

Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab

Application Notes for TelStrat Engage Record v3.3 with Avaya Aura® Contact Center Release 6.0 – Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe a solution comprised of Avaya Aura® Contact Center Release 6.0 and TelStrat Engage Record v3.3. During the compliant testing, the TelStrat Engage Record v3.3 was able to connect to CCMS MLS server, acquire keys of IP Phone, and record Voice over IP calls made from/to IP Phone of Avaya Communication Server 1000.

Information in these Application Notes has been obtained through DevConnect compliance testing and additional technical discussions. Testing was conducted via the DevConnect Program at the Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab.

1. Introduction

The objective of this interoperability compliance testing is to verify that the TelStrat Engage Record v3.3 (hereafter referred as TelStrat ER) can successfully connect to the Avaya Aura® Contact Center (hereafter referred as AACC) Meridian Link Server (MLS) server and record Voice over IP calls of Avaya Communication Server 1000 release 7.0 (hereafter referred as CS1000).

1.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The focus of this compliance testing was to prove and verify that the TelStrat ER was able to interoperate with AACC and CS 1000 system. The following areas were tested:

- TelStrat ER successfully utilizes the CCMS MLS server to provide Global Logging (record all calls)
- Selective Recording based on a combination of ACD Agent, DNIS, CLID, Port Numbers, DN, Day/Time, Days of week, and Call Duration.
- Quality Monitoring: 1 of n calls
- Record On-Demand.
- Agent Resiliency Information.
- Multi_DN Call Recording.

1.2. Support

Technical support for TelStrat can be obtained by contacting TelStrat via email at support@telstrat.com or by calling +1 972-633-4548.

2. Reference Configuration

Figure 1 illustrates the network diagram configuration used during the compliant testing event between the TelStrat ER and AACC.

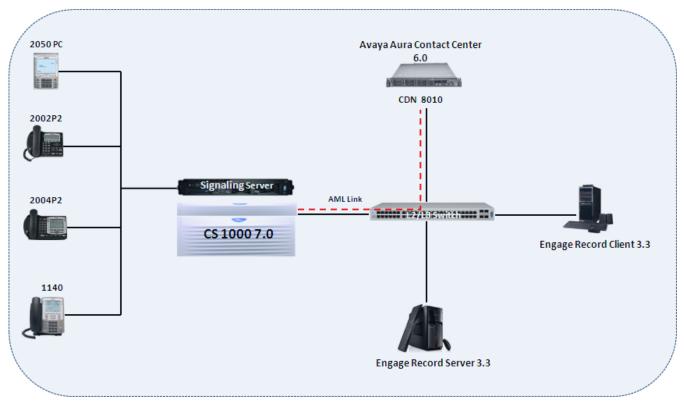


Figure 1 - Network Diagram Configuration

3. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software were used during the lab testing:

Equipment	Software/Firmware
Avaya CS1000	SW Version: 7.00 Q
Avaya Aura® Contact Center	6.0
Avaya IP Soft Phone 2050	3.04.0003
Avaya IP Phone 2004P2	0692D93
Avaya IP Phone 2002P2	0604DC5
Avaya IP Phone 1140	0625C6O
Engage Record Server OS	Windows 2003 Server SP2
TelStrat Engage Record Server	3.3.0.3
Engage Client OS	Windows XP Pro SP3

4. Configure Avaya CS 1000

This document assumes that the CS1000 is properly installed and configured. These Application Notes provide the necessary configuration that has to be done on CS1000 to work with AACC and TelStrat ER. For more information about how to install and configure Avaya CS 1000, refer to **Section 11** [1].

4.1. Create ELAN for AACC application on the Call Server

Log in to the command line interface of Call Server as administrator and issue overlay LD 17 as shown in **Figure 2**.

```
OVL000
>ld 17
CFN000
MEM AVAIL: (U/P): 102804775
                                USED U P: 616291 231283
                                                            TOT: 103652349
DISK SPACE NEEDED: 438 KBYTES
                       AVAIL:
DCH
                                 249
                                        USED:
                                                  6
                                                        TOT:
                                                               255
AML
                                 9
                                        USED:
                                                                16
                       AVAIL:
                                                        TOT:
REQ
     chg
TYPE adan
DES AACC60
LCTL
MEM AVAIL: (U/P): 102804486
                                USED U P: 616551 231312
                                                            TOT: 103652349
DISK SPACE NEEDED: 438 KBYTES
DCH
                                 249
                                                  6
                                                               255
                       AVAIL:
                                        USED:
                                                        TOT:
                                   9
                                                                16
AML
                       AVAIL:
                                        USED:
                                                        TOT:
ADAN DATA SAVED
ADAN
REQ
```

Figure 2 – Create a new ELAN

4.2. Create VAS for the ELAN of AACC on the Call Server

Log in to the command line interface of Call Server as administrator and issue overlay LD 17 as shown in **Figure 3**.

```
>1d 17
CFN000
MEM AVAIL: (U/P): 102804496
                                 USED U P: 616551 231302
                                                              TOT: 103652349
DISK SPACE NEEDED: 438 KBYTES
DCH
                        AVAIL:
                                  249
                                          USED:
                                                    6
                                                          TOT:
                                                                 255
AML
                        AVAIL:
                                    9
                                          USED:
                                                          TOT:
                                                                  16
REQ
     chg
TYPE vas
VAS
     new
INTL
MCNT
VSID
VAS
MEM AVAIL: (U/P): 102804486
                                 USED U P: 616551 231312
                                                              TOT: 103652349
DISK SPACE NEEDED: 438 KBYTES
                                                                 255
DCH
                        AVAIL:
                                  249
                                          USED:
                                                     6
                                                          TOT:
AML
                                    9
                                          USED:
                                                          TOT:
                                                                  16
                        AVAIL:
REQ
```

