ParameterNotSupported, | |
| | InvalidParameter | |

Table 5: Mapping from IS getAlarmCount parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Operation parameter | SS Method parameter | Qualifier |
|---------------------------|--|-----------|
| alarmAckState, filter | string filter | О |
| minorCount, warningCount, | <pre>long critical_count, long major_count, long minor_count, long warning_count, long indeterminate_count, long cleared_count</pre> | M |
| status | Exceptions: GetAlarmCount, OperationNotSupported, ParameterNotSupported, InvalidParameter | М |

Table 6: Mapping from IS getAlarmIRPVersion parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Operation parameter | SS Method parameter | Qualifier |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| versionNumberList | Return value of type | M |
| | CommonIRPConstDefs::VersionNumberSet | |
| status | Exceptions: | M |
| | GetAlarmIRPVersion | |

5.3 Notification parameter mapping

Reference 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] defines semantics of parameters carried in notifications across the Alarm IRP. Table 7 and table 8 indicate the mapping of these parameters, as per notification, to their equivalents defined in this SS.

 $Table\ 7\ and\ table\ 8\ are\ relevant\ for\ notify New Alarm\ ,\ notify Changed Alarm\ ,\ notify Changed Alarm\ ,\ notify Ack State Changed\ .$

Table 7: Mapping from IS notify[New,Changed,Cleared]Alarm and notifyAckStateChanged parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Notification | SS Notification | Comment |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|--|
| parameter | parameter | |
| notification | structuredEvent | Attributes of notificationHeader are mapped to attributes of |
| Header | | structuredEvent. See clause 6.4 for attributes related to |
| | defines this structuredEvent. | notificationHeader. See Table 9 for qualifiers for the parameter- attributes. For notifyNewAlarm, notifyChangedAlarm, notifyClearedAlarm and notifyAckStateChanged, the |
| | | 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 |

| | | extendedEventType shall contain a string of extendedEventTypeValue.NOTIFY_FM_NEW_ALARM, extendedEventTypeValue.NOTIFY_FM_CHANGED_ALARM, extendedEventTypeValue.NOTIFY_FM_CLEARED_ALARM, extendedEventTypeValue.NOTIFY_FM_ACK_STATE_CHANGED respectively. |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| alarm Information Body | structuredEvent | Attributes of alarmInformationBody are mapped to attributes of structuredEvent. See clause 6.4 for attributes related to alarmInformationBody. See table 10 for qualifiers for the parameter-attributes. |

Table 8 is relevant for notifyAlarmListRebuilt.

Table 8: Mapping from IS notifyAlarmListRebuilt parameters to SS equivalents

| IS Notification parameter | SS equivalent | Comment | | |
|---------------------------|---------------|--|--|--|
| notification Header | structured | The managedObjectClass, systemDN shall be absent. The | | |
| | Event | eventType shall contain a zero-length string. | | |
| | | The extendedEventType shall contain a string of | | |
| | | extendedEventTypeValue.NOTIFY_FM_ALARM_LIST_REB | | |
| | | UILT. | | |
| | | The managedObjectInstance shall carries the DN of the | | |
| | | IRPAgent whose Alarm List has been rebuilt. Syntax and semantics | | |
| | | of this string conform to the Managed Object string representation | | |
| | | specified in [8]. | | |
| | | See clause 6.4 for attributes related to notificationHeader. | | |
| | | See Table 9 for qualifiers for the parameter-attributes. | | |
| reason | reason | It is a string indicating the Alarm List rebuilt reason. | | |

5.4 Parameter Attribute mapping

Notification IRP: IS 3GPP TS 32.106-2 [10] defines the semantics of attributes for notificationHeader parameter. Alarm IRP: IS 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] identifies notificationHeader for use for its IRP. 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] also qualifies the attributes of the notificationHeader parameter. Table 9 shows the mapping of these IS attributes to SS equivalents.

