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| CHANGE REQUEST | |
| Meeting ID:\* | SDS #40 |
| Source:\* | Convida Wireless |
| Date:\* | 2019-05-20 |
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| Reason for Change/s:\* | Provides potential solution affecting state and sequencing for action triggering. |
| CR against: Release\* | Release 4 |
| CR against: WI\* | Active <WI-0093>  MNT / < Work Item number(optional)>  Is this a companion CR? Yes  No  Companion CR number: (Note to Rapporteur - use latest agreed revision)Is this a mirror CR? Yes  No  Mirror CR number: (Note to Rapporteur - use latest agreed revision)  STE Small Technical Enhancements / < Work Item number (optional)>  Only ONE of the above shall be ticked |
| CR against: TS/TR\* | TR-0060 V 0.0.1 |
| Clauses/Sub Clauses \* | Clause 7 |
| Type of change: \* | Editorial change  Bug Fix or Correction  Change to existing feature or functionality  New feature or functionality  Only ONE of the above shall be ticked |
| Impacted other TS/TR(s) | <TS/TR number>, <Version Number>, and <Description on which aspect should be reflected in this TS/TR> |
| Post Freeze checking:\* | This CR contains only essential changes and corrections? YES  NO  This CR may break backwards compatibility with the last approved version of the TS? YES  NO |
| Template Version: January 2017 (Do not modify) | |

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## Introduction

The following introduces a solution addressing the issues discussed in contribution SDS-2019-xxxx-TR-0060 State and Sequencing in Action Triggering. The solution introduces two new resources <state> and <processManagement>, which may achieve the following functionalities.

* State-specific actions: An <action> is linked to the particular <state>(s) that it can be performed in. Only the <action>s linked by the currently active state will be monitored.
* Action branching: Each <state> may define a list of transitions, with each of them defining the corresponding transition condition and the next state to transition to. A state may transition to different states under different conditions, enabling action branching.
* Action and state sequencing: <processManagement> contains all the <state>s (as child resources) in the process. The <state>s in a progress will be activated one at a time through transitions, and the activated <state> will perform the linked <action>s, resulting in action and state sequencing. Besides, the sequencing could be initialized by meeting preconditions, and ended when reaching the final state or through exit conditions.
* Process level management: By controlling the status of the process, the process could be enabled/disabled/paused. The process may also be updated by modifying parameters associated with the <state>s, or by adding/removing <state> child resources.

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# Candidate Solutions

## Solution 1: State and Sequencing for Action Triggering

##### New Resource Type: *<state>*

The *<state>* resource is proposed to store the information of a state and define the actions and transitions in this state.

**Table 7.x.x.x: Attributes of *<state>* resource**

| **Attributes of  *<state>*** | **Multiplicity** | **RW/**  **RO/**  **WO** | **Description** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| *currentStatus* | 1 | RO | The indicator of whether this state is currently active. This attribute may take values from “active” or “inactive”. |
| *stateActions* | 0..1 (L) | RW | The link(s) to the <action>(s) that may be performed in this state. The actions include both the ones that will be performed unconditionally when entering this state, and the ones that may be triggered by certain events/conditions within this state. |
| *stateTransitions* | 0..1 (L) | RW | The possible transition(s) that may happen from the current state. Each transition is defined as a tuple [transition criteria, next state]:  Transition criteria: the event or condition that may trigger state transition;  Next state: the *resourceID* of the next state to transition to.  If this state is the last state in the process, this attribute will be empty. |

After the IoT process enters a new state, the value of the *currentStatus* attribute will be changed to “active”. A timer will be started if the state has any duration constraint. Then, for all the <action>s that are linked through *stateActions* attribute, their *evalMode* attributes will be changed from “off” to “once/periodic/continuous”. For an unconditional action, it will be performed immediately; for a conditional action, the Hosting CSE will check or start to monitor the *evalCriteria* attribute of the <*action*> to determine whether the action will be performed or not. In addition, the transition criteria defined in *stateTransitions* will start to be monitored. If (one of) the event(s) defined in transition criteria happens or (one of) the defined condition(s) is met, the state transition will be triggered. At transition, the *currentStatus* will be changed to “inactive” and all the *evalMode* attributes of the corresponding actions will be changed back to “off”. If there is any ongoing action when the transition is triggered, the action will be completed or forced to end based off of local CSE policies. The Hosting CSE will then transition to the next state as indicated by the next state ID.

##### New Resource Type: <*processManagement>*

The *<processManagement>* resource is proposed to store the information of the entire process consisting of multiple states.

**Table 7.x.x.x: Child Resources of Proposed oneM2M <*processManagement*> Resource**

| **Child Resources of *<processManagement>*** | **Child Resource Type** | **Multiplicity** | **Description** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| *[variable]* | *<state>* | 0..n | This resource describes the details of a particular state of an IoT process. |
| *[variable]* | *<subscription>* | 0..n | See clause 9.6.8 in [x]. |

**Table 7.x.x.x: Attributes of *<processManagement>* resource**

| **Attributes of  *<processManagement>*** | **Multiplicity** | **RW/**  **RO/**  **WO** | **Description** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| *processStatus* | 1 | RW | The status for the entire IoT process. The supported values for this attribute are:  Disabled: The process is disabled.  Enabled: The process is enabled, and the Hosting CSE will start to monitor the event/condition defined in *preconditions*, if the pre-condition is met, the *processStatus* will become “Active”.  Active: The process is active, which means there is one state (other than *finalState*) currently active.  Paused: The process is paused and will remain in the current state and will not transition to another state until “Active” again.  Ended: The process has entered the final state or exited through *exitConditions*. |
| *currentState* | 1 | RW | The *resourceID* of the <*state*> resource that the process is currently in. If the *processStatus* is not “Active”, the value of this attribute will be empty. |
| *preconditions* | 0..1 (L) | RW | This attribute specifies any conditions that must be met for the process to begin. It can be used to trigger the start of the process. When the conditions are met, the *processStatus* will become “Active”, and the Hosting CSE will transition to the state defined in *initialState*. |
| *exitConditions* | 0..1 (L) | RW | This attribute specifies what events can end the IoT process. It allows for the premature and asynchronous exit of the process. When the exit conditions are met, the *processStatus* will become “Ended”, and all states in this process will be “inactive”. |
| *initialState* | 1 | RW | The *resourceID* of the first <*state*> resource of the process. In other words, this is the state transitioned to after “*preconditions*” are met. |
| *finalState* | 0..1 | RW | The *resourceID* of the last <*state*> resource in the process. If the process is a loop, this attribute is empty. |

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