LNPA WORKING GROUP

May 10-11, 2011 Meeting

Final Minutes

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| Banff, Canada | Host: Canadian LNP Consortium |

##### LNPA WORKING GROUP ARCHITECTURE PLANNING TEAM (APT) DISCUSSION:

**TUESDAY 05/10/11**

Tuesday, 05/10/11, Attendance:

| **Name** | **Company** | **Name** | **Company** | | |
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| Tracey Guidotti | AT&T (phone) | Marcel Champagne | | Neustar |
| Ron Steen | AT&T | Dave Garner | | Neustar |
| Teresa Patton | AT&T | Lavinia Rotaru | | Neustar |
| Renee Dillon | AT&T Mobility | Meenakshi Parthasarathy | | Neustar |
| Lonnie Keck | AT&T Mobility | Mubeen Saifullah | | Neustar Clearinghouse |
| Mark Lancaster | AT&T (phone) | Shannon Sevigny | | Neustar Pooling (phone) |
| Barbara Hjelmaa | Brighthouse Networks (phone) | Rosemary Emmer | | Sprint Nextel |
| Marian Hearn | Canadian LNP Consortium | Sue Tiffany | | Sprint Nextel |
| Jan Doell | CenturyLink (phone) | Karen Taylor | | Sprint Nextel (phone) |
| Tim Kagele | Comcast (phone) | Suzanne Addington | | Sprint Nextel |
| Linda Birchem | Comcast (phone) | Bob Bruce | | Syniverse (phone) |
| Beth O’Donnell | Cox (phone) | Joel Zamlong | | Telcordia |
| Dena Hunter | Cricket Communications | Pat White | | Telcordia |
| Linda Peterman | EarthLink Business | Lisa Marie Maxson | | Telcordia |
| Jay Hjellum | Evolving Systems (phone) | John Malyar | | Telcordia |
| Bonnie Johnson | Integra (phone) | George Tsacnaris | | Telcordia |
| Stephanie Hudson | John Staurulakis, Inc. (phone) | Steve Koch | | Telcordia (phone) |
| Angie Mackey | John Staurulakis, Inc. (phone) | Kayla Sharbaugh | | Telcordia (phone) |
| Karen Hoffman | John Staurulakis, Inc. (phone) | Paula Jordan | | T-Mobile |
| Bridget Alexander | John Staurulakis, Inc. (phone) | Luke Sessions | | T-Mobile |
| Lynette Khirallah | NetNumber (phone) | Gary Sacra | | Verizon |
| Jim Rooks | Neustar | Jason Lee | | Verizon (phone) |
| Paul LaGattuta | Neustar | Deb Tucker | | Verizon Wireless |
| Stephen Addicks | Neustar | Traci Brunner | | Windstream (phone) |
| Pamela Connell | Neustar | Dawn Lawrence | | XO Comm. |
| John Nakamura | Neustar | Tiki Gaugler | | XO Comm. (phone) |
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NOTE: ALL ACTION ITEMS REFERENCED IN THE MINUTES BELOW HAVE BEEN CAPTURED IN THE “MAY 10-11 2011 LNPA ACTION ITEMS” FILE ISSUED IN A SEPARATE E-MAIL FROM THESE MINUTES AND ATTACHED BELOW.

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**MEETING MINUTES:**

**2011 LNPA WG Meeting/Call Schedule:**

Following is the current schedule for the 2011 LNPA WG meetings and calls.

