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(54) **USER EQUIPMENT DISCONTINUOUS RECEPTION ASSISTANCE TO IMPROVE NETWORK CONNECTIVITY**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Certain aspects of the present disclosure provide techniques for a user equipment (UE) to transmit assistance information to request changes to discontinuous reception (DRX) parameters to improve performance of the UE and its connection to a wireless network. A method that may be performed by a user equipment (UE) includes detecting one or more conditions; and transmitting, in response to the detection, a request to change a connected mode discontinuous reception (CDRX) configuration to a first network.