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Proposal to operate SNA between CNUSC and CNUCE

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1. Proposal

Italy proposes to operate SNA between CNUSC and CNUCE. The Executive is invited to approve the proposal.

2. Background

Stephano Trumpy states-

I notify that CNUCE and CNUSC plan to move their link from BSC to SDLC. The usage of SNA will improve the efficiency of the network. At present the technicians are testing the SNI interconnection and we foresee to be ready by the beginning of February. Specific attention will be paid to the parameter definition which will not allow interactive traffic; at present only the 'link in object' will be connected to the international backbone in SNA mode not allowing virtual circuit coming from other nodes in Italy other than ICNUCEVM. We are waiting for other international nodes to adopt SNA in order to establish virtual circuits especially serving connections with nodes having higher traffic from and to Italy (CERN, CUNY). This situation will be maintained at least until we upgrade the present line speed.