14.2.7 Defining a Coupling Facility link with ICP CHPIDs

The only way to define an ICP CHPID to another ICP CHPID is as a logical internal connection within the processor.

The following are considerations for creating a CF link using ICP CHPIDs:

- ► Each of the logical ICP links can only support one CHPID at each end of the link.
- ► How many ICP CF links are required to provide enough coupling bandwidth.
- Which z/OS LPARs on the same processors need access to the CF LPARs.
- The example will be connecting two ICP CHPIDs (FC and FD) on the same processor.

To define a Coupling Facility link with ICP CHPIDs, complete these steps:

- 1. From the main HCD panel, select option 1.3. Processors.
- 2. Enter s next to the Processor that you want to create the first CF link from, and press **Enter**.
- 3. Enter s next to the CSS ID that has the ICP CHPID definition you want to create the first CF link from, and press **Enter**.
- 4. Scroll through the Channel Path List until you find the first ICP CHPID you want to connect from, or in the Command Line enter L FC. In our example, we use FC.
- 5. Enter f next to the CHPID definition (Figure 14-28), and press **Enter**.

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Channel Path List Row 2 of 12 More:
Command ===>
                                                    Scroll ===> CSR
Select one or more channel paths, then press Enter. To add use F11.
Processor ID . . . : ARIES
Configuration mode . : LPAR
Channel Subsystem ID : 2
       CHID+
                         Dyn Entry +
/ CHPID AID/P Type+ Mode+ Sw+ Sw Port Con Mng Description
                         __ _ _ No FC#0428 16Gb FICON Exp16S+ SX
       115 FC
 15
                   SHR
                        Y No FC#0176 ICA SR 2 Links
No FC#0176 ICA SR 2 Links
       00/1 CS5
 80
                   SHR
_ 84
       17/1 CS5
                   SHR
                        ____Y No FC#0433 Coupling Express LR
 88
       1DC/1 CL5
                   SHR
                        __ _ Y No FC#0433 Coupling Express LR
 80
       23C/1 CL5
                   SHR
                       No FC#0446 OSA Express7S 1000Base-T
No FC#0446 OSA Express7S 1000Base-T
No FC#0445 OSA Express7S 10GbE SR
 С3
       1BC OSE
                   SHR
 С6
       11C OSC
                   SHR
       128 OSD
                   SHR
 E1
                                   No IQD Internal Queued Direct Comms
       7EO IQD
 F0
                   SHR
f FC
             ICP
                   SHR
                                    N No ICP Internal Coupling Peer
                         _ _ _
            ICP
 FD
                   SHR
                                    N No ICP Internal Coupling Peer
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Figure 14-28 Processors: CF Channel Path Connectivity List, ICP

6. HCD prompts you to specify the second ICP CHPID you want to connect to. Scroll through the Channel Path List until you find the second ICP CHPID you want to connect to, or in the Command Line, enter L ED. In our example, we use FD.