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 DRIP Provisioning Agent (DPA) Client HTTP Interface

Abstract

This document defines an HTTP based interface using either JSON or CBOR for object encodings for clients to register in a DRIP Identity Management Entity (DIME). The DPA is a logical component of the DIME that handles various DRIP specific functions and is the public interface for clients that wish to register.

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1. Introduction

The DPA is one of the required components in a DIME for it to fulfill the role of registration of DRIP Entity Tags (DETs) of clients. A standardized interface is needed for this to avoid interoperability issues between vendors supporting DRIP and the various logical components of the DIME.

Per [[drip-detim](#)] the DPA MUST:

provided an HTTP interface for clients to access with JSON or CBOR encoding of objects being sent to the DPA.

This document is the definition of this interface and its behavior; specifically between the DPA and a registering client. A snapshot of the OpenAPI specification is in [Appendix A](#) at the time of this documents publishing; with a URI to access an updated specification.

2. Terminology

2.1. Required Terminology

The key words "MUST", "MUST NOT", "REQUIRED", "SHALL", "SHALL NOT", "SHOULD", "SHOULD NOT", "RECOMMENDED", "NOT RECOMMENDED", "MAY", and "OPTIONAL" in this document are to be interpreted as described in BCP 14 [[RFC2119](#)] [[RFC8174](#)] when, and only when, they appear in all capitals, as shown here.

3. Endpoint Definitions & Behavior

All endpoints that send DRIP Endorsements use the JSON/CBOR forms as specified in [[drip-detim](#)].

If there is any failure during validation in any endpoint a HTTP 400 code MUST be sent to the client with a detailed reason for the error.

3.1. Serial Number

3.1.1. Standard Serial Number

```
{
  "serial": "Serial Number",
  "metadata": {
    "manufacturer": "Manufacturer",
    "make": "Make",
    "model": "Model",
    "color": "Color",
    "material": "Material",
    "weight": 1.0,
    "length": 1.0,
    "width": 1.0,
    "height": 1.0,
    "numRotors": 1,
    "propLength": 1.0,
    "batteryCapacity": 1.0,
    "batteryVoltage": 1.0,
    "batteryWeight": 1.0,
    "batteryChemistry": "Battery Chemistry",
    "takeOffWeight": 1.0,
    "maxPayloadWeight": 0.1,
    "maxFlightTime": 1.0,
    "minOperatingTemp": 1.0,
    "maxOperatingTemp": 2.0,
    "ipRating": "None"
  }
}
```

When a Serial Number request comes in the Serial Number MUST be validated to the formatting specified in [[CTA2063A](#)]. If the Serial Number is valid the DPA MUST check to confirm that there is no collisions are present for the Serial Number in both the Registry/Name Server (using the Serial Number FQDN) and the DIA.

If no collisions are detected the metadata can be sent to the DIA using the Serial Number as the primary key value.

A successful registration MUST return a HTTP code 200 with the following payload:

```
{
  "serial_fqdn": "<id>.<mfr_code>.mfr.hhit.arpa."
}
```

3.1.2. DET Serial Number

```
{
  "serial": "Serial Number",
  "se": self_endorsement,
  "metadata": {
    "manufacturer": "Manufacturer",
    "make": "Make",
    "model": "Model",
    "color": "Color",
    "material": "Material",
    "weight": 1.0,
    "length": 1.0,
    "width": 1.0,
    "height": 1.0,
    "numRotors": 1,
    "propLength": 1.0,
    "batteryCapacity": 1.0,
    "batteryVoltage": 1.0,
    "batteryWeight": 1.0,
    "batteryChemistry": "Battery Chemistry",
    "takeOffWeight": 1.0,
    "maxPayloadWeight": 0.1,
    "maxFlightTime": 1.0,
    "minOperatingTemp": 1.0,
    "maxOperatingTemp": 2.0,
    "ipRating": "None"
  }
}
```

The self_endorsement in the request is a Self-Endorsement: UA.

