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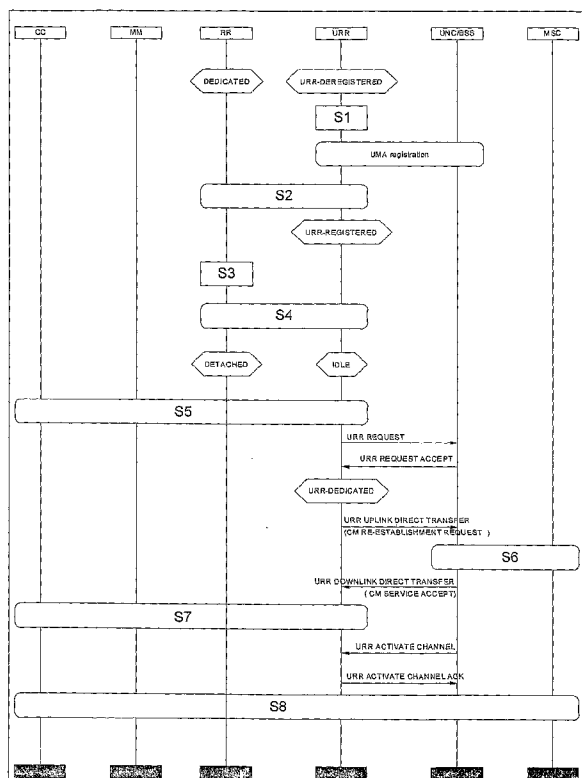
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(54) Title: CALL RE-ESTABLISHMENT VIA ALTERNATIVE ACCESS NETWORK



(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a terminal device and method of re-establishing a circuit switched call or a packet switched connection in a data network comprising at least a first access network (e.g. based on GSM, WCDMA, GPRS) and a second access network (e.g. based on UMAN, WLAN, Bluetooth), wherein a failure of the circuit switched call or the packet switched connection established via the first access network is detected at the terminal device and connection re-establishment is initiated via the second access network in response to the result of checking registration to the second access network, if a failure has been detected. Thereby, a new option is provided to avoid connection failures when coverage to another access network is available, especially where call re-establishment via the first access network is not allowed.

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