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Notification-type	O	8.2.1.1.1.38
Service-message	O	8.2.1.1.1.39

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Add new subclauses 8.2.1.1.1.38 and 8.2.1.1.1.39:

8.2.1.1.1.38 Notification-type

This argument indicates that the **content** is a notification, and indicates that it is one of three types of notification (type-1, type-2 or type-3); the use of these values is defined in the relevant **content** specification. It may be generated by the originator of the message, but shall be generated only if the **content** is a notification as defined in the relevant **content** specification.

The **notification-type** indication is not delivered to the recipient(s) of the message and is not returned to the originator with any report(s). Depending upon policy, this argument may be verified by the MTS.

8.2.1.1.1.39 Service-message

This argument indicates that the message is for service purposes. It may be generated by the originator of the message, but shall be used only by bilateral agreement.

The **service-message** indication is not delivered to the recipient(s) of the message and is not returned to the originator with any report(s). Depending upon policy, this argument may be verified by the MTS.

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Append to Content Arguments:

Notification-type	8.2.1.1.1.38
Service-message	8.2.1.1.1.39

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Subclause 8.3.1.1.1.5

Append an additional value for **redirection-reason**:

**directory-substitution**: the **OR-address** of the intended-recipient did not identify a recipient MTS-user; the **OR-name** of that intended-recipient also contained a **directory-name** which was used to obtain from the Directory a different **OR-address** for that intended-recipient; the MTS redirected the message to the replacement **OR-address** for that intended-recipient.

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Subclause 8.3.1.2.1.11

Append an additional value for **non-delivery-diagnostic-code**:

**incorrect-notification-type**: the subject-message contained a **notification-type** argument which did not correspond to its **content**.

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Replace the production for PerMessageIndicators by:

```
PerMessageIndicators ::= [APPLICATION 8] BIT STRING {
  disclosure-of-other-recipients (0), -- disclosure-of-other-recipients-allowed 'one',
                                     -- disclosure-of-recipient-prohibited 'zero';
                                     -- ignored for Probe-submission
  implicit-conversion-prohibited (1), -- implicit-conversion-prohibited 'one',
                                     -- implicit-conversion-allowed 'zero'
  alternate-recipient-allowed (2),    -- alternate-recipient-allowed 'one',
                                     -- alternate-recipient-prohibited 'zero'
  content-return-request (3),         -- content-return-requested 'one',
                                     -- content-return-not-requested 'zero';
                                     -- ignored for Probe-submission
  reserved (4),                      -- bit reserved by MOTIS 1986
  bit-5 (5),
  bit-6 (6),
  service-message (7),
  (SIZE (0..ub-bit-options))
}
```

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Figure 2 (Part 12 of 26) (as modified by Technical Corrigendum 4)

In the production for NonDeliveryDiagnosticCode, replace:

```
transfer-attempts-limit-reached (49) } (0..ub-diagnostic-codes)
```

by:

```
transfer-attempts-limit-reached (49),
incorrect-notification-type (50) } (0..ub-diagnostic-codes)
```

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Append to Content Arguments:

Notification-type	C	8.2.1.1.1.38
Service-message	C	8.2.1.1.1.39

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Append to Content Arguments:

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Service-message	C	8.2.1.1.1.39

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Subclause 14.3.2.4

Insert after bullet 5) :

6) Depending upon its policy, the MTA may verify that the value of **notification-type** corresponds to the **content**. If the MTA does not verify **notification-type**, or if it corresponds to the **content**, then the procedure terminates successfully. If the MTA verifies **notification-type** and it does not correspond to the **content** then one of the following is performed depending upon policy:

- a) the non-correspondence is ignored and the procedure terminates successfully;
- b) if the **notification-type** is not set to one of the values type-1, type-2, or type-3, **notification-type** is set to the correct value and the procedure terminates;
- c) if the **notification-type** is set incorrectly to one of the values type-1, type-2, or type-3, the procedure returns a report generation instruction with a **non-delivery-reason-code** of **unable-to-transfer** and a **non-delivery-diagnostic-code** of **incorrect-notification-type**. The procedure then terminates.

The MTA may verify **service-message** with similar procedures.

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Subclause 14.3.6.4

Replace bullet 1) and the NOTE by:

1) The arguments are checked for the inclusion of a **directory-name**. If one is present, the procedure performs a Directory look-up to determine a new **OR-address**. The **requested-delivery-method** argument is used to select appropriate information from that provided by the Directory to construct an **OR-address**. If this is different from the original **OR-address**, it is combined with the **directory-name** to form the **OR-name** of an alternate recipient. The Redirection procedure is then called to redirect the message to this alternate recipient, with redirection-reason **directory-substitution**.

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