

# **Modify and Delete Bearer Command Support**

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# **Feature Summary and Revision History**

## **Summary Data**

#### Table 1: Summary Data

| Applicable Product(s) or Functional Area | cnSGW-C             |
|--|---------------------|
| Applicable Platform(s)                   | SMI                 |
| Feature Default Setting                  | Enabled – Always-on |
| Related Documentation                    | Not Applicable      |

## **Revision History**

#### Table 2: Revision History

| Revision Details  | Release   |
|-------------------|-----------|
| First introduced. | 2021.01.0 |

# **Feature Description**

cnSGW-C supports Modify Bearer Command (MBC) and Delete Bearer Command (DBC). This feature is supported on the following pods—SGW-service, GTP-EP, and UDP-Proxy. The SGW-service pod is responsible for handling the following:

- The MBC and DBC
- The MBC triggered Update Bearer Request
- The DBC triggered Delete Bearer Response

The GTPC-EP pod is responsible for sending the following:

- Modify Bearer Command Failure Indication (MBCFI) and Delete Bearer Command Failure Indication (DBCFI) if no response is received.
- MBCFI and DBCFI (success) on receiving Update Bearer Request and Delete Bearer Request respectively.
- Update Bearer Response and Delete Bearer Response back to PGW on receiving the respective message from the SGW-service pod.

# **How it Works**

This section describes how this feature works.

## **Call Flows**

This section describes the key call flows for this feature.

### **MBC Failure Handling Call Flow**

This section describes the MBC Failure Handling call flow.

#### Figure 1: MBC Failure Handling Call Flow



| Step | Description  |
|------|--|
| 1    | The MME sends the Modify Bearer Command to the S11 GTPC-EP pod.  |
| 2    | The GTPC-EP pod sends the ASYNC Modify Bearer Command to the SGW-SVC pod.  |
| 3    | The SGW-SVC pod forwards Modify Bearer Command to PGW. Save MBC_info in PDN for the response.  |
| 4    | The GTPC-EP pod performs retransmission. If there is no response, the pod sends Modify Bearer Command Failure Indication (MBCFI) to SGW-SVC pod. |
| 5    | The UDP Proxy sends the Modify Bearer Command request to PGW.  |
| 6    | The MBCFI is received on the S5 GTPC-EP pod and is forwarded to SGW-SVC pod.   |
| 7    | The UDP Proxy sends the Modify Bearer Command failure details to the S5-GTP-EP.  |
| 8    | The S5-GTP-EP sends the GRPC Modify Bearer Command Response to the SGW-SVC.  |
| 9    | The SGW-SVC sends the GRPC Modify Bearer Command failure notification to the S11-GTP-EP.   |
| 10   | The SGW-SVC pod processes MBCFI and forwards the response to MME with saved MBC_Info.  |

### Table 3: MBC Failure Handling Call Flow Description

## **MBC Success Handling Call Flow**

This section describes the MBC Success Handling call flow.



Figure 2: MBC Success Handling Call Flow

Table 4: MBC Success Handling Call Flow Description

| Step | Description   |
|------|---|
| 1    | The MME sends the Modify Bearer Command to the S11-UDP-Proxy.   |
| 2    | The S11-UDP-Proxy forwards the Modify Bearer Command to the S11-GTP-EP pod.   |
| 3    | The S11-GTP-EP pod sends the ASYNC Modify Bearer Command to the SGW-SVC pod.  |
|      | The SGW-SVC pod forwards the Modify Bearer Command to the PGW. Save MBC_info in PDN for response.   |
| 4    | The S11-GTP-EP pod performs the retransmission. If there is no response, the pod sends the Modify Bearer Command Failure Indication (MBCFI) to the S5-GTP-EP pod. |
| 5    | The S5-GTP-EP sends the Modify Bearer Command to the S5-UDP-Proxy.  |
| 6    | The S5-UDP-Proxy forwards the Modify Bearer Command to the PGW.   |
| 7    | The PGW sends the Update Bearer Request to the S5-UDP-Proxy.  |
| 8    | The S5-UDP-Proxy sends the Update Bearer Request (src: 2123, dest: 30016) to the S5-GTP-EP.   |

| Step | Description  |
|------|--|
| 9    | The S5-GTP-EP pod sends MBCmd-FailureIndication to SGW-SVC pod to end the transaction.   |
|      | Post internal transaction, the GRPC Update Bearer Request is sent to the SGW-SVC pod.  |
| 10   | The S5-GTP-EP starts the ET2.  |
| 11   | The S5-GTP-EP sends the GRPC Update Bearer Request to SGW-SVC pod.   |
| 12   | The SGW-SVC pod processes the Update Bearer Request and consumes the saved MBC_Info to send Update Bearer Request to the S11-GTP-EP. |
| 13   | The S11-GTP-EP sends the Update Bearer Request to the S11-UDP-Proxy.   |
| 14   | The S11-UDP-Proxy forwards the Update Bearer Request to the MME.   |
| 15   | The MME sends Update Bearer Response to the SGW-SVC pod.   |
| 16   | The S11-UDP-Proxy processes and sends the Update Bearer Response to the SGW-SVC pod.   |
| 17   | The SGW-SVC pods forward the Update Bearer Response to the S5-GTP-EP pod.  |
| 18   | The S5-GTP-EP pod sends the Update Bearer Response to the S5-UDP-Proxy.  |
| 19   | The S5-UDP-Proxy sends the Update Bearer Response to the PGW.  |

## **DBC Failure Handling Call Flow**

This section describes the DBC Failure Handling call flow.

