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### **Abstract**

This memo describes *Session Id Registration (SESSID)* that provides the ability for one (listening) Application Server to indicate that a session should be established with another (accepting) Application Server for connection- and transaction-oriented messaging in the SS7 Signalling User Adaptation Layers [M3UA..TUA]. Extension parameters and procedures are added by this memo in extension to those of the User Adaptation layers to provide a closer model to that of the XNS/XTI interfaces, where one interface may be designated as a 'listener' and another designated as an 'acceptor'. This permits ISO compliant interfaces for SCCP to maintain the same semantic for SUA and TUA.

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The keywords MUST, MUST NOT, REQUIRED, SHALL, SHALL NOT, SHOULD, SHOULD NOT, RECOMMENDED, NOT RECOMMENDED, MAY, and OPTIONAL, when they appear in this document, are to be interpreted as described in [RFC 2119].

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