Table 9: Mapping from IS notificationHeader attributes to SS equivalents

| IS Attribute of notificationHeader in [10] | SS Attribute | Qualifier |
|--|-----------------------|-----------|
| managedObjectClass | managedObjectClass | О |
| managedObjectInstance | managedObjectInstance | M |
| notificationID | notificationID | M |
| eventTime | eventTime | M |
| systemDN | systemDN | M |
| eventType | eventType | M |
| extendedEventType | extendedEventType | M |

Alarm IRP: IS 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] defines and qualifies the semantics of attributes for alarmInformationBody parameter. The following table shows the mapping of these IS attributes to SS equivalents.

Table 10: Mapping from IS alarmInformationBody attributes to SS equivalents

| IS Attribute of alarmInformationBody in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] | SS Attribute | Qualifier |
|---|---------------|-----------|
| probableCause | probableCause | M |

| IS Attribute of alarmInformationBody in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] | SS Attribute | Qualifier |
|---|-------------------------|-----------|
| perceivedSeverity | perceivedSeverity | M |
| specificProblem | specificProblem | О |
| correlatedNotifications | correlatedNotifications | О |
| backedUpStatus | backedUpStatus | 0 |
| backUpObject | backUpObject | О |
| trendIndication | trendIndication | О |
| thresholdInfo | thresholdInfo | 0 |
| stateChangeDefinition | stateChangeDefinition | О |
| monitoredAttributes | monitoredAttributes | 0 |
| proposedRepairActions | proposedRepairActions | 0 |
| additionalText | additionalText | О |
| additionalInformation.alarmId | alarmId | M |
| additionalInformation.ackTime | ackTime | note 1 |
| additionalInformation.ackUserId | ackUserId | note 1 |
| additionalInformation. ackSystemId | ackSystemId | note 1 |
| additionalInformation. ackState | ackState | note 1 |
| NOTE 1: See qualification information in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13], Table 13: Parameter-Attributes of alarmInformationBody. | | |

6 Use of OMG Structured Event

Operation notify defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13] carries parameters, such as notificationHeader and alarmInformationBody. In CORBA SS, OMG defined StructuredEvent (see ITU-T Recommendation X.736 [2]) is used to carry notification. This clause identifies the OMG defined StructuredEvent attributes that carry the attributes of parameters defined in 3GPP TS 32.111-2 [13].

The composition of OMG Structured Event, as defined in the OMG TC Document telecom [6], is:

```
Header
Fixed Header
domain_name
type_name
event_name
Variable Header
Body
filterable_body_fields
remaining_body
```

Table 11 lists all OMG Structured Event attributes in the second column. The first column identifies the SS attributes, if any, that shall be carried in the Structured Event attributes.

Table 11: Use of OMG Structured Event

| SS Attribute | OMG CORBA Structured Event attribute | Comment |
|--|--|---|
| There is no corresponding SS attribute. | domain_name | It contains a string defined by interface IRPNotificationCategoryValue.alarmIRPVersion_1_1. It indicates the syntax and semantics of this Structured Event is defined by Alarm IRP: CORBA SS 1:1. |
| eventType | type_name | Attribute eventType is an attribute of notificationHeader. It shall indicate one of the following ITU-T defined semantics: communications alarm, processing error alarm, environmental alarm, quality of service alarm and equipment alarm. It is a string. See block of const string definitions starting with "ET_" in the IDL. |
| extendedEvent Type | event_name | Attribute extendedEventType is an attribute of notificationHeader. It shall identify one of the following: • notify a new alarm • notify changes in alarm state • notify changes in alarm acknowledgement state • notify alarm cleared • notify Alarm List has been successfully rebuilt It is a string. See block of const string definitions starting with "NOTIFY_FM_" in the IDL. |
| There is no corresponding SS attribute. | variable Header | |
| managedObject Class, managedObject Instance | filterable_ | NV stands for name-value pair. Order arrangement of NV pairs is not significant. The name of NV-pair is always encoded in string. They are attributes of notificationHeader. Name of NV pair is a string, NV_MANAGED_OBJECT_INSTANCE defined in module NotificationIRPConstDefs Value of NV pair is a string. See corresponding table in Notification IRP: CORBA SS (3GPP TS 32.106-3 [11]). |

