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It does not specify:

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- c) the means by which addresses (IP addresses and TCP port numbers) are agreed, assigned, and communicated.

This International Standard responds to the requirements imposed by the International Standards for SLE transfer services that were available when this International Standard was released. The protocol specified in this International Standard conforms to the requirements on data communication services set forth in those International Standards.

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