| **MONTH**  **(2011)** | NANC MEETING DATES | LNPA WG  **MEETING/CALL**  **DATES** | HOST COMPANY | MEETING LOCATION |
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| January |  | 11th-12th | Telcordia | San Diego, California |
| February |  | No meeting.  2/8/2011 LNPA WG call from 11am to 12pm Eastern time, dial-in bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272#  2/8/2011 APT call from 12pm to 2pm Eastern time, dial-in bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272# |  |  |
| March |  | 15th-16th | Comcast | Denver, Colorado |
| April |  | No meeting.  4/12/2011 APT Live Meeting from 11am to 2pm Eastern time, dial-in bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272#  4/12/2011 LNPA WG call from 2:30pm to 3:30pm Eastern time, dial-in bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272# |  |  |
| May |  | 10th-11th | Canadian Consortium | Banff, Canada |
| June |  | No meeting.  6/14/2011 APT call from 11am to 12pm Eastern time, dial-in bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272#  6/14/2011 LNPA WG call from 12:00pm to 2:00pm Eastern time, dial-in bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272# |  |  |
| July |  | 12th-13th | Neustar | New Orleans, Louisiana |
| August |  | No meeting.  8/9/2011 call if necessary |  |  |
| September |  | 13th-14th | Sprint Nextel | Overland Park, Kansas |
| October |  | No meeting.  10/11/2011 call if necessary |  |  |
| November |  | 9th-10th **(NOTE THAT THIS IS A WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY)** | AT&T | San Antonio, Texas |
| December |  | No meeting.  12/13/2011 call if necessary |  |  |
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* Continuing evaluation during 2011 will determine if interim conference calls are necessary or if the decision to meet face-to-face every other month should be revisited.

April 12, 2011 APT Conference Call Minutes Review:

* No changes were made to the DRAFT April 12, 2011 APT conference call minutes, and they were approved as FINAL.

APT Test Plan Review – All:

**Action Item 041211-02:** Neustar will develop a test case list from current ITP, Turn-up, and Group testing, applicable to the scenarios in Sections B.3, B.4.1, and B.4.2 of the Release 3.4 IIS flows in order to continue discussions of Vendor and Service Provider test plans at the Architecture Planning Team (APT) portion of the May 2011 LNPA WG meeting.

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**Action Item 041211-03:** LNPA WG Participants are to review and become familiar with the scenarios in Sections B.3, B.4.1, and B.4.2 of the attached Release 3.4 IIS flows in order to continue discussions of Vendor and Service Provider test plans at the Architecture Planning Team (APT) portion of the May 2011 LNPA WG meeting.



* Neustar led the group in reviewing the test cases listed for Sections B.3, B.4.1, and B.4.2 of the IIS.
* The stated goals of this exercise included determining which Vendor (ITP) test cases we will retain and ensuring those that are retained are consistent with what a Service Provider would see in production.
* The appropriate test cases need to be classified into the following 4 categories:

1. New Service Provider and New Vendor,
2. New Service Provider and Experienced Vendor,
3. Experienced Service Provider and New Vendor,
4. Experienced Service Provider and Experienced Vendor.

* It was stated that regression testing should be for Experienced Service Providers with Experienced Vendors. New Service Providers with New Vendors must run all test cases**.** A New Service Provider with an Experienced Vendor would test something in between.
* It was agreed that we need to identify which tests must be run by each category of Service Providers/Vendors.
* Neustar and Telcordia will create a list of Vendor (ITP) and Service Provider regression test cases, identify which are Vendor (ITP) and which are regression or which are both, determine which are conditional, and which apply to the following four categories:

1. New Service Provider and New Vendor,
2. New Service Provider and Experienced Vendor,
3. Experienced Service Provider and New Vendor,
4. Experienced Service Provider and Experienced Vendor.

The status of this work effort will be provided on the June 14, 2011 APT conference call and at the APT portion of the July 2011 LNPA WG meeting.

* It was suggested that in cases where a vendor states that a particular scenario will not occur in their system, and therefore a particular test case is not applicable, the vendor must certify that when working with the NPAC tester. This will be determined on a case-by-case basis during the testing as vendors plead their case.
* It was agreed that tests must be run if a system has the ability to use a specific functionality even if the Service Provider does not use it.
* Both Action Items 041211-02 and 041211-03 were closed.

***Next APT Conference Call…June 14, 2011, 11am to 12pm Eastern***

***Bridge number is 888-412-7808, pin 23272#.***

***Next APT Meeting …Part of the July 13-14, 2011 LNPA WG Meeting: Location…New Orleans, Louisiana…***

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