| notification | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of notificationHeader. |
|-----------------|----------------------------|--|
| Id | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_NOTIFICATION_ID defined in module |
| | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a long. See corresponding table in Notification IRP: |
| | | CORBA SS (3GPP TS 32.106-3 [11]). |
| eventTime | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of notificationHeader. |
| | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is NV_EVENT_TIME defined in module |
| | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a IRPTime. See corresponding table in |
| | | Notification IRP: CORBA SS (3GPP TS 32.106-3 [11]). |
| systemDN | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of notificationHeader. |
| | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_SYSTEM_DN defined in module |
| | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string. See corresponding table in Notification IRP: CORBA SS [11]. |
| probableCause | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_PROBABLE_CAUSE defined in |
| | body_fields | module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a short defined by PC_INDETERMINATE, |
| | | PC_ALARM_INDICATION_SIGNAL, etc. |
| perceived | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Severity | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_PERCEIVED_SEVERITY defined in |
| | body_fields | module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a short defined by PS_INDETERMINATE, |
| 1.5.1 | 0 10/ | PS_CRITICAL, etc. |
| specific | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Problem | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_SPECIFIC_PROBLEM defined in |
| | body_fields | module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| correlated | One NIV pair of | Value of NV pair is a string. |
| | One NV pair of filterable_ | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| NOCILICACIONS | body_fields | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_CORRELATED_NOTIFICATIONS defined in module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | body_ficial | Value of NV pair is a CorrelatedNotificationSetType. |
| backed | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| UpStatus | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_BACKED_UP_STATUS defined in |
| | body_fields | module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a boolean BackedUpStatusType. |
| backUpObject | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| landing to good | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_BACK_UP_OBJECT defined in module |
| | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string carrying of DN of the back-up object. See |
| | | 3GPP TS 32.106-8 [8] for the DN string representation. |
| trend | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Indication | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_TREND_INDICATION defined in |
| | body_fields | module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is an enum TrendIndicationType. |
| thresholdInfo | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_THRESHOLD_INFO defined in module |
| | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is an enum ThresholdIndicationType. |
| stateChange | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Definition | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_STATE_CHANGE_DEFINITION |
| | body_fields | defined in module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is an AttributeChangeSetType. |
| monitored | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Attributes | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_MONITORED_ATTRIBUTES defined |
| | body_fields | in module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is an AttributeSetType. |

| proposed RepairActions | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
|---------------------------|----------------|---|
| Repairactions | body_fields | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_PROPOSED_REPAIR_ACTIONS defined in module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string. |
| additional | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Text | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_ADDITIONAL_TEXT defined in |
| | body_fields | module NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string. |
| additional | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Information.a | <u> </u> | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_ALARM_ID defined in module |
| larmId | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string. |
| | | If the string is a zero-length string or if this NV pair is absent, the default |
| | | semantics is that alarmId is a concatenation of |
| | | managedObjectInstance, eventType, probableCause |
| | | and specificProblem, if present, of this Structured Event. Since |
| | | probableCuase is encoded as a short, it shall be converted into string |
| | | before concatenation. The resultant string shall not contain spaces. |
| additional | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of notificationHeader. |
| Information. | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_ACK_TIME defined in module |
| ackTime | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a IRPTime. |
| additional | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Information. | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_ACK_USER_ID defined in module |
| ackUserId | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string. |
| additional | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Information. | filterable_ | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_ACK_SYSTEM_ID defined in module |
| ackSystemId | body_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a string. |
| additional | One NV pair of | It is an attribute of alarmInformationBody. |
| Information. | filterable_bod | Name of NV pair is a string, NV_ACK_STATE defined in module |
| ackState | y_fields | NotificationIRPConstDefs. |
| | | Value of NV pair is a short defined by |
| | | ACK_STATE_ACKNOWLEDGED and |
| | | ACK_STATE_UNACKNOWLEDGED. |
| There is no | remaining_ | |
| corresponding SS | body | |
| attribute. | | |

7 AlarmIRPNotifications Interface

OMG CORBA Notification push operation is used to realise the notification of AlarmIRPNotifications. All the notifications in this interface are implemented using this push_structured_events method.

