

COMMUNICATION METHOD AND COMMUNICATION APPARATUS

ABSTRACT

This application provides a communication method and a communication apparatus. The method may include: A session management network element obtains first indication information in a process of session establishment in a first network for a terminal device, where the first indication information indicates that user plane integrity protection in a second network is supported. The session management network element sends a first request message to an access and mobility management function network element in the first network based on the first indication information, where the first request message is used to request to assign a bearer identifier to the session, and the bearer identifier corresponds to a bearer context of the terminal device in the second network. The session management network element receives a first response message from the access and mobility management function network element, where the first response message includes the bearer identifier. The method can remove a limitation that the session established for the terminal device in the first network cannot be handed over to the second network when a user plane security policy in the first network requires that user plane integrity protection be activated.

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