CLAIMS

1. A method comprising:

by a user equipment:

receiving a communication from a first public land mobile network (PLMN), the communication indicating an acceptance of a user equipment registration with the first PLMN, the communication including:

a steering of roaming (SoR) indicator associated with a home PLMN (HPLMN); and

steering information comprising a list indicating one or more PLMNs;

performing an integrity check based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN, comprising:

determining whether the communication includes the SoR indicator;

calculating a second SoR indicator using the steering information included in the communication; and

determining whether the calculated second SoR indicator is the same as the SoR indicator included in the communication; and

managing PLMN selection for the wireless communication device according to the steering information in response to a passing of the integrity check that was based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN.

2. The method of claim 1, wherein the integrity check is performed using an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

3. The method of claim 1, wherein the integrity check is performed using a key derived from an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

4. An apparatus for wireless communication at a user equipment, the apparatus

comprising:

memory; and

a processor;

the memory and processor configured to:

receive a communication from a first public land mobile network (PLMN), the communication indicating an acceptance of a user equipment registration with the first PLMN, the communication including:

a steering of roaming (SoR) indicator associated with a home PLMN (HPLMN); and

steering information comprising a list indicating one or more PLMNs;

perform an integrity check based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN, comprising:

determining whether the communication includes the SoR indicator;

calculating a second SoR indicator using the steering information included in the communication; and

determining whether the calculated second SoR indicator is the same as the SoR indicator included in the communication; and

manage PLMN selection for the wireless communication device according to the steering information in response to a passing of the integrity check that was based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN.

5. The apparatus of claim 4, wherein the memory and processor are configured perform the integrity check using an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

6. The apparatus of claim 4, wherein the memory and processor are configured

perform the integrity check using a key derived from an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

7. A method comprising:

by a user equipment:

receiving a communication from a first public land mobile network (PLMN), the communication indicating an acceptance of a user equipment registration with the first PLMN, the communication including:

a steering of roaming (SoR) indicator associated with a home PLMN (HPLMN); and

steering information;

performing an integrity check based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN, comprising:

calculating a second SoR indicator using the steering information included in the communication; and

determining whether the calculated second SoR indicator is the same as the SoR indicator included in the communication; and

managing PLMN selection for the wireless communication device according to the steering information in response to a passing of the integrity check that was based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN.

8. The method of claim 7, wherein the integrity check is performed using an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

9. The method of claim 7, wherein the integrity check is performed using a key derived from an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

10. An apparatus for wireless communication at a user equipment, the apparatus

comprising:

memory; and

a processor;

the memory and processor configured to:

receive a communication from a first public land mobile network (PLMN), the communication indicating an acceptance of a user equipment registration with the first PLMN, the communication including:

a steering of roaming (SoR) indicator associated with a home PLMN (HPLMN); and

steering information;

perform an integrity check based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN, comprising:

calculating a second SoR indicator using the steering information included in the communication; and

determining whether the calculated second SoR indicator is the same as the SoR indicator included in the communication; and

manage PLMN selection for the wireless communication device according to the steering information in response to a passing of the integrity check that was based at least in part on the SoR indicator included in the communication, which was received from the first PLMN and that indicated the acceptance of the user equipment registration with the first PLMN.

11. The apparatus of claim 10, wherein the memory and processor are configured perform the integrity check using an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.

12. The apparatus of claim 10, wherein the memory and processor are configured perform the integrity check using a key derived from an Authentication Server Function (AUSF) key.