7.1 Method push (M)

- NOTE 1: The push_structured_events method takes an input parameter of type EventBatch as defined in the OMG CosNotification module (OMG TC Document telecom [6]). This data type is the same as a sequence of Structured Events. Upon invocation, this parameter will contain a sequence of Structured Events being delivered to IRPManager by IRPAgent to which it is connected.
- NOTE 2: The maximum number of events that will be transmitted within a single invocation of this operation is controlled by IRPAgent wide configuration parameter.
- NOTE 3: The amount of time the supplier (IRPAgent) of a sequence of Structured Events will accumulate individual events into the sequence before invoking this operation is controlled by IRPAgent wide configuration parameter as well.
- NOTE 4: IRPAgent may push EventBatch with only one Structured Event.

Annex A (normative): IDL specification

```
/* ## Module: AlarmConstDefs
This module contains commonly used definitions.
______
 * /
#ifndef AlarmIRPConstDefs_idl
#define AlarmIRPConstDefs_idl
#include "CosNotification.idl"
#pragma prefix "3gppsa5.org"
module AlarmIRPConstDefs {
 This block identifies all TMN ITU-T defined event types used by Alarm
 IRP of this version. Their semantics are defined by ITU-T. Their
 encodings for this version of Alarm IRP are defined here. Other IRP
 documents, or other versions of Alarm IRP, shall identify their own
 ITU-T defined event types for their use. They shall define their encodings
 as well. Note all values are unique among themselves. Other IRP documents
 can use the same values.
 const string ET_COMMUNICATIONS_ALARM = "x1";
 const string ET_PROCESSING_ERROR_ALARM = "x2";
 const string ET_ENVIRONMENTAL_ALARM = "x3";
 const string ET_QUALITY_OF_SERVICE_ALARM = "x4";
 const string ET_EQUIPMENT_ALARM = "x5";
 This block identifies IRP defined, and not ITU-T defined, event types
 used by this Alarm IRP version.
 const string NOTIFY_FM_NEW_ALARM = "x1";
 const string NOTIFY_FM_CHANGED_ALARM = "x2";
 const string NOTIFY_FM_ACK_STATE_CHANGED = "x3";
 const string NOTIFY_FM_CLEARED_ALARM = "x4";
 const string NOTIFY FM ALARM LIST REBUILT = "x5";
 It indicates if an object has a back up.
 True implies backep up. False implies not backed up.
  * /
  typedef boolean BackedUpStatusType;
  It indicates if the threshold crossed was in the up or down direction.
```