Figure 3 – Create a new VAS for ELAN

4.3. Enable IPIE feature for IP call recording on the Call Server

Log in to the command line interface of Call Server as administrator and issue overlay LD 17 as shown in **Figure 4**.

```
>1d 17
CFN000
MEM AVAIL: (U/P): 102804486
                                 USED U P: 616551 231312
                                                              TOT: 103652349
DISK SPACE NEEDED: 438 KBYTES
DCH
                        AVAIL:
                                  249
                                                    6
                                                                 255
                                         USED:
                                                         TOT:
AML
                                    9
                                         USED:
                                                    7
                                                                  16
                        AVAIL:
                                                         TOT:
REQ
     chg
TYPE parm
LPIB
SBA ADM INS
SBA USER
BCAP
IDLE SET DISPLAY CS1kA
  MODIFY
ICON
MSEC
MEM AVAIL: (U/P): 102804486
                                 USED U P: 616551 231312
                                                              TOT: 103652349
DISK SPACE NEEDED: 438 KBYTES
DCH
                        AVAIL:
                                  249
                                         USED:
                                                    6
                                                         TOT:
                                                                 255
AML
                        AVAIL:
                                    9
                                         USED:
                                                         TOT:
                                                                  16
REQ
REQ
```

Figure 4 – Enable IPIE

4.4. Enable class of service RECA for IP Phone

Log in to the command line interface of Call server as administrator and issue overlay LD 20 as shown in **Figure 5** for IP Phone that is recorded by the TelStrat ER.

```
>ld 20
PT0000
REQ: chg
TYPE: 1140
TN 96 0 0 12
ECHG yes
ITEM cls reca
```

Figure 5 – Enable RECA class of service for IP Phone

4.5. Configure the Associated Set Assignment (AST) for IP phone

Log in to the command line interface of Call Server as administrator and issue overlay LD 20 as shown in **Figure 6,** which 00 is key number of DN on the IP phone that will be recorded by the TelStrat ER.



Figure 6 – Assign AST for key of IP phones

5. Configure Avaya Aura® CC 6.0

This document assumes that the AACC system accompanying with MLS server was properly installed and configured, for more information how to install and configure the AACC please refer to **Section 11** [2].

6. Configure TelStrat ER Server

This section provides the detail configuration on the TelStrat ER server and client for recording VoIP calls on CS1000.

6.1. Configure TelStrat ER Server

Log in to the TelStrat ER server as administrator and to configure VoIPEngine for the Engage Server, right click on the VoIPEngine icon on the system tray of the Windows taskbar and select **Config** button as shown in **Figure 7**.

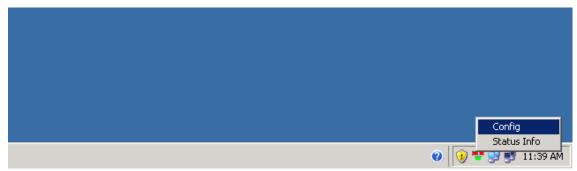


Figure 7 – VoIP Engine

The VOIPEngine window appears as shown in **Figure 8. Set the following fields as shown:**

- CTI Option: Nortel MLS Server
- TN Format Option: Large
- MLS Server Name: 47.248.100.54 → IP address of CCMS server
- Dual Stream Recorder IP: 47.248.100.17 → IP address of Engage server
- Calls To Record: All Trunk/Internal Calls
- And leave other fields as their value default

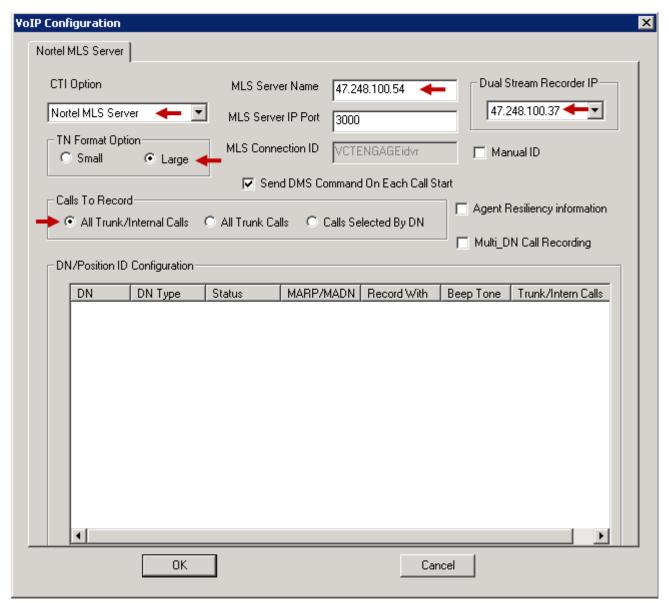


Figure 8 - VoIP Configuration window

6.2. Add a regular DN/ACD Position ID to TelStrat ER Server

To add a regular DN/ACD position that is recorded by the TelStrat ER server, right click on the white space of the **DN/Position ID Configuration** section and select **Add** button as shown in **Figure 9**.

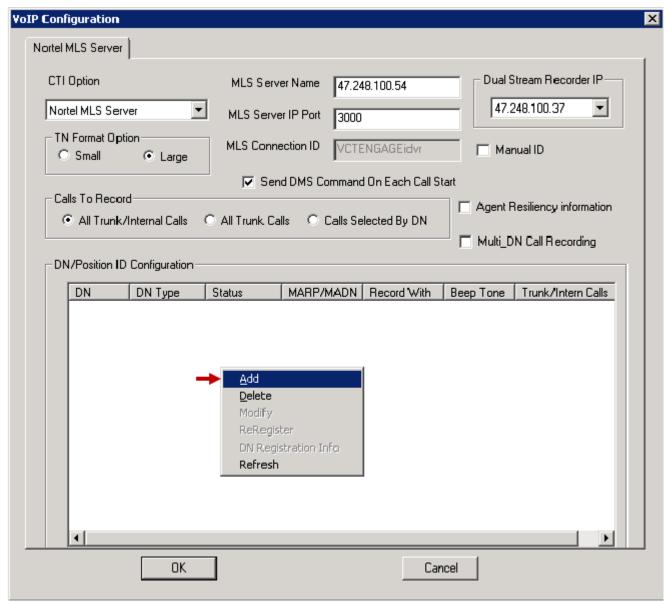


Figure 9 – Sample of adding DN

The **DN Registration** window appears as shown in **Figure 10**.

