

# Constrained voucher

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brski.org/brski-impls.html

Overview ACP Implementations GRASP Implementations BRSKI Implementations

## BRSKI Documents

meta-info and [html doc.](#)

## BRSKI Implementations

BRSKI comes in three components: pledge library, Registrar and MASA.

## BRSKI talks and tutorials

- Secure, zero-touch Bootstrap for the Internet of Things (IoTSF2018) ([video](#))  

- Prof. Andreas Rüst on Authenticating Wireless Nodes in Building Automation: Challenges & Approaches.  
Designing IoT system to be secure from day one (with BRSKI)  
Eliot Lear on: Bootstrapping Remote Secure Key Infrastructures (BRSKI) for WiFi  
RIOT-OS 2019 talk about BRSKI, Rust and RIOT-OS: Rusty Beer for RIOT-OS ([PDF](#))  
Generic Animation of BRSKI - Bootstrapping Remote Secure Key Infrastructure (ODP) (screencast) (enterprise/IoT screencast)  
DINRG and ANIMA at IETF102  
NIST: Trusted IoT Network Device Project  




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BRSKI: Building  
SID: YAN

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# Changes since IETF110

- Changes since version 10.
- Raw Public Key Use Considerations
- Reference to published RFCs
- Three directorate reviews,
- 37 issues open
  - (47 closed)
- Hackathon IETF111
- Removed requirement to do Discovery.
- Removed requirement to get /cacerts if voucher pins needed trust anchor already
- More explanation of what to pin
  - Raw Public Key pinning
- Proximity-registrar-subject-public-key-info -> proximity-registrar-pubk
- Proposed to change module from ietf-constrained-voucher to ietf-voucher-constrained

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<https://www.ietf.org/rfcdiff?url1=draft-ietf-anima-constrained-voucher-10&url2=https://raw.githubusercontent.com/anima-wg/constrained-voucher/master/constrained-voucher-13.txt>

# Name of the module: ietf-voucher-constrained

ietf-constrained-voucher ->

ietf-voucher-constrained

No effect on running code  
Because they are all encoded  
Using SID values

ietf-constrained-voucher-request ->  
ietf-voucher-request-constrained

<https://github.com/anima-wg/constrained-voucher/pull/127>

# Directorate Reviews

- Russ Housley GENART early review
  - Missing Security Considerations, pointed out some things
    - <https://mailarchive.ietf.org/arch/msg/anima/87S9oAHrhRxMI03IRiutpCIQRVc/>
- Daniele Franke SECDIR early review
  - <https://mailarchive.ietf.org/arch/msg/anima/UAGFHLMRmJ4cboyk4ONrhcdDfPo/>
  - Issues #124, #125, #126.
    - About curve issue (#126), slide in Hackathon efforts coming
- Henk Birkholz IOTDIR early review
  - <https://mailarchive.ietf.org/arch/msg/anima/EY4w20fWC5zYYly5JweHT1t5g8k/>
  - Issues #132 to #141
- Media Types Review and Early Allocation Request
  - Carsten corrected sections 12.5, media types registry
  - We forgot to do early allocation for TBD3, had used value of 65502 in previous interop attempts (2019 era)
  -

# Dependent upon CORE WG drafts - now in IESG review

## CBOR Encoding of Data Modeled with YANG

draft-ietf-core-yang-cbor-16

Status IESG evaluation record IESG writeups Email expansions History

### Discuss

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Robert Wilton

### Yes

Francesca Palombini

### No Objection

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Erik Kline

John Scudder

Lars Eggert

Martin Vigoureux

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Roman Danyliw

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Eric Vyncke

### No Record

Martin Duke

Warren Kumari

**Summary:** Has 2 DISCUSSes. Has enough positions to pass once DISCUSS p

Benjamin Kaduk

### Discuss (2021-07-13)

(1) The statement "Bytes with no bits set at the end of the removed." in Section 6.7 seems confusing to the point of being potentially harmful, and I'm not sure why it needs to be. In the context it appears in, it seems to leave the value to be used as bit string offset in an ambiguous state. If the intent is that strings should not be generated (and MAY/SHOULD/MUST be rejected by recipients), that's okay, but having them silently ignored is surprising and may merit discussion.

