

DTLS Tunnel for PERC

draft-jones-perc-dtls-tunnel-04

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Notable Changes

- Switched tunnel transport from DTLS to TLS
- Changed key field names to align with RFC 5764 (DTLS-SRTP)
- Introduced a conference identifier field
- Switched back to a TLS-style syntax (similar to draft -00)

TLS-Style Syntax

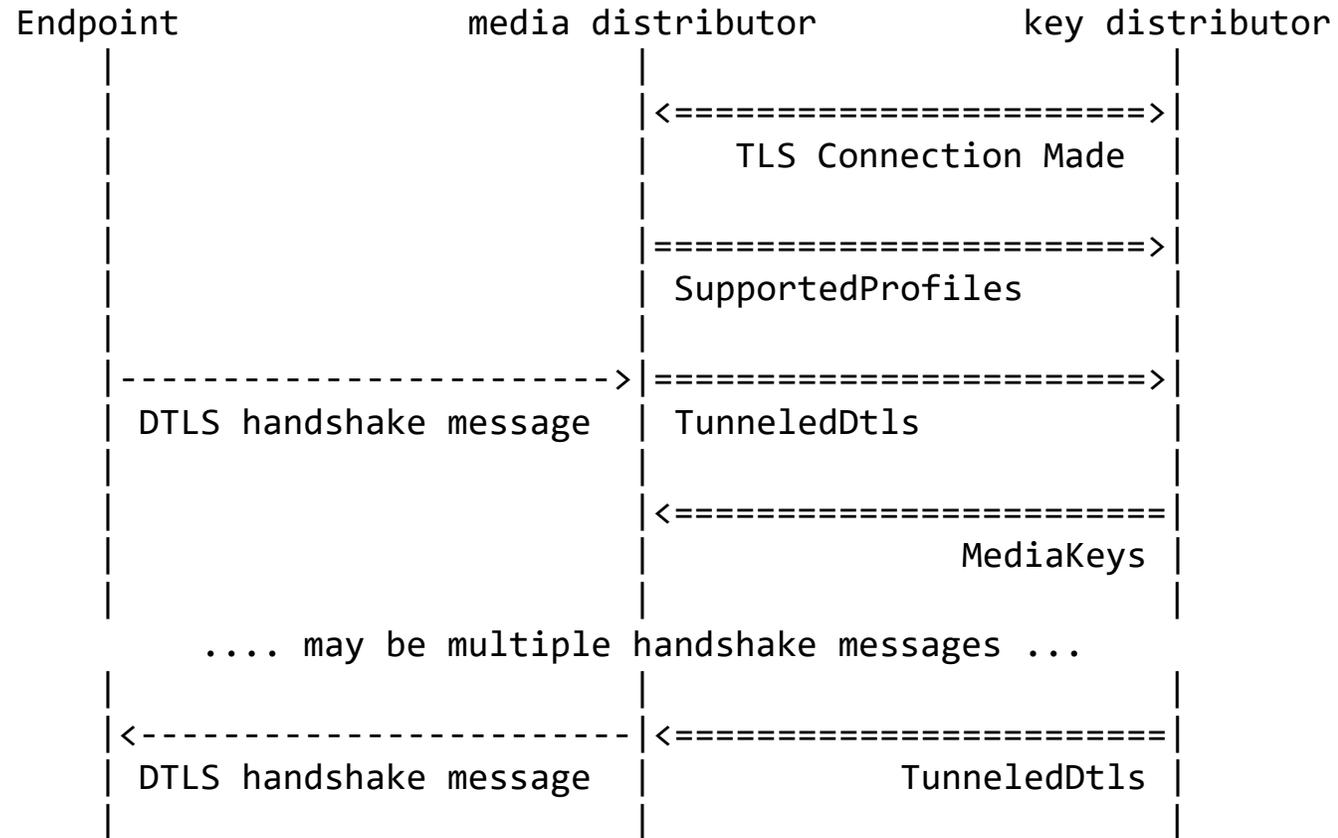
Message primitives are

```
enum {  
    unsupported_version(1),  
    supported_profiles(2),  
    media_keys(3),  
    tunneled_dtls(4),  
    endpoint_disconnect(5),  
    (255)  
} MsgType;
```