Note:

- There are two types of DN: ACD Position ID of agent and Regular DN
- There are two types of Recoding: Mirroring and Dual Stream but only Dual Stream was tested during the compliance testing.

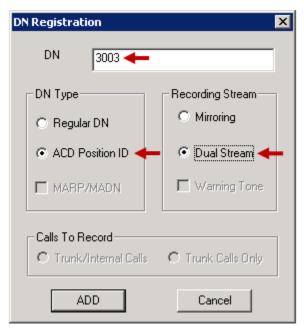


Figure 10 – DN Registration window

The ACD position 3003 is successfully added to the Engage Server. The status initially shows "Not initialized" as shown in **Figure 11** and the "Not Initialized" is initially reflected as successful registration of DN.

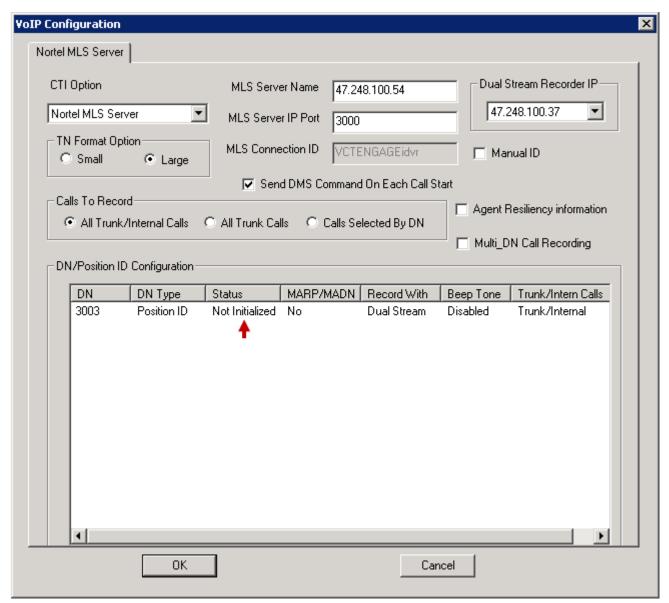


Figure 11 – VoIP Configuration with DN's status

As soon as a VoIP call made from/to this DN, the status will change to "Success" as shown in Figure 12.

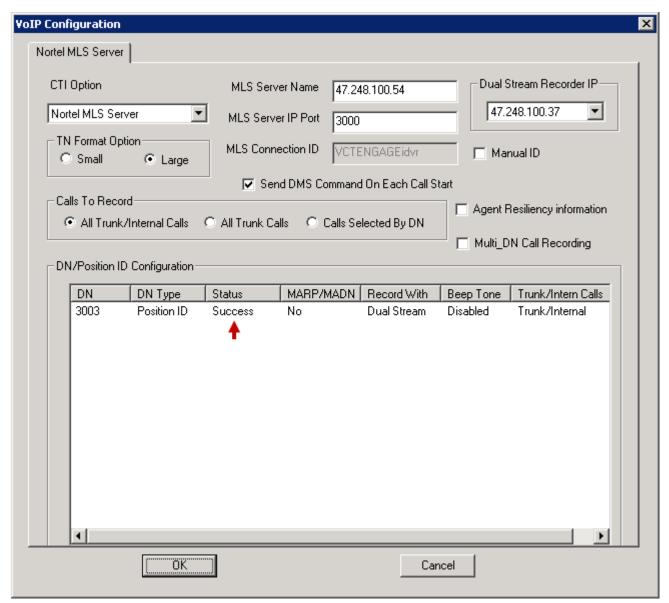


Figure 12 – VoIP Configuration with DN's status

6.3. Add DN with MARP/MADN supported

In order to add DN with MARP/MDN supported on CS1K, right click on the space of **DN/Position ID** Configuration section and select the **Add** button.

The DN Registration appears as shown in **Figure 13**, click on the **MARP/MADN** checkbox to enable this feature and then click on the **Add** button to complete adding the DN.



Figure 13 - Adding DN with MARP/MADN support

The status of MARP/MADN DN initially shows "OK(0), Fail(Y)" where Y is number of MARP/MADN DN as shown in **Figure 14** and the "Not Initialized" is initially reflected as Fail(Y) for each appearance of the DN which will update to OK(x). However, any actual appearances that failed registration, such as AST Not Set or Device Not Present (etc.), will remain reflected as Fail (#) unless corrected.

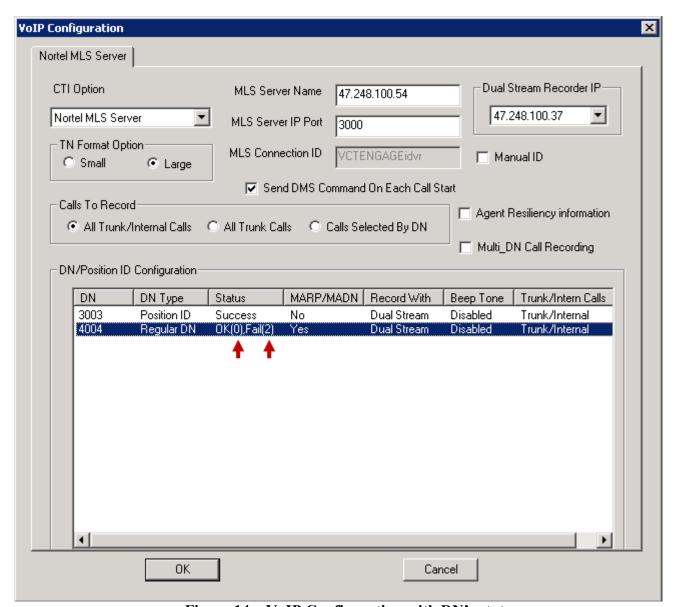


Figure 14 – VoIP Configuration with DN's status

As soon as calls are made from/to the MARP/MADN DNs, the status is going to be changed to "OK(2)Fail(0)" as shown in **Figure 15**.