(2) I think we should discuss the relationship between this draft-ietf-core-sid, which are before the IESG at the same time. The document says that core-sid is "one example for" a specific way of defining the management of SIDs, but draft-ietf-core-sid claims the document that "defines the semantics, the registration, assignment processes of YANG SIDs". I'm having a hard time making two statements as compatible with each other, but maybe I'm

(3) The second example of instance-identifier using SID (§6.6) is malformed, with "key name country" appearing under both "list authorized-key" and no "country" leaf within "list user" than the one under "list authorized-key". (The actual identifier example appears to correctly only use "name" as the key for "user" and not "list authorized-key".)

(4) Relatedly, the second example of instance-identifier by itself does not show a country for "authorized-key", and I'm not sure if this is a valid way to represent the given YANG element.

### Comment (2021-07-13)

I can see why it would not make sense to do so in this docu

## YANG Schema Item iDentifier (YANG SID)

draft-ietf-core-sid-16

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Eric Vyncke

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Roman Danyliw

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Warren Kumari

**Summary:** Has 4 DISCUSSes. Needs 3 more YES or NO OBJECTION positions to pass.

Benjamin Kaduk

### Discuss (2021-07-13)

(1) I think there is a new security consideration with this work that is important to document clearly -- not only do we define a new type of identifier, but we define a file format and other mechanisms for disseminating that information. An entity that's processing application/yang-data+cbor; id=sid information needs to ensure that the .sid files (or other source of SID information) it uses for such processing came from a trustworthy authority (or at least the same source as the data file). It would be possible for malicious manipulation of .sid file contents to cause a message recipient to mis-interpret the received message without any indication of such tampering.

(2) Per §7.4.2, YANG SID range registries with public ranges MUST include a reference to the ".sid" file for such ranges, but the IANA-managed YANG SID range registry established by §7.5 does not, in and of itself, make such a provision. This function seems to be served by the "IETF YANG SIG Registry" created by §7.6, so we may just need to point to the one registry from the other in order to remain internally consistent.

(3) There may be another inconsistency to look into; Section 7.6.2 says that:

\* If another ".sid" file has already allocated SIDs for this YANG module (e.g. for older or newer versions of the YANG module), the YANG items are assigned the same SIDs as in the other ".sid" file.

