

Configuring Cryptographically Generated Addresses (CGA) using DHCPv6

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Requirements & Motivation

- **CGAs may be used in DHCPv6-managed networks**
 - Designed for SeND, also used in Shim6, Mobile IPv6, etc.
- **Network administrators may want to configure parameters used to generate CGAs and manage the use of CGAs**
 - CGAs are normally generated by hosts
 - Network management configures/enforces CGA relevant parameters to hosts
 - DHCPv6 server approves or rejects the usage of CGAs
- **New DHCPv6 options are needed to fulfill the functions**

CGA Configure Process Using DHCPv6

- **Configuration of the parameters required for the generation of CGA**
 - Parameters may be configured by network management
 - ✓ Prefix (RA or DHCP prefix assignment)
 - ✓ **Sec value (new DHCPv6 option in this draft)**
 - ✓ Public Key (not suitable for network transmission for security reasons)
 - ✓ Extension Fields (no use yet)
 - Interaction procedure is described in details

CGA Configure Process Using DHCPv6 (2)

- **DHCPv6 server approves or rejects the usage of CGAs**
 - Hosts send Option Request option, which requests Address Grant Option (**new DHCPv6 option, defined in this draft**)
 - CGAs are carried in the IA Address Options
 - Servers reply a Address Grant Option
 - Upon reception of the ack, hosts use approved CGA or generate new one

Change Log

Removed CGA generation delegation

Comments are welcomed!

Should the WG work on this?

Thank You!