

HTNG Property Web Services Workgroup Protocol & Message Architecture Team



Charter & Objectives

The purpose of this team is to develop a next generation connectivity mechanism based on a Service Oriented Architecture (SOA), using Web Services and the application of industry standards and best practices.

Business Benefits

- Establishes a common “gold” standard for reliable, predictable interfaces.
- Vendors are able to concentrate on interface content rather than handshake
- Opens up inter connectivity capability for ALL vendors vying for business resulting in better competition
- Common approach to connectivity simplifies and lowers cost of ownership
- Utilizes mainstream approach (SOA) to communicate, well supported by operating system and connectivity vendors – everyone plays nicely together

Past & Planned Deliverables

- Synchronous and preliminary asynchronous version incorporated in Property Web Services 2007a certification specification
- Asynchronous version finalized in 2008A certification specification
- Catalog of examples and prototype code to help organizations get started

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