

ES Presentation to 802.21

(La Jolla, Thurs PM) (Slide 1)

- Handover presents potentially challenging issues.
- An ES call is just like any other VoIP call EXCEPT:
 - A different “path” may be used through the 802 infrastructure (dedicated VLAN).
 - 802 packets are expected to have a unique EtherType.
 - Open air encryption is required, encryption is per-hop. End-to-end encryption breaks the ability to do trace-route.

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- An ES call is just like any other VoIP call EXCEPT (2nd slide):
 - Access points will offer unique SSIDs for ES.
 - APs will offer uniquely typed SSIDs for ES.
 - ES calls will have “high priority”
 - An 802 ES call can originate on an 802.3, 802.11, 802.15... network & then require handover service.
 - A VoIP terminal may appear on an 802 network and require acquisition of an ES call in progress.
 - All of this has to work for unauthenticated users.

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- These requirements come from regulatory bodies and are already in place.
- All of our work is being done to provide complimentary work to IETF ECRIT.
- We do recognize that VoIP does not cover the complete universe of ES calls that may involve 802 networks.
- We believe that text messaging and video emergency services calls can be pretty well covered by the system we set up for VoIP.

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- We think that for our purposes there are 2 kinds of handovers:
 - “Local” i.e. subtending the same logical router and within a single bridged 802 domain.
 - “IP” i.e. requires the IP network to establish a new path, presumably to a new 802 (or other) network
 - (or the same operation in the other direction).
 - All of this has to work for unauthenticated users.