

# URI Signing for HAS content

draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has-02

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# What happened before

- URI Signing as specified in draft-ietf-cdni-uri-signing does not natively work for segmented content (e.g. HLS, DASH, etc.)
  - Main issue: With manifest-based content with relative URLs, each request is independent, with no redirection between CSP and CDN
- In order to solve this, work started on an extension to allow for chaining of tokens between subsequent segment requests
- Work was merged into draft-ietf-cdni-uri-signing-04
- During Dallas meeting, WG decided to remove segmented content extensions from the WG draft due to incoming KPN IPR statement (possible royalty or fee)
  - Removed sections re-published as draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has

# Recent developments

- MPEG remains interested in a solution that is compatible with CDNI URI Signing
  - Latest liaison (March 8) at <https://datatracker.ietf.org/liaison/1464/>
  - MPEG will most likely come up with its own solution for URI Signing in case of no IETF solution
- Several new versions of draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has in the meantime
- Most importantly: Had long discussions with KPN trying to convince them to re-consider IPR terms

# Proposed new IPR terms

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# Options...

- Does the WG want to reconsider the decision to not work on segmented content given the new IPR terms?
  - If so, do we want to accept draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has as a WG document?
  - If not, do we want to keep working on draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has in a different fashion? E.g. by trying to work around the IPR or by progressing the document as an independent submission?

# Hum Test 1

- A: Hum now if you want the WG to stick to its current decision to **NOT** progress the “URI Signing for HAS” solution as Working Group material
- B: Hum now if you want the WG to revert its decision and progress the “URI Signing for HAS” solution as Working Group material

# Questions In case A

- do we want to keep working on draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has in a different fashion? E.g. by trying to work around the IPR or by progressing the document as an independent submission?

# Hum Test 2

## (In case of B)

- Hum now if you want to accept draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has as a WG document
- Hum now if you do NOT want to accept draft-brandenburg-cdni-uri-signing-for-has as a WG document