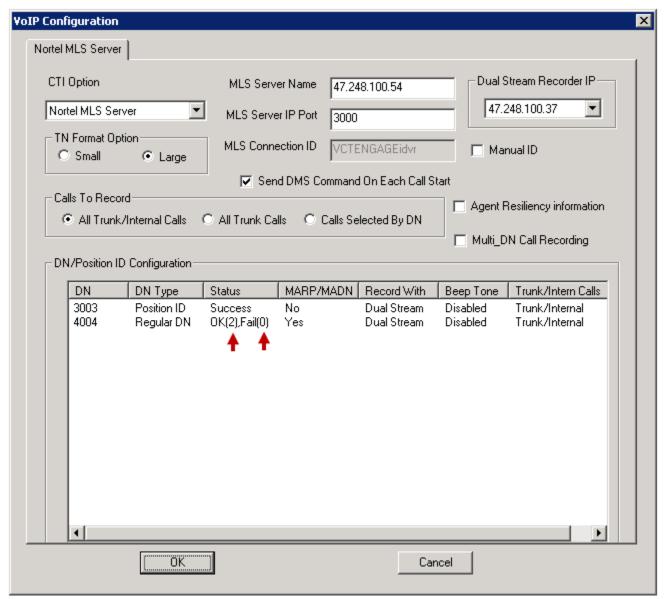


Figure 15 – VoIP Configuration with DN's status

6.4. Enable Multi_DN Call Recording and Agent Resiliency Information features on the TelStrat ER Server

To enable these features on the Engage Server, right click on the VoIPEngine icon on the system tray of the Windows taskbar and select the **Config** button.

The VoIP Configuration appears as shown in **Figure 16**.Check on the **Multi_DN Recording** and **Agent Resiliency information** check boxes and then click **OK** button to close the VoIP Configuration window.

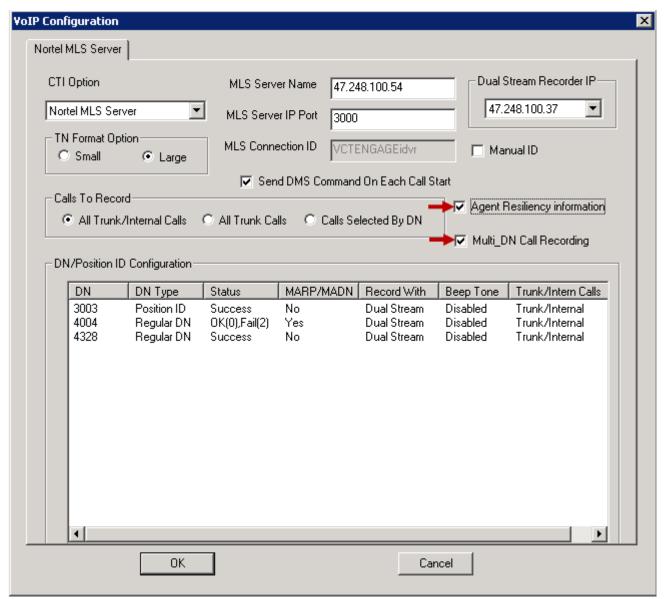


Figure 16 - Muil DN Call Recording and Agent Resiliency Information

Restart the TelStrat VoIPEngine service in the services category of Windows.

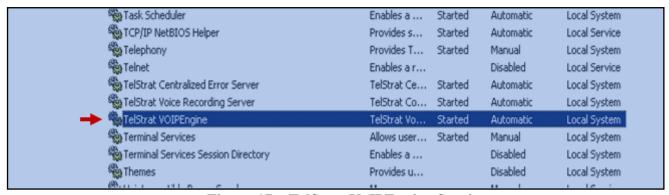


Figure 17 – TelStrat VoIPEngine Service

Note:

- The Multi_DN Recording feature of Telstrat ER benefits from a new feature from Contact Center release 7.0 (NES CC7.0) called Multiple DN Registration that enables CTI third party application can control as how many keys of IP Phone as they want via MLS without assigning the Associated Assignment Set (AST) for IP Phone.
- The Multiple DN Registration feature needs to be enabled in the license of Contact Center to use this feature

7. Configure TelStrat Engage Client

This section explains the configuration using the TelStrat ER Client to add Automatic Call Distribution (ACD) Agents and ports that will be monitored for recording.

It is assumed that the TelStrat ER Server has been successfully installed and the required recording services are running on it. Assumption is also made that the TelStrat ER Client has been successfully installed. For additional information on TelStrat ER suite installation and configuration refer to **Section 11 [3].**

To access the TelStrat ER Client, navigate to **Start > All Programs > TelStrat Engage > Engage Client** from the equipment it is installed on.

Enter credentials and IP address of TelStrat ER server as shown in **Figure 18** and then click the **OK** button



Figure 18 - TelStrat Engage logon window

The main window of TelStrat ER Client is shown in Figure 19.

