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Foreword

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- shall** indicates a mandatory requirement to do something
- shall not** indicates an interdiction (prohibition) to do something

The constructions "shall" and "shall not" are confined to the context of normative provisions, and do not appear in Technical Reports.

The constructions "must" and "must not" are not used as substitutes for "shall" and "shall not". Their use is avoided insofar as possible, and they are not used in a normative context except in a direct citation from an external, referenced, non-3GPP document, or so as to maintain continuity of style when extending or modifying the provisions of such a referenced document.

- should** indicates a recommendation to do something
- should not** indicates a recommendation not to do something
- may** indicates permission to do something
- need not** indicates permission not to do something

The construction "may not" is ambiguous and is not used in normative elements. The unambiguous constructions "might not" or "shall not" are used instead, depending upon the meaning intended.

- can** indicates that something is possible
- cannot** indicates that something is impossible

The constructions "can" and "cannot" are not substitutes for "may" and "need not".

- will** indicates that something is certain or expected to happen as a result of action taken by an agency the behaviour of which is outside the scope of the present document
- will not** indicates that something is certain or expected not to happen as a result of action taken by an agency the behaviour of which is outside the scope of the present document
- might** indicates a likelihood that something will happen as a result of action taken by some agency the behaviour of which is outside the scope of the present document

might not indicates a likelihood that something will not happen as a result of action taken by some agency the behaviour of which is outside the scope of the present document

In addition:

is (or any other verb in the indicative mood) indicates a statement of fact

is not (or any other negative verb in the indicative mood) indicates a statement of fact

The constructions "is" and "is not" do not indicate requirements.

Introduction

The present document is part 7 of a multi-part deliverable covering conformance test specification for Mission Critical Services over LTE consisting of:

3GPP TS 36.579-1 [2]: "Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE protocol conformance testing; Part 1: Common test environment"

3GPP TS 36.579-2 [24]: " Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 2: Mission Critical Push To Talk (MCPTT) User Equipment (UE) Protocol conformance specification";

3GPP TS 36.579-3 [3]: " Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 3: Mission Critical Push To Talk (MCPTT) Server Application test specification";

3GPP TS 36.579-4 [4]: " Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 4: Test Applicability and Implementation Conformance Statement (ICS)";

3GPP TS 36.579-5 [5]: " Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 5: Abstract test suite (ATS)";

3GPP TS 36.579-6 [25]: " Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 6: Mission Critical Video (MCVideo) User Equipment (UE) Protocol conformance specification";

3GPP TS 36.579-7: " Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 7: Mission Critical Data (MCData) User Equipment (UE) Protocol conformance specification" (the present document).

1 Scope

The present document specifies the protocol conformance testing for testing a MCDData Client for compliance to the Mission Critical Video (MCDData) over LTE protocol requirements defined by 3GPP.

In particular the present document contains:

- the overall test structure;
- the test configurations;
- the conformance requirement and reference to the core specifications;
- the test purposes; and
- a brief description of the test procedure, the specific test requirements and short message exchange table.

The present document is valid for MCDData Clients implemented according to 3GPP releases starting from Release 13 up to the Release indicated on the cover page of the present document.

The following information relevant to testing specified in the present document could be found in accompanying specifications:

- default setting of the test parameters TS 36.579-1 [2];
- Implementation Conformance Statement (ICS) TS 36.579-4 [4] and Implementation eXtra Information for Testing (IXIT) TS 36.579-5 [5];
- the applicability of each test case TS 36.579-4 [4].

The test cases are expected to be executed through the 3GPP radio interface. The present document does not specify the protocol conformance testing for the EPS (LTE) bearers which carry the MCDData data sent or received by the MCDData Client and which are required to be supported by the UE in which the MCDData Client is installed. This is defined in TS 36.523-1 [6].

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[1] to [37] (void)

[38] 3GPP TS 36.579-7 Release 15: "Mission Critical (MC) services over LTE; Part 7: Mission Critical Data (MCDData) User Equipment (UE) Protocol conformance specification"

3 Definitions of terms, symbols and abbreviations

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4 General

The requirements of the present document are provided in 3GPP TS 36.579-7 Release 15 [38].

5 to 7 Void

Annex A (informative): Change history

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