The serial parameter when using a DET-based Serial Number must be checked to confirm that the DET in the Self-Endorsement: UA properly encodes into the Serial Number specified. The formatting and process of a DET encoded Serial Number can be found in [[drip-rid](#)].

If the Serial Number is valid the DPA MUST check to confirm that there are no collisions present for the Serial Number, DET and HI in both the Registry/Name Server (using the DET FQDN and Serial Number FQDN) and the DIA.

If no collisions are detected the metadata can be sent to the DIA using the Serial Number as the primary key value. A DET FQDN is formed using the DET and used for the HIP RR and CERT RRs. Two CERT RRs are required; one for the Self-Endorsement: UA sent in the registration request, and one for the Broadcast Endorsement: DIME, UA generated by the DPA. A Serial Number FQDN is used to create a CNAME RR pointing to the DET FQDN.

A successful registration MUST return a HTTP code 200 with a payload containing the following:

```
{
  "be": broadcast_endorsement,
  "serial_fqdn": "<id>.<mfr_code>.mfr.hhit.arpa."
  "hhit_fqdn": "<hash>.<oga_id>.<hda>.<raa>.<prefix>.hhit.arpa."
}
```

The broadcast_endorsement in the response is a Broadcast Endorsement: DIME, UA.

3.2. Operator / Ground Control Station (GCS)

```
{
  "se": self_endorsement,
  "metadata": {
    ...
  }
}
```

The self_endorsement in the request is a Self-Endorsement: Operator or Self-Endorsement: GCS.

A successful registration MUST return a HTTP code 200 with a payload containing the following:

```
{
  "e": endorsement,
  "hhit_fqdn": "<hash>.<oga_id>.<hda>.<raa>.<prefix>.hhit.arpa."
}
```

The endorsement in the response is a Endorsement: DIME, Operator or Endorsement: DIME, GCS.

3.3. Session ID

```
{
  "e": endorsement,
  "me": mutual_endorsement,
  "metadata": {
    "serial": "Serial Number",
    "uas_id": "base16 HHIT/DET of UA",
    "utm_id": UUIDv4,
    "utm_src": URI,
    "operator_det": "base16 HHIT/DET",
    "operator_id": "CAA Operator ID"
  }
}
```

The endorsement in the request is an Endorsement: Operator, UA or a Endorsement: GCS, UA. The mutual_endorsement in the request is Mutual Endorsement: DIME, Operator or a Mutual Endorsement: DIME, GCS. When the e and me are on or with an Operator then the operator_det MUST match the HHIT/DET found in those endorsements.

A successful registration MUST return a HTTP code 200 with a payload containing the following:

```
{
  "be": broadcast_endorsement,
  "e": endorsement,
  "hhit_fqdn": "<hash>.<oga_id>.<hda>.<raa>.<prefix>.hhit.arpa."
}
```

The broadcast_endorsement in the response is a Broadcast Endorsement: DIME, UA.

The endorsement in the response is an Endorsement: DIME, Operator, UA or an Endorsement: DIME, GCS, UA.

3.4. Child DIME

```
{
  "se": self_endorsement,
  "metadata": {
    "name": "",
    "abbreviation": "",
    "mfrCode": ""
    "addr": {
      "street1": "",
      "street2": "",
      "city": "",
      "sp": "",
      "pc": "",
      "cc": ""
    },
    "voice": "",
    "email": ""
  }
}
```

Note: the mfrCode field is only used by an MRA when registering with an IRM and holds the ICAO assigned Manufacturer Code for [CTA2063A].

A successful registration MUST return a HTTP code 200 with a payload containing the following:

```
{
  "be": broadcast_endorsement,
  "e": endorsement,
  "hhit_fqdn": "<hash>.<oga_id>.<hda>.<raa>.<prefix>.hhit.arpa."
}
```

The broadcast_endorsement in the response is a Broadcast Endorsement: Parent DIME, Child DIME.

The endorsement in the response is an Endorsement: Parent DIME, Child DIME.

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Appendix A. OpenAPI Specification

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