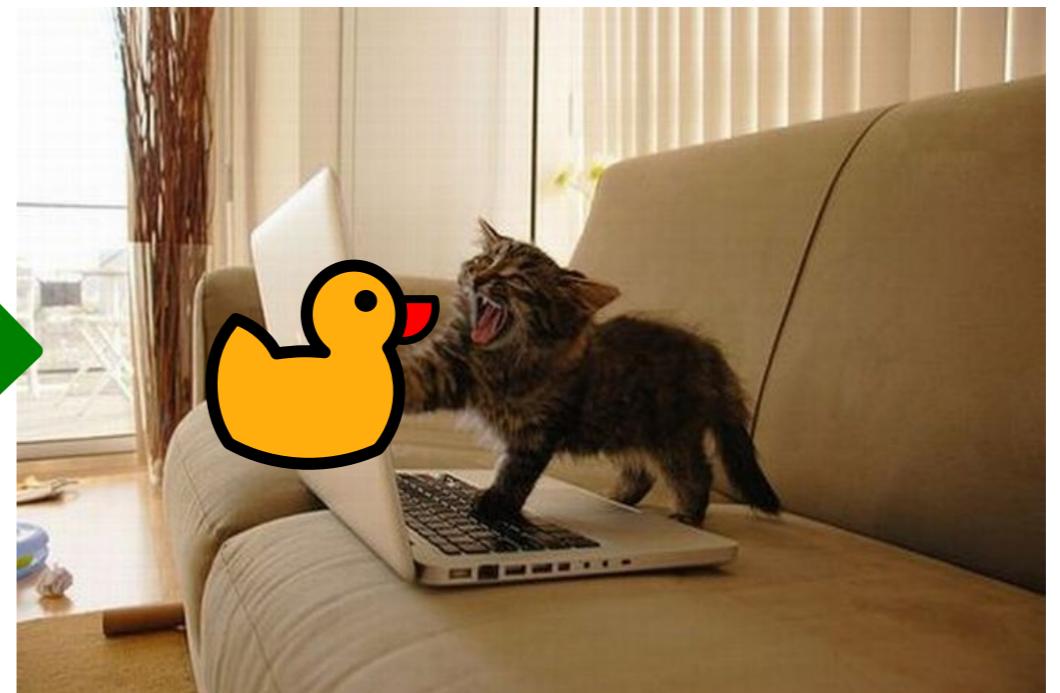
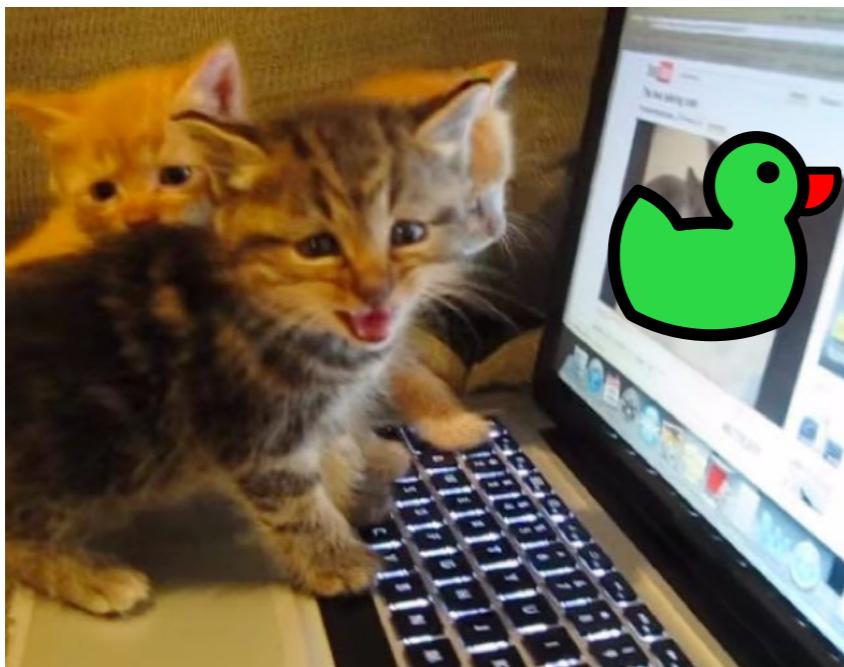
But we are supposed to allocate a new SID for a YANG item if its semantics change in a revision of the YANG module. Perhaps it's just the "for older or newer versions of the YANG module" phrase that needs tweaking?

### Comment (2021-07-13)

The yangdoctors review mentioned the structure extension from RFC 8791, and the authors (understandably) expressed reluctance to make such a

# Hackathon Results

- IETF111 Hackathon July 19-23. Meet up in gather.town @ 14:00 UTC, at table A(NIMA).
- Participants: Esko (IOT-Consultancy), Peter (OCF?), Aurelio (ZHAW), Toerless (co-chair), Michael (Sandelman), Thomas (Siemens),
  - Will repeat at next Hackathon, but also participants want to continue between events.
  - IETF L2 VPN now available, which will help test join proxy parts
- NIST NCCoE IoT-onboarding presented Thursday, please see meeting materials
- Lots of work, but more smoke than fire
- Virtual event, so here are our feline likenesses at work:



