WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A system for dynamic policy updates for an enforcement unit, comprising:

a plurality of client-side enforcement units, each client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of client-side enforcement units comprising:

one or more first network interfaces for communication over a first access network and a second access network, the first access network having a first characteristic between the client-side enforcement unit and a destination network, the second access network having a second characteristic between the client-side enforcement unit and the destination network, the second characteristic different than the first characteristic; and

a first processing unit to:

dynamically enforce an individual return-link policy based on received policy information specific to the client-side enforcement unit;

receive a network message from a network device for delivery to the destination network;

transmit, via the one or more first network interfaces, the network message over at least one of the first access network and the second access network using the individual return-link policy; and

a policy management unit, comprising:

one or more second network interfaces for communication over at least one of the first access network and the second access network; and

a second processing unit to:

update the policy information specific to each client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of client-side enforcement units based on the information, and

transmit, via the one or more second network interfaces, the updated policy information specific to each client-side enforcement unit.

2. The system of claim 1, wherein the first processing unit of the client-side enforcement unit, in response to receiving the updated policy information, updates the individual return-link policy for use in subsequently transmitting network messages over the first access network and the second access network.

3. The system of claim 1, wherein the second processing unit is further to obtain second information indicating respective transmissions to each client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of

client-side enforcement units over the first access network and over the second access network, and update the policy information specific to each client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of client-side enforcement units based on the second information.

4. The system of claim 1, wherein the plurality of client-side enforcement units includes a first group of client-side enforcement units and a second group of client-side enforcement units, wherein individual return-link policies of each client-side enforcement unit of the first group are different than individual return-link policies of each client-side enforcement unit of the second group.

5. The system of claim 4, wherein each client-side enforcement unit of the first group is associated with a first type of communication terminal, and each client-side enforcement unit of the second group is associated with a second type of communication terminal.

6. The system of claim 4, wherein at least a portion of individual return-link policies of each client-side enforcement unit of the first group are in common.

7. A system for dynamic policy updates for an enforcement unit, comprising:

a plurality of client-side enforcement units, a client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of client-side enforcement units comprising:

one or more first network interfaces for communication over a first access network and a second access network, the first access network having a first characteristic between the client-side enforcement unit and a destination network, the second access network having a second characteristic between the client-side enforcement unit and the destination network, the second characteristic different than the first characteristic; and

a first processing unit to:

dynamically enforce an individual return-link policy based on received policy information specific to the client-side enforcement unit;

receive a network message from a network device for delivery to the destination network;

transmit, via the one or more first network interfaces, the network message over at least one of the first access network and the second access network using the individual return-link policy; and

a policy management unit, comprising:

one or more second network interfaces for communication over at least one of the first access network and the second access network; and

a second processing unit to:

obtain information indicating respective transmissions by each client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of client-side enforcement units over the first access network and over the second access network,

update the policy information specific to each client-side enforcement unit of the plurality of client-side enforcement units based on the information, and

transmit, via the one or more second network interfaces, the updated policy information specific to each client-side enforcement unit,

wherein the network message is a first network message and the system further comprising a provider-side enforcement unit comprising:

one or more third network interfaces for communication over the first access network and the second access network;

a third processing unit configured to:

dynamically enforce an individual forward-link policy of the client-side enforcement unit based on second policy information specific to the client-side enforcement unit received from the policy management unit,

receive a second network message for delivery to the network device, and

transmit, via the one or more third network interfaces, the second network message over at least one of the first access network and the second access network using the individual forward-link policy.

8. The system of claim 7, wherein the individual forward-link policy is different than the individual return-link policy.

9. The system of claim 7, wherein the first network message and the second network message are associated with a network conversation, the first processing unit transmits the first network message over the first access network, and the third processing unit transmits the second network message over the second access network.

10. The system of claim 1, wherein a first portion of the network message is transmitted over the first access network and a second portion of the network message is transmitted over the second access network.

11. The system of claim 1, wherein the first characteristic of the first access network and the second characteristic of the second access network include at least one of latency, cost, capacity and congestion.

12. The system of claim 11, wherein the first access network is a satellite network, and the second access network is a terrestrial network.

13. The system of claim 11, wherein the client-side enforcement unit further comprises a traffic classifier configured to classify the network message and wherein the first processing unit of the client-side enforcement unit is to transmit the network message over at least one of the first access network and the second access network further based on the classification of the network message.

14. The system of claim 1, further comprising a communication terminal associated with the client-side enforcement unit, wherein the individual return-link policy is based on network usage of the first access network and the second access network by the communication terminal over a previous period of time.

15. The system of claim 1, wherein the network message is associated with a subscriber, wherein the individual return-link policy is based on network usage of the first access network and the second access network by the subscriber over a previous period of time.

16. The system of claim 1, wherein the individual return-link policy is based on aggregate network usage of the first access network and the second access network by the plurality of client-side enforcement units over a previous period of time.

17. The system of claim 1, wherein the individual return-link policy is based on a geographic location of the client-side enforcement unit.

18. The system of claim 1, wherein the first processing unit is further to adjust the individual return-link policy based on a time of day of reception of the network message by the client-side enforcement unit.

19. The system of claim 1, wherein the first processing unit of the client-side enforcement unit is further to determine a device type of the network device, and to transmit the network message over at least one of the first access network and the second access network further based on the determined device type.