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enum ThresholdIndicationType {Up, Down};
/*
It indicates if some observed condition is getting better, worse,
or not changing.
enum TrendIndicationType {LessSevere, NoChange, MoreSevere};
It is used in a notification to report a changed attribute value.
* /
struct AttributeValueChangeType {
  string attributeName;
           oldValue; // type depends on attribute
  any
           newValue; // type depends on attribute
};
typedef sequence <AttributeValueChangeType> AttributeChangeSetType;
It is used in a notification to report a changed attribute value.
struct AttributeValueType {
  string attributeName;
  any value; // type will depend on the attribute
};
typedef sequence <AttributeValueType> AttributeSetType;
This block identifies the levels of severity.
* /
const short PS_INDETERMINATE= 1;
const short PS_CRITICAL= 2;
const short PS_MAJOR= 3;
const short PS_MINOR= 4;
const short PS_WARNING= 5;
const short PS_CLEARED= 6;
/*
This block identifies the acknowledgement state reported alarm.
 const short ACK STATE ACKNOWLEDGED= 1;
  const short ACK STATE UNACKNOWLEDGED= 2;
This block identifies the probable cause of a reported alarm.
  const short PC INDETERMINATE = 0;
  const short PC ALARM INDICATION SIGNAL = 1;
  const short PC_CALL_SETUP_FAILURE = 2;
  const short PC_DEGRADED_SIGNAL_M3100 = 3;
  const short PC_FAR_END_RECEIVER_FAILURE = 4;
  const short PC_FRAMING_ERROR_M3100 = 5;
  const short PC_LOSS_OF_FRAME = 6;
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const short PC LOSS OF POINTER = 7;
const short PC_LOSS_OF_SIGNAL = 8;
const short PC_PAYLOAD_TYPE_MISMATCH = 9;
const short PC_TRANSMISSION_ERROR = 10;
const short PC_REMOTE_ALARM_INTERFACE = 11;
const short PC_EXCESSIVE_BIT_ERROR_RATE = 12;
const short PC_PATH_TRACE_MISMATCH = 13;
const short PC_UNAVAILABLE = 14;
const short PC_SIGNAL_LABEL_MISMATCH = 15;
const short PC_LOSS_OF_MULTI_FRAME = 16;
const short PC_BACK_PLANE_FAILURE = 51;
const short PC_DATA_SET_PROBLEM = 52;
const short PC_EQUIPMENT_IDENTIFIER_DUPLICATION = 53;
const short PC_EXTERNAL_DEVICE_PROBLEM = 54;
const short PC_LINE_CARD_PROBLEM = 55;
const short PC_MULTIPLEXER_PROBLEM_M3100 = 56;
const short PC_NE_IDENTIFIER_DUPLICATION = 57;
const short PC POWER PROBLEM M3100 = 58;
const short PC PROCESSOR PROBLEM M3100 = 59;
const short PC PROTECTION PATH FAILURE = 60;
const short PC RECEIVER FAILURE M3100 = 61;
const short PC_REPLACEABLE_UNIT_MISSING = 62;
const short PC_REPLACEABLE_UNIT_TYPE_MISMATCH = 63;
const short PC_SYNCHRONISATION_SOURCE_MISMATCH = 64;
const short PC_TERMINAL_PROBLEM = 65;
const short PC_TIMING_PROBLEM_M3100 = 66;
const short PC_TRANSMITTER_FAILURE_M3100 = 67;
const short PC_TRUNK_CARD_PROBLEM = 68;
const short PC_REPLACEABLE_UNIT_PROBLEM = 69;
const short PC_AIR_COMPRESSOR_FAILURE = 101;
const short PC_AIR_CONDITIONING_FAILURE = 102;
const short PC_AIR_DRYER_FAILURE = 103;
const short PC_BATTERY_DISCHARGING = 104;
const short PC_BATTERY_FAILURE = 105;
const short PC_COMMERICAL_POWER_FAILURE = 106;
const short PC_COOLING_FAN_FAILURE = 107;
const short PC_ENGINE_FAILURE = 108;
const short PC_FIRE_DETECTOR_FAILURE = 109;
const short PC_FUSE_FAILURE = 110;
const short PC_GENERATOR_FAILURE = 111;
const short PC_LOW_BATTERY_THRESHOLD = 112;
const short PC_PUMP_FAILURE_M3100 = 113;
const short PC_RECTIFIER_FAILURE = 114;
const short PC_RECTIFIER_HIGH_VOLTAGE = 115;
const short PC RECTIFIER LOW F VOLTAGE = 116;
