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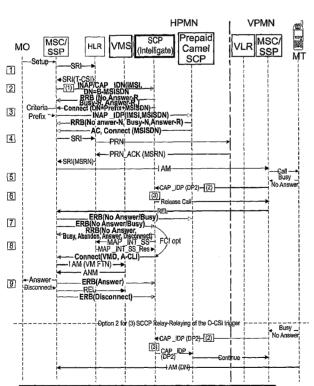
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(54) Title: LATE FORWARDING TO LOCAL VOICEMAIL SYSTEM OF CALLS TO ROAMING USERS



(1) The T-CSI CAP\_IDP or TICK INAP\_IDP (DP12) trigger is sent to the actual GT of the Prepaid SCP but is redirected by the STP to the intelliCate - with an alternate route in case I/G is down. (2) The CAMEL O-CSI trigger (SCF Addr. PPS) should be redirected by the STP to Starhome's SCP. (3) I/G as an SCCP Relay - Starhome's IntelliCate shall act as an SCCP Relay and decide whether to relay the O-CSI trigger to the actual SCP (option 2) or Release the call if it is a Mobile-Forwarded call (option 1). The release of the call shall release the trombone

(57) Abstract: Apparatus and method for management of optimal voicemail deposit to the voicemail of a currently roaming mobile telephony user during late call forwarding, is located at the user's home network and includes a disconnection unit for disconnecting an international link upon detection of late call forwarding; a triggering unit that ensures that a trigger signal is available for triggering the passing of control of the call to allow direct forwarding of the caller to the voicemail; and a direct forwarding unit that receives the control and carries out the forwarding. Generally the roaming user only generates a single trigger, and this causes difficulties if multiple services need triggering for the same call, such as a prepaid unit and the optimal voicemail deposit. The disclosure teaches methods which when used in combination provide a system that can operate at the home network irrespective of the configuration of the roaming network.

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Apparatus and method for management of optimal voicemail deposit to the voicemail of currently roaming mobile telephony user during late call forwarding involving a method for obtaining a trigger comprising double triggering.

2. claims: 5,18

Apparatus and method for management of optimal voicemail deposit to the voicemail of currently roaming mobile telephony user during late call forwarding involving a method for obtaining a trigger comprising call status triggers.

3. claims: 6-8,19-21

Apparatus and method for management of optimal voicemail deposit to the voicemail of currently roaming mobile telephony user during late call forwarding involving a method for obtaining a trigger comprising an IN service broker.

4. claims: 9-11,22-24

Apparatus and method for management of optimal voicemail deposit to the voicemail of currently roaming mobile telephony user during late call forwarding involving a method for obtaining a trigger comprising Standard Optional Routing.

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