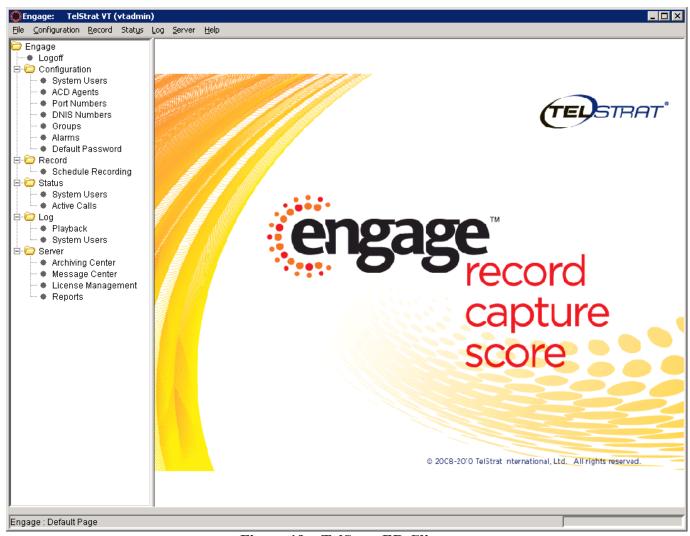


Figure 19 – TelStrat ER Client

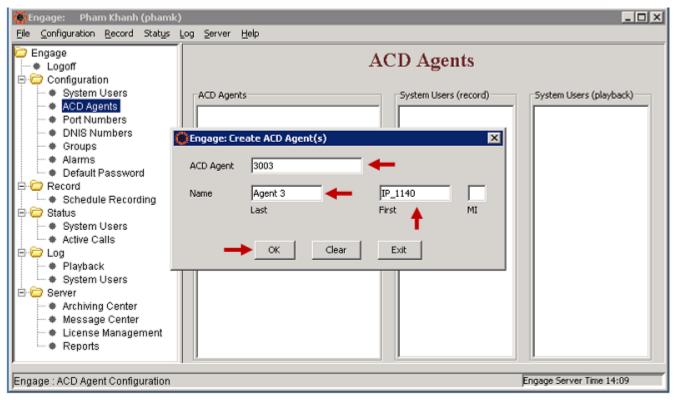
7.1. Create ACD Agent

To add the ACD Agent that the TelStrat ER Server needs to record, navigate to **Engage > Configuration** > **ACD Agents**. On the right hand window pane under the column **ACD Agents**, right click the mouse button and the **Create** option is provided as shown in **Figure 20**.



Figure 20 - Adding ACD Agents

Enter the **ACD Agent** information that needs to be added and press **OK** as shown in **Figure 21**. The information in **Name** field is optional.



7.2. Create Port Numbers

To add port numbers, navigate to **Engage** > **Configuration** > **Port Numbers**, click right mouse on the **Port Numbers** tab, and select the **Create** option as shown in **Figure 22**.

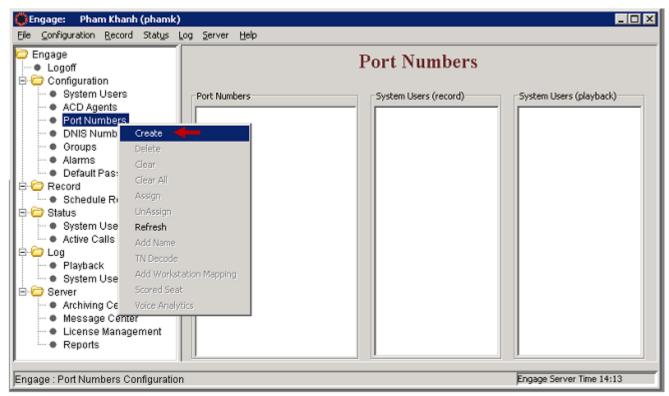


Figure 22 - Adding Port Numbers

The Engage Port No window appears, click on the VoIP option box, and enter the Loop, Shelf, Card and Channel numbers respectively with TN of recorded IP Phones of Call Server as shown in Figure 23.

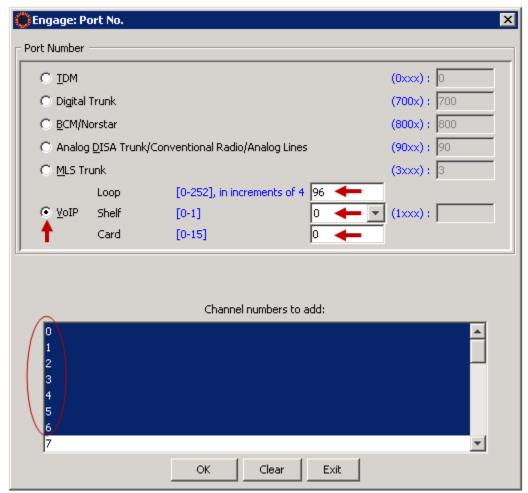


Figure 23 – Adding Port Numbers

Click the **OK** button to complete adding the port numbers as shown in **Figure 24**.

<u>Note:</u> Select a range of channel numbers by selecting the first channel, holding down the Shift key of keyboard and selecting the ending channel.

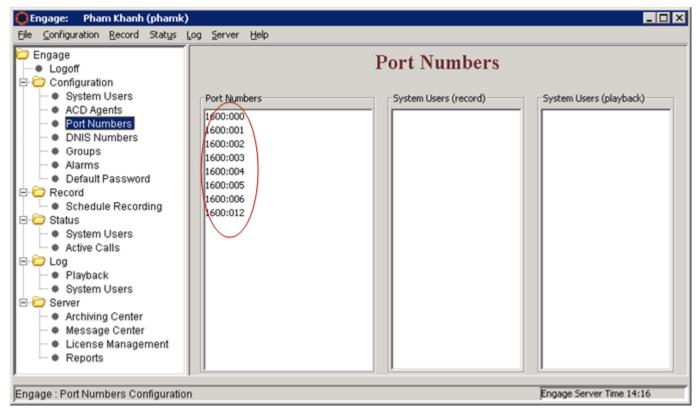


Figure 24 – Port Numbers shown up in the Port Numbers window

7.3. Create Recording Criteria

This section describes the recording criteria that can be built using the TelStrat ER Client to record calls going on the IP Phones. Example criteria discussed in this section are Selective recording (record calls as per filters Phones) and Quality monitor recording (recording calls based on frequency of calls).

