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# Service Parameter in DSx message supporting multicast over IEEE 802.16.1a

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## 1. Introduction

In IEEE 802.16n[2], HR multicast service is described in 11.13.47 to indicate whether multicast service is providing in DSA-REQ and to accept or reject the request of multicast service in DSA-RSP. In addition, to be consistent with 802.16n, multicast service shall be included in DSx message in IEEE 802.16.1a[3].

Thus, this contribution provides multicast service parameter in DSx message.

## 2. References

- [1] IEEE 802.16n-10/0048r3, 802.16n System Requirement Document including SARM annex, November 2011.
- [2] IEEE 802.16n-11/0032, P802.16n Draft AWD, November 2011.
- [3] IEEE 802.16n-11/0033, P802.16.1a Draft AWD, November 2011.
- [4] IEEE P802.16Rev3/D3, IEEE Draft Standard for Local and metropolitan area networks; Part 16: Air Interface for Fixed and Mobile Broadband Wireless Access Systems,” November 2011.
- [5] IEEE P802.16.1<sup>TM</sup>/D3, IEEE Draft for WirelessMAN-Advanced Air Interface for Broadband Wireless Access Systems, November 2011.

## 3. Proposed Text on the IEEE 802.16.1a Amendment Draft Standard

[-----Start of Text Proposal-----]

**[Remedy1: Change 6.2.3.47.1 AAI-DSA-REQ in page 43 on 802.16.1a AWD as follows:]**

### 6.2.3.47.1 AAI-DSA-REQ

*[Change last paragraph in section 6.2.3.47.1 AAI-DSA-REQ as indicated:]*

When an ABS commences multicast service, the following parameters shall be included in the AAI-DSA-REQ message.

- [Multicast Service: Indicates whether multicast service is being requested or provided for the connection that is being successfully setup.](#)
- [Multicast Group Zone ID: Indicates multicast group zone IDs for the connection that is associated with the service flow in AAI-DSA-REQ in HR-Network.](#)
- [Multicast Indication cycle: Indicates multicast indication cycle for the multicast in HR-Network](#)
- Multicast Group ID: Indicates multicast group for the connection that is associated with the service flow in AAI-DSA-REQ.

[Change Table 83 as indicated:]

**Table 83—AAI-DSA-REQ message field description**

Field	Size (bits)	Value/Description	Condition
..... For( $i=0$ ; $i<N$ -FIDs-Coupled-Noncommon; $i++$ ) {	.....	N-FIDs-Coupled-Noncommon is the number of non-common coupled service flow IDs  The maximum value of N-FIDs-Coupled-Noncommon is 32.	.....
FID	4		Shall be present if NFIDs-Coupled-Noncommon is not zero
Non-common for Coupled Group	<i>variable</i>	Non-common service flow encodings that are specific to individual service flows specified in Coupled FID Parameter List Service flow/convergence sublayer parameters in Table 131, except FID, SFID, E-MBS service related information, Group Parameter Create/Change related information and Coupled Group Create/Change related information, may be encapsulated in this field.	Shall be present if NFIDs-Coupled-Noncommon is not zero
}			
}			

<u>Multicast Service</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Indicates whether multicast service is being requested or provided for the connection that is being successfully setup. 1 indicates support, 0 indicates not support.</u> <u>Bit0: Multicast in S-BS only</u> <u>Bit1: Multicast in a multi-BS zone supporting</u> <u>If all Bit0-Bit1 are set to 0, it indicates no multicast is supported.</u>	<u>Present if needed in HR-Networks</u>
<u>if (Multicast is supported)</u> <u>{</u>			
<u>Multicast Group Zone ID</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Indicates a multicast group zone to add where the connection for associated service flow is valid.</u>	<u>Present if needed in HR-Network</u>
<u>Multicast Indication cycle</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Start of multicast indication cycle.</u>  <u>The first superframe is the multicast available interval and rest superframes are the multicast unavailable interval.</u>  <u>8 LSB of superframe number</u>	<u>Shall be present if Multicast Group Zone is included in this message and the Multicast indication cycle is different from that in AAI-SCD in HR-Network.</u>  <u>If the value is the same as that in AAI-SCD, this may not be included in this message</u>
<u>For (i=0; i&lt;Num of Multicast Group ID and FID (M); i++) {</u>		<u>Num of Multicast Group ID and FID (M) is the number of Multicast Group IDs to add [1..16]</u>	<u>Present when ABS initiates AAI-DSA-REQ</u>
<u>  Multicast Group ID</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>ID of a group to which the flow is added</u>	<u>Present only if Num of Multicast Group ID and FID (M)&gt; 0</u>
<u>  FID</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Multicast specific FID that is associated with Multicast Group ID</u>	<u>Present only if Num of Multicast Group ID and FID (M)&gt; 0</u>
<u>  }</u>			
<u>} // End if (Multicast is supported)</u>			
<u>If (sleep cycle setting is included) {</u>			

