CoA Proxying RADEXT - IETF 90 Alan DeKok FreeRADIUS

Problem Statement

- I-D now available
- How do we do CoA proxying in a roaming environment?
- User-Name doesn't work, we need to forward to the visited network

Solution

- Use Operator-Name
 - '1' + realm
- Defined to be the name of the visited network

Problem Statement

- How to get the packets from the visited network AAA to the NAS?
- NAS-IP-Address doesn't work
 - Private IPs, it can be re-written

Solution

- Define new Operator-NAS-Identifier
 - opaque token meaningful only to operator
 - Sent with Operator-Name (both ways)
- Operator can use it to route the packet to the NAS.
- Other methods may be used, too

Implementations

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- CoA proxying via existing Operator-Name
- Uses existing realms table.
- Seems to work.

Discussion?