# List of Hackathon Issues (1)

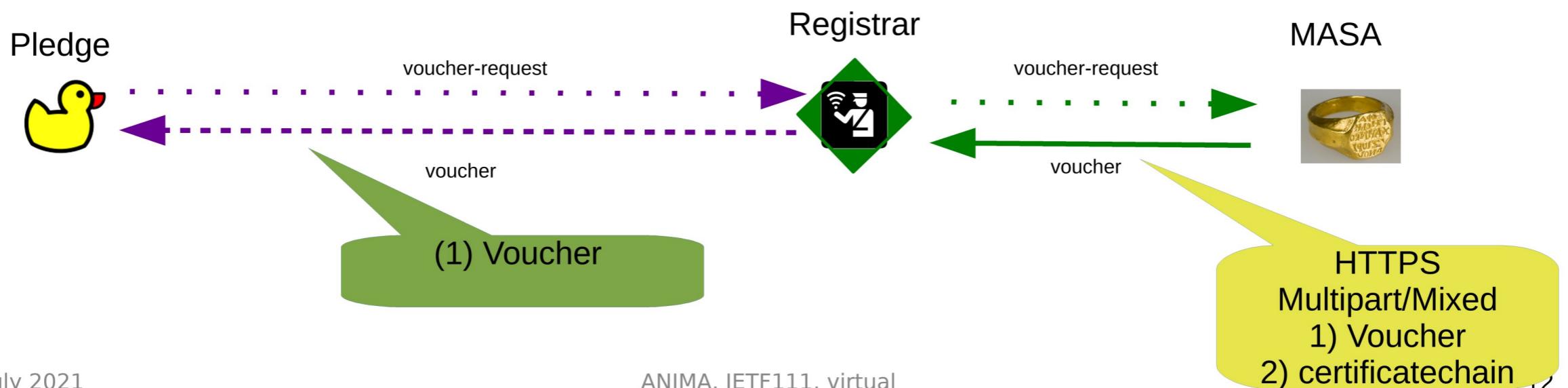
- Early Allocation of TBD3 - previous efforts used 65502 (private use value) for Content-Format
- Problems getting CCM\_8 mode(s) enabled for OpenSSL
- What should Registrar/MASA have as mandatory to implement ciphers?
- SNI must be used for Registrar/MASA connection
  - SNI must be ignored to Pledge/Registrar (CN callback)

# List of Hackathon Issues (2)

- is it allowed to omit x5bag on Voucher reply?
- is x5bag mandatory on Registrar/MASA voucher-request?
  - [Issue #142](#)
- mbedTLS signature verification on voucher-request?
  - Unclear how to deal with preamble of public key with library
- Should we care about CN of MASA certificate? ([Issue #144](#))
- IDevID Issuer in voucher, not using whole authority key.

# X5BAG in voucher reply auditing of MASA reply by Registrar

- Not transmitting x5bag with voucher to Pledge that already has it (or the RPK) saves at least 32-bytes, probably several hundred.
- Without x5bag with voucher, Registrar can not validate voucher. This creates a new code path to test, and also removes audit trail from Registrar.
- Two solutions are possible:
  - Always send x5bag or RPK equivalent (which would be?), but allow Registrar to remove it from COSE.
    - Involves “surgery” to COSE structure, which could result in breaking something. Can not use COSE library.
  - Send needed certificates or public keys in a multipart/mixed.
    - This was proposed a few iterations ago, but not pursued



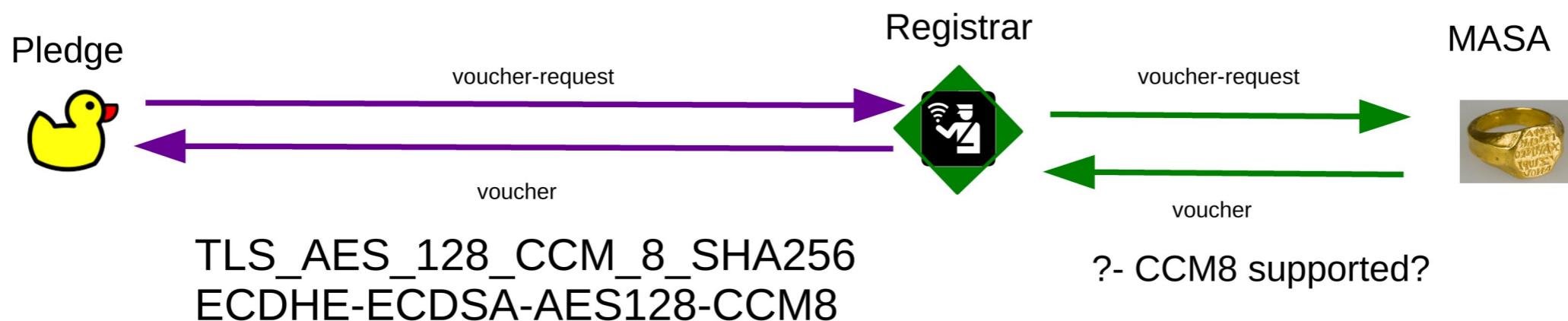
# What should Registrar/MASA have as mandatory to implement ciphers?