Common message structure

```
struct {  
    uint8 version;  
    MsgType msg_type;  
    select (MsgType) {  
        case unsupported_version: UnsupportedVersion;  
        case supported_profiles: SupportedProfiles;  
        case media_keys: MediaKeys;  
        case tunneled_dtls: TunneledDtls;  
        case endpoint_disconnect: EndpointDisconnect;  
    } body;  
} TunnelMessage;
```

High-Level Message Sequence



SupportedProfiles

- Message sent from the Media Distributor to the Key Distributor to indicate which hop-by-hop SRTP encryption & authentication algorithms are supported

```
uint8 SRTPProtectionProfile[2]; /* from RFC5764 */  
  
struct {  
    SRTPProtectionProfile protection_profiles<0..2^16-1>;  
} SupportedProfiles;
```

TunneledDtls

- This message is used to tunnel DTLS packets between the media distributor and the key distributor

```
struct {  
    uint32 association_id;  
    opaque conf_id<0..255>;  
    opaque dtls_message<0..2^16-1>;  
} TunneledDtls;
```

- The conference ID allows the transmitter to indicate the conference to which a tunneled message belongs (more later)

MediaKeys

- Allows the key distributor to provide the media distributor with hop-by-hop keying material and selected cipher

```
struct {
    uint32 association_id;
    SRTPProtectionProfile protection_profile;
    opaque mki<0..255>;
    opaque client_write_SRTP_master_key<1..255>;
    opaque server_write_SRTP_master_key<1..255>;
    opaque client_write_SRTP_master_salt<1..255>;
    opaque server_write_SRTP_master_salt<1..255>;
    opaque conf_id<0..255>;
} MediaKeys;
```

- Note the conference identifier is present here, too (more later)

EndpointDisconnect

- This message is sent from the media distributor to the key distributor to provide a clear indication that the associated endpoint is no longer a conference participant

```
struct {  
    uint32 association_id;  
} EndpointDisconnect;
```

UnsupportedVersion

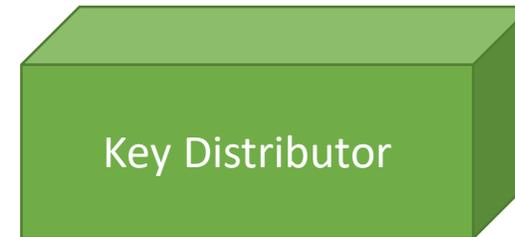
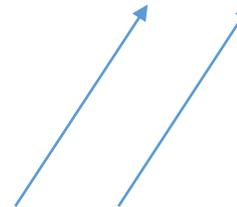
- Sent by the key distributor to indicate to the media distributor that the version of the protocol advertised is not supported
- Media distributor is responsible for moving to the version supported by the key distributor

```
struct { } UnsupportedVersion;
```

Conference Identification Issue

Which DTLS association belongs to conference “A” and conference “B”? This determines which “EKT Key” to return.

Alice attempts to attend two different, overlapping meetings, initiating a DTLS associations for each of those.



Conference Identification

- Assumption: the key distributor knows which users (including the user's certificate fingerprint) are allowed to be given a given conference key
- If an endpoint uses the same certificate, we have a problem to solve
 - Solution: put the conference identifier into the TunneledDtls message sent by the media distributor, allowing the key distributor to be able to associate a DTLS association with a particular conference
 - Preference: the media distributor not have to know a conference identifier *a priori* and require that each simultaneous call use a different certificate, thus allowing the key distributor to determine which key to use based on the certificate fingerprint
 - Alternative: advertise a conference identifier in the DTLS handshake (discovery external to PERC)
- How does the media distributor know how to put a user's media flows into a given conference?
 - Solution: put a conference identifier into the MediaKeys message, effectively allowing the key distributor to tell the media distributor how to group user flows into a conference
 - Preference: not have this field and accept that some higher-level call control function instructs the media distributor on how to associate flows into a conference (outside the scope of this protocol or PERC entirely)