Operation	2	This indicates operation request type  0b00~0b01: <i>Reserved</i>  0b10: Change sleep cycle setting  0b11: Switch sleep cycle setting	
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
<u>DC</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>00 – normal request</u>  <u>01 – DC request</u>	<u>When direct communication is turned on</u>
<u>if (DC == 01) {</u>			
<u>  TWDC</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>TWDC assigned to HR-MS to identify the direct communication link</u>	<u>When direct communication is turned on</u>
<u>  TWDC</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>TWDC assigned to peer HR-MS to identify the direct communication link</u>	<u>When direct communication is turned on</u>
<u>}</u>			

**[Remedy2: Change 6.2.3.47.2 AAI-DSA-RSP in page 45 on 802.16.1a AWD as follows:]**

### 6.2.3.47.2 AAI-DSA-RSP

*[Change last paragraph in section 6.2.3.47.2 AAI-DSA-RSP as indicated:]*

When an AMS commences multicast service, the ABS shall include the following parameters in the AAI-DSA-RSP message:

- [Multicast Service: Indicates whether multicast service is being requested or provided for the connection that is being successfully setup.](#)
- [Multicast Group Zone ID: Indicates multicast group zone IDs for the connection that is associated with the service flow in AAI-DSA-RSP in HR-Network.](#)
- [Multicast Indication cycle: Indicates multicast indication cycle for the multicast in HR-Network](#)
- [Multicast Group ID: Indicates multicast group for the connection that is associated with the service flow in AAI-DSA-RSP.](#)

*[Change Table 84 in section 6.2.3.47.2as indicated:]*

Table 84—AAI-DSA-RSP message field description

Field	Size (bits)	Value/Description	Condition
Carrier Switching Mode	1	0b0: carrier switching method based on Unicast Available Interval in the AAI-DSA message  0b1: carrier switching method using AAI-E-MBS-REP/RSP message	Present if ABS indicates carrier switching when receiving AMS-initiated DSA
If(Carrier Switching Mode == 0b0) {			
Unicast Available Interval Bitmap	variable	Indicates when the AMS should be available in the primary carrier using $N$ bits $b0b1b2...bN-1$  If $b_i=0$ , then AMS is available for E-MBS data scheduling in secondary carrier  If $b_i=1$ , then AMS is available for unicast scheduling in primary carrier  $NMSI = 4$ superframes: $N = 4$ bits  $NMSI = 8$ superframes: $N = 8$ bits  $NMSI = 16$ superframes: $N = 16$ bits  $NMSI = 32$ superframes: $N = 32$ bits  Depending on the $NMSI$ , the number of bits per subframe changes, 4 frames per bit	
}			
<u>Multicast Service</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Indicates whether multicast service is being requested or provided for the connection that is being successfully setup. 1 indicates support, 0 indicates not support.</u> <u>Bit0: Multicast in S-BS only</u> <u>Bit1: Multicast in a multi-BS zone supporting</u> <u>If all Bit0-Bit1 are set to 0, it indicates no multicast is supported.</u>	<u>Present if needed in HR-Networks</u>
<u>if (Multicast is supported) {</u>			

<u>Multicast Group Zone ID</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Indicates a multicast group zone to add where the connection for associated service flow is valid.</u>	<u>Present if needed in HR-Network</u>
<u>Multicast Indication cycle</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Start of multicast indication cycle.</u>  <u>The first superframe is the multicast available interval and rest superframes are the multicast unavailable interval.</u>  <u>8 LSB of superframe number</u>	<u>Shall be present if Multicast Group Zone is included in this message and the Multicast indication cycle is different from that in AAI-SCD in HR-Network.</u>  <u>If the value is the same as that in AAI-SCD, this may not be included in this message</u>
For ( $i=0$ ; $i<$ Num of Multicast Group ID <u>and FID (M); <math>i++</math>) {</u>		Num of Multicast Group ID <u>and FID (M) is the number of Multicast Group IDs to add [1..16]</u>	
Multicast Group ID	12	ID of a group to which the flow is added	Present only if Num of Multicast Group ID <u>and FID (M)</u> > 0
FID	4	Multicast specific FID that is associated with Multicast Group ID	Present only if Num of Multicast Group ID <u>and FID (M)</u> > 0
}			
<u>} // End if (Multicast is supported)</u>			
If (sleep cycle setting is included) {			May be present when sleep cycle setting needs to be changed or switched
Response_Code	2	This indicates response type of AAI-SLP-RSP message.  0b00: Request by ABS in Unsolicited manner  0b01: Approval of AAI-SLP-REQ  0b10: Rejection of AAI-SLP-REQ  0b11: <i>Reserved</i>	This parameter shall be included only when ABS transmit this control message.

Operation	2	This indicates operation request type 0b00~0b01: <i>Reserved</i> 0b10: Change sleep cycle setting 0b11: Switch sleep cycle setting	
.....	.....	.....	.....

[-----End of Text Proposal-----]