- Pledge->Registrar, CoAPS, per RFC7252 has **TLS\_AES\_128\_CCM\_8\_SHA256** (DTLS1.3) and ECDHE-ECDSA-AES128-CCM8 (DTLS 1.2)
- These are not enabled by default as part of the **TLS** specification.
- Should Registrar->MASA be able to use only CCM\_8 modes to talk to MASA? Should the Registrar use TLS MTI, or TLS MTI + CCM\_8 modes?

We need to specify curve, for signature on voucher request And voucher.

So, we think secp256r1. And an EdDSA ED25519?

CCM-8 is not standard TLS, so MASA on common frameworks might not support it. Do we force Registrar to do normal public TLS list, or MASA to learn CCM-8?

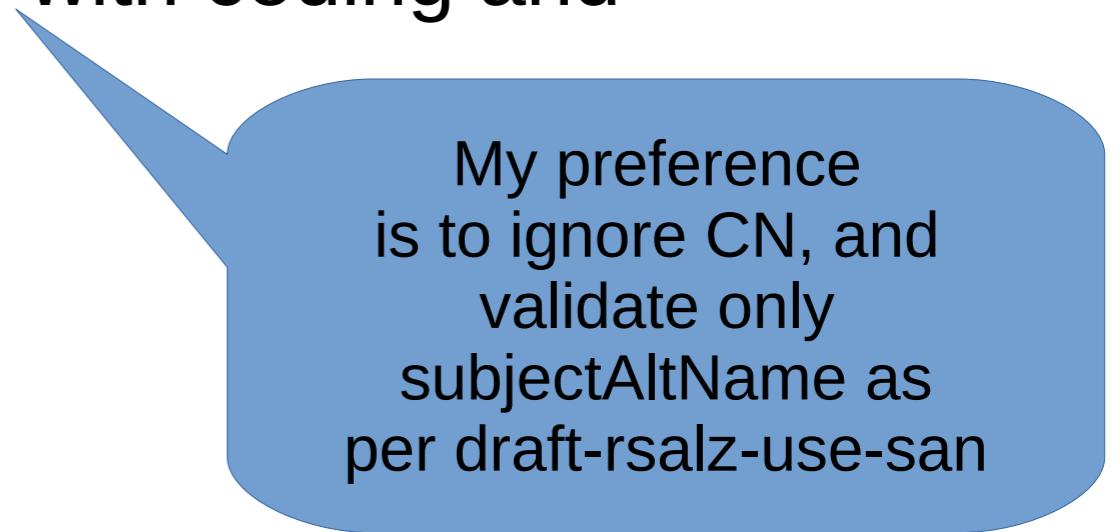


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My preference is to ignore CN, and validate only subjectAltName as per draft-rsalz-use-san