const short PC VENTILATION SYSTEM FAILURE = 117;
const short PC ENCLOSURE DOOR OPEN M3100 = 118;
const short PC EXPLOSIVE GAS = 119;
const short PC FIRE = 120;
const short PC FLOOD = 121;
const short PC HIGH HUMIDITY = 122;
const short PC HIGH TEMPERATURE = 123;
const short PC HIGH WIND = 124;
const short PC ICE BUILD UP = 125;
const short PC LOW FUEL = 127;
const short PC LOW HUMIDITY = 128;
const short PC_LOW_CABLE_PRESSURE = 129;
const short PC_LOW_TEMPERATURE = 130;
const short PC_LOW_WATER = 131;
const short PC_SMOKE = 132;
const short PC_TOXIC_GAS = 133;
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const short PC STORAGE CAPACITY PROBLEM M3100 = 151;
const short PC_MEMORY_MISMATCH = 152;
const short PC_CORRUPT_DATA_M3100 = 153;
const short PC_OUT_OF_CPU_CYCLES = 154;
const short PC_SOFTWARE_ENVIRONMENT_PROBLEM = 155;
const short PC_SOFTWARE_DOWNLOAD_FAILURE = 156;
const short PC_ADAPTER_ERROR = 301;
const short PC_APPLICATION_SUBSYSTEM_FAILURE = 302;
const short PC_BANDWIDTH_REDUCTION = 303;
const short PC_COMMUNICATION_PROTOCOL_ERROR = 305;
const short PC_COMMUNICATION_SUBSYSTEM_FAILURE = 306;
const short PC_CONFIGURATION_OR_CUSTOMIZING_ERROR = 307;
const short PC_CONGESTION = 308;
const short PC_CPU_CYCLES_LIMIT_EXCEEDED = 310;
const short PC_DATA_SET_OR_MODEM_ERROR = 311;
const short PC_DTE_DCE_INTERFACE_ERROR = 313;
const short PC_EQUIPMENT_MALFUNCTION = 315;
const short PC EXCESSIVE VIBRATION = 316;
const short PC FILE ERROR = 317;
const short PC HEATING OR VENTILATION OR COOLING SYSTEM PROBLEM = 321;
const short PC HUMIDITY UNACCEPTABLE = 322;
const short PC_INPUT_OUTPUT_DEVICE_ERROR = 323;
const short PC_INPUT_DEVICE_ERROR = 324;
const short PC_LAN_ERROR = 325;
const short PC_LEAK_DETECTION = 326;
const short PC_LOCAL_NODE_TRANSMISSION_ERROR = 327;
const short PC_MATERIAL_SUPPLY_EXHAUSTED = 330;
const short PC_OUT_OF_MEMORY = 332;
const short PC_OUTPUT_DEVICE_ERROR = 333;
const short PC_PERFORMANCE_DEGRADED = 334;
const short PC_PRESSURE_UNACCEPTABLE = 336;
const short PC_QUEUE_SIZE_EXCEEDED = 339;
const short PC_RECEIVE_FAILURE = 340;
const short PC_REMOTE_NODE_TRANSMISSION_ERROR = 342;
const short PC_RESOURCE_AT_OR_NEARING_CAPACITY = 343;
const short PC_RESPONSE_TIME_EXCESSIVE = 344;
const short PC_RETRANSMISSION_RATE_EXCESSIVE = 345;
const short PC_SOFTWARE_ERROR = 346;
const short PC_SOFTWARE_PROGRAM_ABNORMALLY_TERMINATED = 347;
const short PC_SOFTWARE_PROGRAM_ERROR = 348;
const short PC_TEMPERATURE_UNACCEPTABLE = 350;
const short PC_THRESHOLD_CROSSED = 351;
const short PC_TOXIC_LEAK_DETECTED = 353;
const short PC_TRANSMIT_FAILURE = 354;
const short PC UNDERLYING RESOURCE UNAVAILABLE = 356;
const short PC VERSION MISMATCH = 357;
const short PC A BIS TO BTS INTERFACE FAILURE = 501;
const short PC A BIS TO TRX INTERFACE FAILURE = 502;
const short PC ANTENNA PROBLEM = 503;
const short PC BATTERY BREAKDOWN = 504;
const short PC BATTERY CHARGING FAULT = 505;
const short PC CLOCK SYNCHRONISATION PROBLEM = 506;
const short PC COMBINER PROBLEM = 507;
const short PC_DISK_PROBLEM = 508;
const short PC EXCESSIVE RECEIVER TEMPERATURE = 510;
const short PC EXCESSIVE TRANSMITTER OUTPUT POWER = 511;
const short PC EXCESSIVE TRANSMITTER TEMPERATURE = 512;
const short PC_FREQUENCY_HOPPING_DEGRADED = 513;
const short PC_FREQUENCY_HOPPING_FAILURE = 514;
const short PC_FREQUENCY_REDEFINITION_FAILED = 515;
const short PC_LINE_INTERFACE_FAILURE = 516;
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const short PC LINK FAILURE = 517;
