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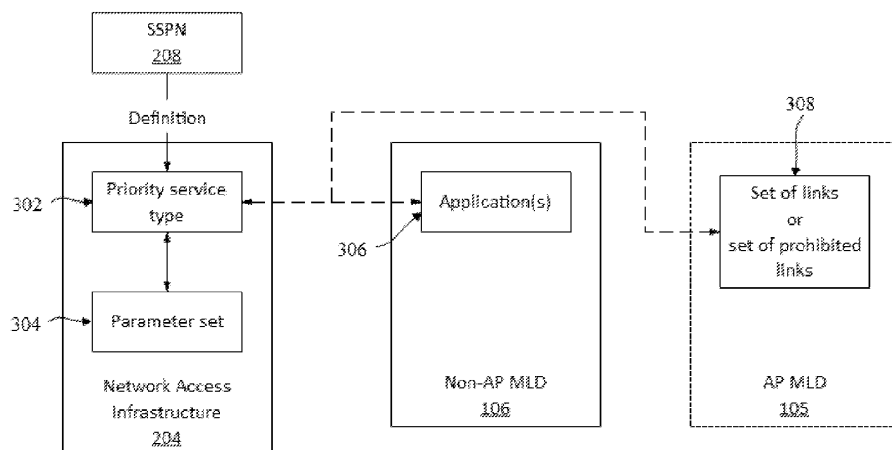


FIG. 3

(57) **Abstract:** A method for configuring services in a communications network including defining, by a service provider, a service type, then associating, by the service provider of the service type, the service type with an Enhanced Distributed Channel Access (EDCA) / Priority Access parameter set on an Access Point (AP) infrastructure. Then, provisioning a WLAN entity with the service type. In some cases, the WLAN entity is a multi-link device (MLD), and the service type is associated with a set of links of the WLAN entity.

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