Selective recording is where incoming/outgoing calls are recorded of selected components of ACD Agents, DN and Port Numbers etc.

To create a Selective recording criterion, navigate to **Engage > Record > Schedule Recording** and right click the mouse button on the **Schedule Recording** tab and select the **Create** option as shown in **Figure 25**.



Figure 25 – Create a Schedule Recording

The New Criteria window appears as shown in Figure 26, enter a name in the Criteria Name box and click OK button to go to the Schedule Recording Criteria Options window.



Figure 26 – New Criteria window

The **Test** criteria rule has been built to record selective calls. **Figure 27** shows the ACD Agent being selected so that all incoming/outgoing calls made to/from this ACD Agent set is recorded.

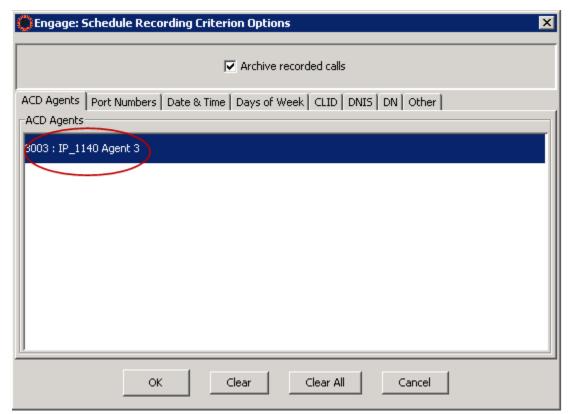


Figure 27 – ACD Agent set being added to the Global Criteria

Figure 28 shows all the **Port Numbers** being selected so that all incoming/outgoing calls made through these channels are recorded.

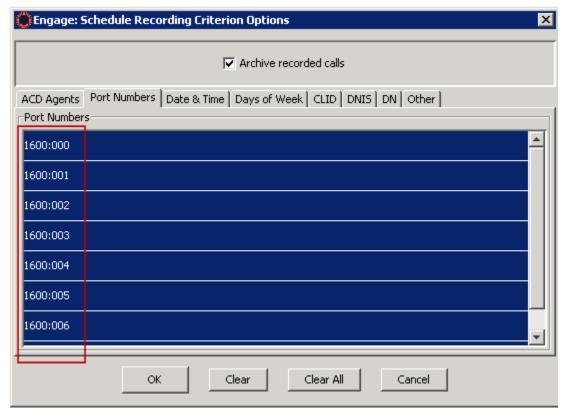


Figure 28 – Port Numbers being added to the Global Criteria

If DN/s need to be added to this criteria then go to the **DN** tab of the criteria and right click the mouse button and an **Add** option will be presented as shown in **Figure 29**.

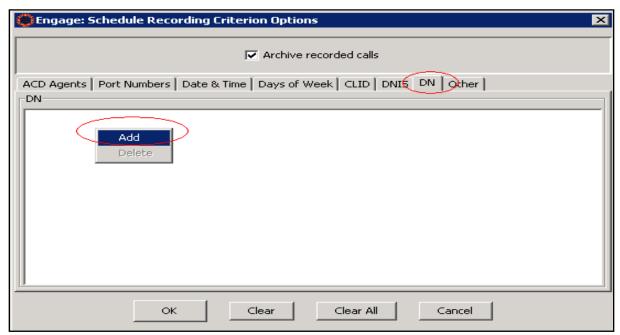


Figure 29 – Adding DN to Criteria

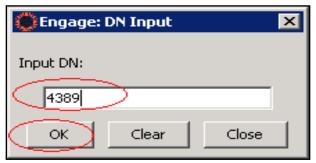


Figure 30 – DN Input window

Now the required DN/s can be selected as shown in **Figure 31** and included into the **Test** criteria. Press **OK** to complete configuring the **Test** criteria.

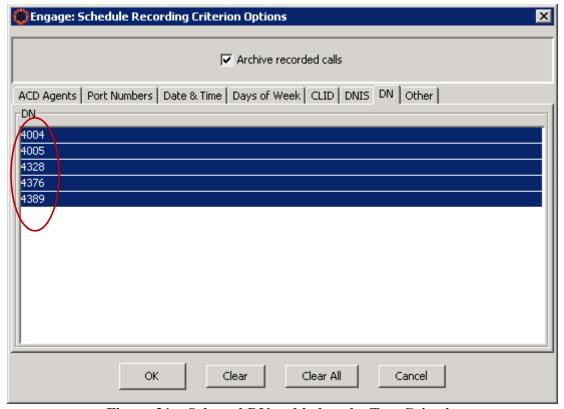


Figure 31 – Selected DNs added to the Test Criteria

Figure 32 shows the Test criteria have been built successfully. Press OK.



Figure 32 – Recording Criteria Created Successfully

Figure 33 shows a snap shot of the **Test** criteria showing the ACD Agents, Port Numbers and DN that will be included as part of the selective recording.

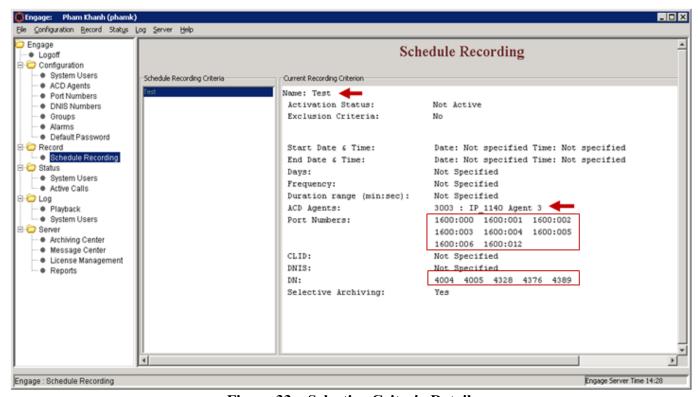


Figure 33 – Selective Criteria Detail

Quality monitor recording is where for example 1 out of 3 calls are recorded. The frequency of calls that need to be recorded can be configured in these criteria.