### Figure 3: DBC Failure Handling Call Flow



| Step | Description   |
|------|---|
| 1    | The MME sends the Delete Bearer Command to the S11-GTP-EP pod.  |
| 2    | The S11-GTP-EP pod sends the ASYNC Delete Bearer Command to the SGW-SVC pod.  |
| 3    | The SGW-SVC pod forwards Delete Bearer Command to the PGW. Save DBC_info in PDN for response.   |
|      | The EP pod performs retransmission. If there is no response, the pod sends the Delete Bearer Command Failure Indication (DBCFI) to the SGW-SVC pod. |
| 4    | The S5-GTP-EP sends the Delete Bearer Command to the UDP Proxy.   |
| 5    | The UDP Proxy forwards the Delete Bearer Command to the PGW.  |
| 6    | The PGW sends the Delete Bearer Command Failure to the UDP Proxy.   |
|      | DBCFI is received on S5 GTPC-EP pod and is forwarded to the SGW-SVC pod.  |
| 7    | The UDP Proxy forwards the Delete Bearer Command Failure to the S5-GTP-EP.  |
| 8    | The S5-GTP-EP sends the GRPC Delete Bearer Command Response to the SGW-SVC.   |
| 9    | The SGW-SVC pod sends the GRPC-DBCmd-Failure-Ind-Notif to the S11-GTP-EP.   |
| 10   | The S11-GTP-EP pod processes the DBCFI and forwards the response to MME with the saved DBC_Info.  |

### Table 5: DBC Failure Handling Call Flow Description

## **DBC Success Handling Call Flow**

This section describes the DBC Success Handling call flow.



Figure 4: DBC Success Handling Call Flow

Table 6: DBC Success Handling Call Flow Description

| Step | Description  |
|------|--|
| 1    | The MME sends a Delete Bearer Command to the S11-UDP-Proxy.  |
| 2    | The S11-UDP-Proxy forwards the Delete Bearer Command to the S11-GTP-EP.  |
| 3    | The S11-UDP-Proxy sends the ASYNC Delete Bearer Command to the SGW-SVC pod.  |
| 4    | The SGW-SVC pod sends the BGIPC Delete Bearer Command to the S5-GTP-EP. Save DBC_info in the PDN for response.   |
| 5    | The EP pod performs the retransmission and reports a failure if there is no response. The pod sends the Delete Bearer Command Failure Indication (DBCFI) to the SGW-SVC pod. |
|      | The S5-GTP-EP sends the Delete Bearer Command to the S5-UDP-Proxy.   |
| 6    | The S5-UDP-Proxy send the Delete Bearer Command to the PGW.  |
| 7    | The PGW sends the Delete Bearer Request to the S5-UDP-Proxy pod.   |
| 8    | The S5-UDP-Proxy pod forwards the Delete Bearer Request to the S5-GTP-EP.  |

| Step | Description   |
|------|---|
| 9    | The S5-GTP-EP pod sends the DBCFI (with Request as ACCEPTED) to the SGW-SVC pod to end the transaction. The SGW-SVC pod ends the transaction and consumes this DBCFI. |
|      | The post internal transaction sends the GRPCE_DBReq to SGW-SVC pod.   |
| 10   | After the ET1 transaction is completed, the S5-GTP-EP starts.   |
| 11   | The S5-GTP-EP pod sends the GRPC-DBRequest to the SGW-SVC.  |
| 12   | The SGW-SVC pod processes the Delete Bearer Request and used saved DBC_Info to send the Updated Bearer Request to the MME.  |
| 13   | The S11-GTP-EP pod sends the Delete Bearer Request to the S11-UDP-Proxy pod.  |
| 14   | The S11-UDP-Proxy forwards the Delete Bearer Request to the MME.  |
| 15   | The MME sends the Delete Bearer Response to the S11-UDP-Proxy pod.  |
| 16   | The S11-UDP-Proxy processes the Delete Bearer Response to the SGW-SVC.  |
| 17   | The SGW-SVC forwards the Delete Bearer Response to the S5-GTP-EP.   |
| 18   | The S5-GTP-EP pod sends the Delete Bearer Response to the S5-UDP-Proxy.   |
| 19   | The S5-UDP-Proxy sends the Delete Bearer Response to the PGW.   |