    const short PC_LOSS_OF_SYNCHRONISATION = 518;
    const short PC_LOST_REDUNDANCY = 519;
    const short PC_MAINS_BREAKDOWN_WITH_BATTERY_BACKUP = 520;
    const short PC_MAINS_BREAKDOWN_WITHOUT_BATTERY_BACKUP = 521;
    const short PC_POWER_SUPPLY_FAILURE = 522;
    const short PC_RECEIVER_ANTENNA_FAULT = 523;
    const short PC_RECEIVER_MULTICOUPLER_FAILURE = 525;
    const short PC_REDUCED_TRANSMITTER_OUTPUT_POWER = 526;
    const short PC_SIGNAL_QUALITY_EVALUATION_FAULT = 527;
    const short PC_TIMESLOT_HARDWARE_FAILURE = 528;
    const short PC_TRANSCEIVER_PROBLEM = 529;
    const short PC_TRANSCODER_PROBLEM = 530;
    const short PC_TRANSCODER_OR_RATE_ADAPTER_PROBLEM = 531;
    const short PC_TRANSMITTER_ANTENNA_FAILURE = 532;
    const short PC_TRANSMITTER_ANTENNA_NOT_ADJUSTED = 533;
    const short PC_TRANSMITTER_LOW_VOLTAGE_OR_CURRENT = 535;
    const short PC TRANSMITTER OFF FREQUENCY = 536;
    const short PC DATABASE INCONSISTENCY = 537;
    const short PC FILE SYSTEM CALL UNSUCCESSFUL = 538;
    const short PC INPUT PARAMETER OUT OF RANGE = 539;
    const short PC_INVALID_PARAMETER = 540;
    const short PC_INVALID_POINTER = 541;
    const short PC_MESSAGE_NOT_EXPECTED = 542;
    const short PC_MESSAGE_NOT_INITIALISED = 543;
    const short PC_MESSAGE_OUT_OF_SEQUENCE = 544;
    const short PC_SYSTEM_CALL_UNSUCCESSFUL = 545;
    const short PC_TIMEOUT_EXPIRED = 546;
    const short PC_VARIABLE_OUT_OF_RANGE = 547;
    const short PC_WATCH_DOG_TIMER_EXPIRED = 548;
    const short PC_COOLING_SYSTEM_FAILURE = 549;
    const short PC_EXTERNAL_EQUIPMENT_FAILURE = 550;
    const short PC_EXTERNAL_POWER_SUPPLY_FAILURE = 551;
    const short PC_EXTERNAL_TRANSMISSION_DEVICE_FAILURE = 552;
    const short PC_REDUCED_ALARM_REPORTING = 561;
    const short PC_REDUCED_EVENT_REPORTING = 562;
    const short PC_RECUCED_LOGGING_CAPABILITY = 563;
    const short PC_SYSTEM_RESOURCES_OVERLOAD = 564;
    const short PC_BROADCAST_CHANNEL_FAILURE = 565;
    const short PC_CALL_ESTABLISHMENT_ERROR = 566;
    const short PC_INVALID_MESSAGE_RECEIVED = 567;
    const short PC_INVALID_MSU_RECEIVED = 568;
    const short PC_LAPD_LINK_PROTOCOL_FAILURE = 569;
    const short PC_LOCAL_ALARM_INDICATION = 570;
    const short PC REMOTE ALARM INDICATION = 571;
    const short PC ROUTING FAILURE = 572;
    const short PC SS7 PROTOCOL FAILURE = 573;
    const short PC TRANSMISSION FAILURE = 574;
  typedef sequence <string> AlarmInformationIdSeq;
  typedef CosNotification::EventBatch AlarmInformationSeq;
#endif
/* ## Module: AlarmIRPSystem
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};

```
This module contains the specification of all operations of Alarm IRP Agent
specified in Alarm IRP: IS version 1 and Alarm IRP: CORBA SS version 1:1.
______
* /
#ifndef AlarmIRPSystem_idl
#define AlarmIRPSystem_idl
#include "CosNotification.idl"
#include "AlarmIRPConstDefs.idl"
#include "CommonIRPConstDefs.idl"
#pragma prefix "3gppsa5.org"
module AlarmIRPSystem {
 System fails to complete the operation. System provides
 reasons whose semantics is outside the scope of this IRP.
 exception AcknowledgeAlarms { string reason; };
 exception UnacknowledgeAlarms { string reason; };
 exception GetAlarmList {string reason; };
 exception GetAlarmIRPVersion { string reason; };
 exception GetAlarmCount { string reason; };
 exception ParameterNotSupported { string parameter; };
   //name of the unsupported parameter as defined in IDL.