To create a Quality monitoring recording criteria, navigate to **Engage > Record > Schedule Recording** and right click the mouse button on the **Schedule Recording** tab and select the **Create** option as shown in **Figure 25**.

In the New Criteria window type the Criteria Name as Quality 1 of 3 and press OK.

Quality 1 of 3 criteria is built by selecting the frequency of calls that need to be recorded from the Other tab as shown in Figure 34 below. In this example 1 out of 3 calls will be recorded for Quality monitoring.

Other components like ACD Agents, Port Numbers, and DN etc can also be selected as explained previously.

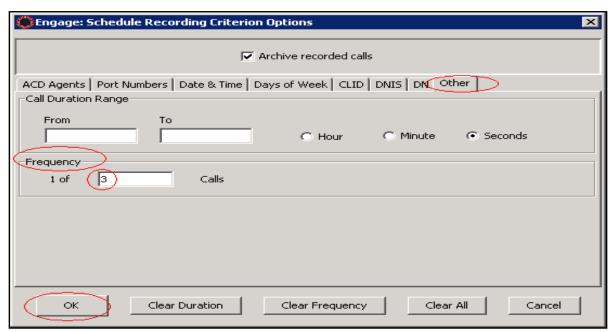


Figure 34 – Quality 1 of 3 Criteria

Figure 35 shows a snap shot of the Quality 1 of 3 criteria showing the selected frequency of calls that needs to be recorded for Quality monitoring along with the ACD Agents, Port Numbers and DN.

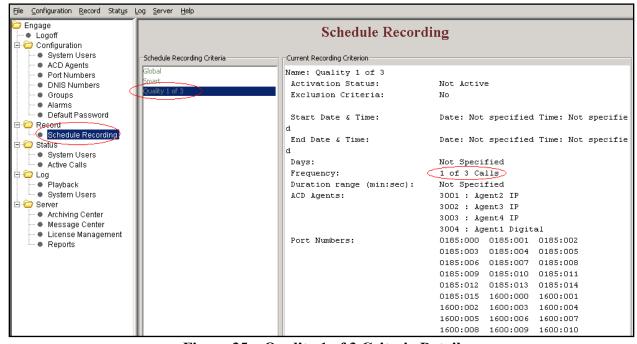


Figure 35 – Quality 1 of 3 Criteria Detail

Once the criteria are built, they need to be activated before the calls can be recorded. In the example shown in **Figure 36**, the **Test** criteria can be activated by highlighting the **Test** criteria, right click the mouse button and press **Activate**.

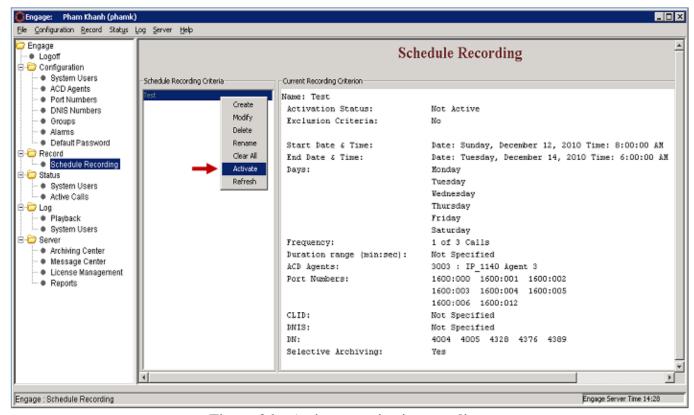


Figure 36 – Activate a criteria recording

Figure 37 below shows the Test criteria is now active.

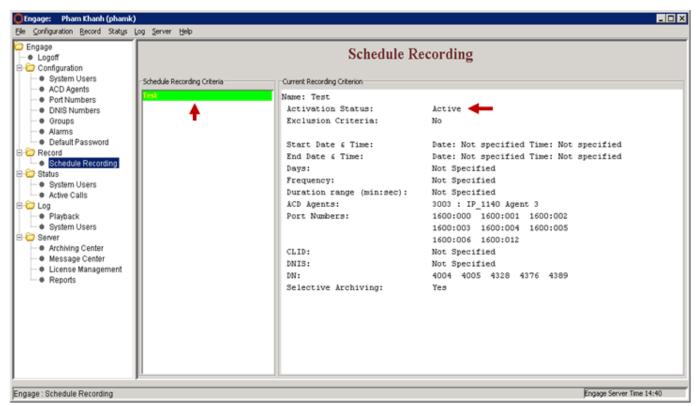


Figure 37 – A criteria recording activated

In order to see the status of a call that is being recorded, left click the mouse on the **Active Calls** under the **Status** menu tree, the Active Calls will display on the right hand side of TelStrat ER Client as shown in **Figure 38**.

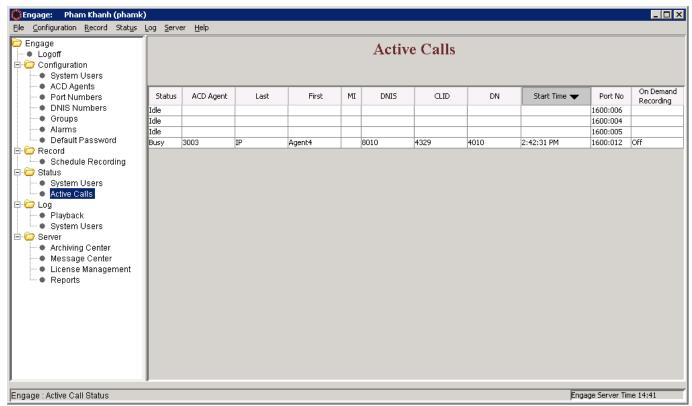


Figure 38 – Active Calls window

Recorded calls can be replayed by navigating to **Engage > Log > Playback**, selecting a recorded call from the Playback log, right click on the mouse button and press **Play** as shown on **Figure 39** below.