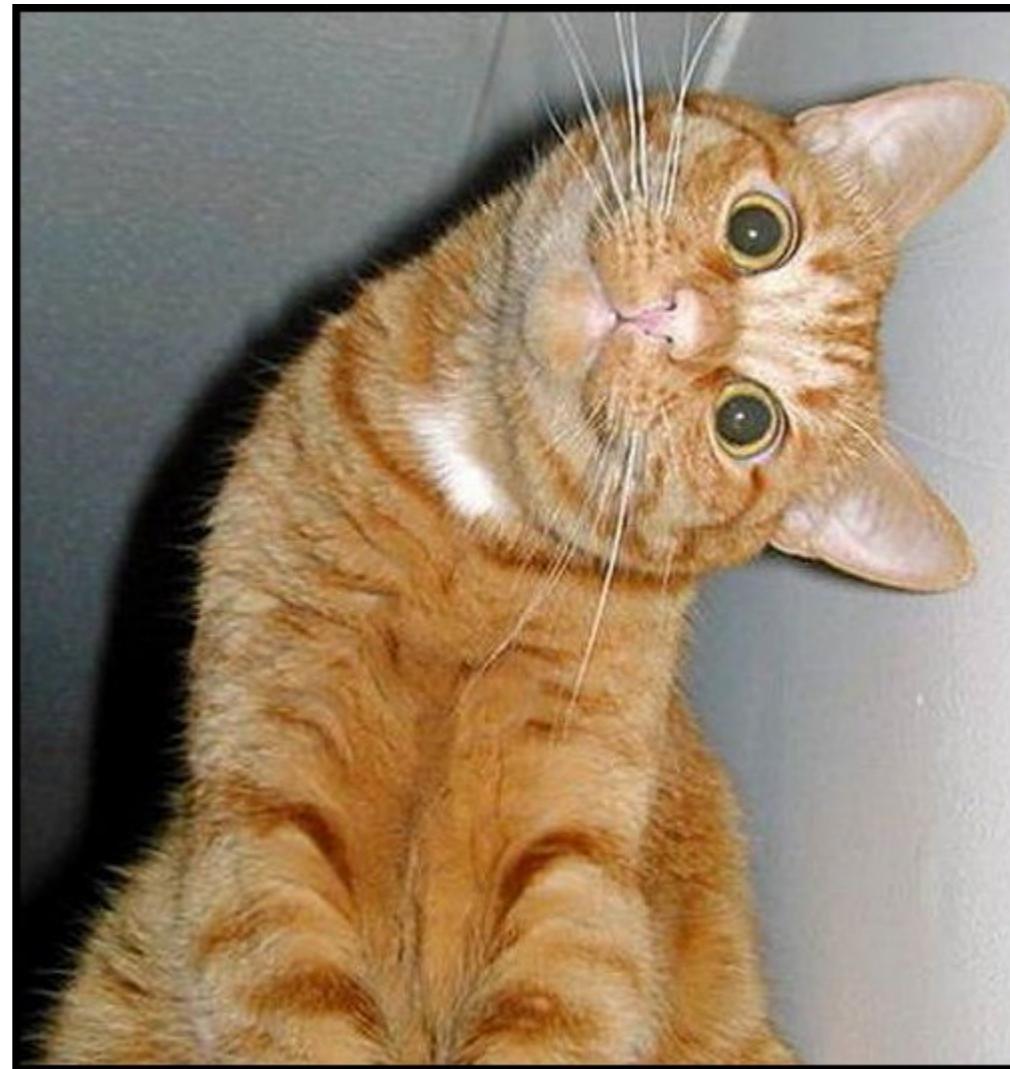
# IDevID Issuer, not using whole authority key

- In the voucher, we have the authority-key-identifier of IDevID issuer
  - (8366 section )
  - IDevID from Esko, processing by Thomas Registrar
- We may need clarification in RFC8366bis about this.

# TLS Server Name Indicator (SNI) - RFC6066 clarification in RFC8995

- First errata against RFC8995:
  - <https://www.rfc-editor.org/errata/eid6642>
  - Section 5.4 says:
  - Use of TLS 1.3 (or newer) is encouraged. TLS 1.2 or newer is REQUIRED. TLS 1.3 (or newer) SHOULD be available.
  - It should say:
  - TLS 1.2 [RFC5246] with SNI support [RFC6066] is REQUIRED if TLS 1.3 is not available. The Server Name Indicator (SNI) is required when the Registrar communicates with the MASA in order for the MASA to be hosted in a modern multi-tenant TLS infrastructure.
- Other one is about how the Pledge can not insert SNI, because it does not know the name of the Registrar, so any SNI found needs to be ignored by Registrar.
  - ... uhm.... Errata seems to be lost. Will refile.

# Discussion



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*Thanks to weekly discussions in BRSKI design team on Thursday  
Cancelled for August 5, but will resume on August 12.*

# Conclusions

Three directorate reviews occurred  
Security Considerations still needed  
Applicability Statement needed!

(not ready for WGLC yet)