 exception InvalidParameter { string parameter; };
   //name of the parameter as defined in IDL
 exception OperationNotSupported {};
 exception NextAlarmInformations { string reason; };
    /**
   The AlarmInformationIterator is used to iterate through a set of Alarm
   Informations in Alarm List. Method get_alarm_list contains it as
    output parameter.
   IRPManager uses it to pace the return of Alarm Informations. IRPManager
    cannot use it to pace when IRPAgent should retrieve Alarm Informations
    from Alarm List.
    * /
    interface AlarmInformationIterator {
       /**
       This method returns up to "how many" Alarm Informations.
       If 1 or more Alarm Information is returned, return TRUE.
       Return FALSE if there is no more Alarm Information to be returned.
       * /
       boolean next_alarmInformations (
         in unsigned long how_many,
         out AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationSeq alarm_informations
       raises (NextAlarmInformations,InvalidParameter);
       /**
       This method destroys the iterator.
```

```
void destroy ();
  }; // end of AlarmInformationIterator
This interface specifies all methods supported by System as
specified in 3GPP AlarmIRP: CORBA Solution Set version 1:1.
interface AlarmIRPOperations {
  CommonIRPConstDefs::Signal acknowledge_alarms (
     in AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq alarm_information_id_list,
     in string ack_user_id,
     in string ack_system_id,
     out AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq
    bad alarm information id list
  raises (AcknowledgeAlarms, ParameterNotSupported, InvalidParameter);
  CommonIRPConstDefs::Signal unacknowledge_alarms (
     in AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq alarm_information_id_list,
     in string ack_user_id,
     in string ack_system_id,
     out AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationIdSeq
       bad_alarm_information_id_list
  raises (UnacknowledgeAlarms, OperationNotSupported, ParameterNotSupported,
       InvalidParameter);
   /*
   This method returns Alarm Informations.
   If flag is TRUE, all returned Alarm Informations shall be
   in AlarmInformationSeq that contains 0,1 or more Alarm Informations.
   Output parameter iter shall be useless.
   If flag is FALSE, no Alarm Informations shall be in AlarmInformationSeq.
   IRPAgent needs to use iter to retrieve them.
   * /
  AlarmIRPConstDefs::AlarmInformationSeq get_alarm_list (
    in string filter,
    out boolean flag,
    out AlarmInformationIterator iter
  raises (GetAlarmList, ParameterNotSupported, InvalidParameter);
  void get_alarm_count (
     in string filter,
     out long critical_count,
     out long major_count,
     out long minor_count,
     out long warning_count,
     out long indeterminate_count,
     out long cleared_count
  raises (GetAlarmCount, OperationNotSupported, ParameterNotSupported,
       InvalidParameter);
```

```
CommonIRPConstDefs::VersionNumberSet get_alarm_IRP_version ()
        raises (GetAlarmIRPVersion);
};

#endif
```

Annex B (informative): Change history

| | Change history | | | | |
|----------|----------------|-----|-----------|-------------|---|
| TSG SA# | Version | CR | Tdoc SA | New Version | Subject/Comment |
| S_07 | 2.0.0 | - | SP-000012 | 3.0.0 | Approved at TSG SA #7 and placed under Change Control |
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