Figure 39 – Play back a recorded call

8. General Test Approach and Test Results

The focus of interoperability compliance testing was primarily to verify the TelStrat Engage Record 3.3 application works with Avaya Contact Center 6.0 to record IP calls for IP Phone of Avaya CS1000.

8.1. General Test Approach

The general test approach was to verify the Engage Record 3.3 can acquire, control keys of IP Phones of CS1000 and record VoIP calls over the MLS service of Avaya Aura® Contact Center 6.0. The main objectives were to verify the Telstrat ER successfully performed the following:

- TelStrat ER successfully utilizes the CCMS MLS server to provide Global Logging (record all calls)
- Selective Recording based on a combination of ACD Agent, DNIS, CLID, Port Numbers, DN, Day/Time, Days of week, and Call Duration.
- Quality Monitoring: 1 of n calls.
- Record On-Demand.
- Agent Resiliency Information.
- Multi_DN Call Recording.

8.2. Test Results

The objectives outlined in the section 8.1 were verified and met. All test cases were executed and they all passed.

9. Verification Steps

The following are typical steps to verify the interoperability between the TelStrat ER and AACC and Avaya CS1000.

- Connect the TelStrat ER server to the AACC MLS server.
- Verify the TelStrat ER server successfully connects to the MLS server by right click on the *VoIPEngine* icon on the system tray of the Windows taskbar and select *Status Info* option button as shown in **Figure 7**.
- Add an ACD Position ID and regular DN to the TelStrat ER server by following section 6.2.
- The TelStrat ER can acquire and monitor keys of IP Phone by either AST or Multi DN Registration of AACC.
 - To check a DN that is acquired and monitored by AST, log in to the command line interface of Call server and issue overlay LD 20 as shown below:

```
Id 20
REQ: prt
TYPE: tn
TYPE: tn
TYPE TNB
TN  96 00 12
DATE
PAGE
DES

DES AG1140
TN  996 0 00 12 VIRTUAL
TYPE 1140
SPID NONE
AST 10 03
IAPG 3
AACS YES
ACQ | AS: TN,AST-DN,AST-POSID
ASID 18
SFNB 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 15 16 17 18 19 22 24 25 26 28 29 31 33 34 35 36 37 38 39
SFRB 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 9 10 11 12 13 14 15
CALB 0 1 3 4 5 6 8 9 10 11 12
FCTB
TTNA NO
DGRP
PRI 01
MLWU LANG 0
MLNG ENG
DNDR 0
KEY 01 ACD 4010 0 3003
AGN
01 NRD
02 MSB
03 SCR 4003 0 MARP
```

Figure 40 – Check AST field of IP Phone

• To check a DN that is acquired and monitored by Multiple DN Registration, log in to the command line interface of Call server and issue overlay LD 20 as shown below:

```
REQ: prt
TYPE: tn
 YPE TNB
 TN 96004
IAPG 0
AACS YES
ACQ AS: MDR
ASID 18
MRCD 0 3
SFNB 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 11 12 13 18 22 24 25 26 28 29 31 33 34 35 36 37 38 39
SFRB 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39
USFB 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 9 10 11 12 13 14 15
CALB 0 1 3 4 5 6 8 9 10 11 12
ITNA NO
DGRP
MLWU_LANG 0
MLNG ENG
DNDR 0
KEY 00 SCR 4328 0 MARP
      CPND_LANG ROMAN
        NAMĒ DN 4328
        XPLN 13
DISPLAY_FMT FIRST,LAST
   01 SCR 4329 0 MARP
      CPND_LANG ROMAN
NAME DN 4329
        XPLN 13
        DISPLAY FMT FIRST, LAST
   02 CWT
   03 SCR 4327 0 MARP
```

Figure 41 - Check MRCD field of TN of IP Phone

- Create recording criteria with adding ACD Position ID and DNs that are acquired and monitored by following section 7.3
- Place VoIP calls to these DNs and check the *Active Calls* of TelStrat ER client window to see the status should be *busy* and its other information such as port number, CLID... should be correct.
- Terminate these calls and go to the *Playback* of TelStrat ER client to replay the VoIP calls with multimedia player; the audio should be full and clear.

10. Conclusion

All of the executed test cases have passed and met the objectives outlined in **Section 8**. The TelStrat Engage Record Server v 3.3 is considered compliant with Avaya Aura® Contact Center Release 6.0 and Avaya Communication Server 1000 Release 7.0.

11. Additional References

Product documentation for Avaya CS 1000 products may be found at: https://support.avaya.com/css/Products/

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[1] Avaya CS1000 Documents:

Avaya Communication Server 1000E Installation and Commissioning (NN43041-310)

Avaya CS 1000 Co-resident Call Server and Signaling Server Fundamentals (NN43001-509, 03.01)

Avaya CS 1000 Element Manager System Reference - Administration (NN43001-632, 05.04)

[2] Avaya Aura® CC 6.0 documents:

Avaya AuraTM Contact Center Planning and Engineering (NN44400-210)

Avaya AuraTM Contact Center Installation (NN44400-311)

Avaya AuraTM Contact Center Server Administration (NN44400-610)

Avaya AuraTM Contact Center Overview (NN44400-111)

Avaya AuraTM Contact Center Fundamentals (NN44400-110)

Avaya Aura™ Contact Center Manager Administration – Client Administration (NN44400-611)

[3] Engage Record documents:

Engage Contact Center Suite Installation Guide

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