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Application Notes for Configuring Presence Technology Presence Suite R10.0 with Avaya Aura® Communication Manager R6.3 and Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services R6.3 – Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe the configuration steps for Presence Technology Presence Suite to successfully interoperate with Avaya Aura® Communication Manager and Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services. Presence Suite is a multi-channel contact management suite which handles voice, text chat, email and web contact mechanisms. Presence Suite integrates with the Avaya solution by using the Telephony Services Application Programming Interface (TSAPI) provided by Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services to monitor and control agent stations, and handle routing of external calls.

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

These Application Notes describe the compliance tested configuration using Presence Suite R10.0 and Avaya Aura® Communication Manager R6.3 with Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services R6.3 (AES). Presence Suite is a multi-channel contact management suite able to handle voice, e-mail and web chat contact mechanisms. The Telephony Services Application Programming Interface (TSAPI) provided by Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services is used to monitor and control agent stations, generate phantom calls for non-voice contacts and handle routing of external calls. Presence Suite consists of a number of modules. Only the following modules were tested.

- Presence Voice Outbound
- Presence Voice Inbound
- Presence Mail Interactions
- Presence Web Interactions

Link Failure\Recovery was also tested to ensure successful reconnection on link failure. Upon starting the Presence Server application, the application automatically queries Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services for device status and requests monitoring. The Presence Server specifies where to route each call and hence how to handle the calls, based on agent status information that the application tracks from CTI device query results and event reports received from Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services.

2 General Test Approach and Test Results

Testing included validating the correct operation of typical contact centre functions including, inbound and outbound service calls. Functionality testing included basic telephony operations such as answer, hold/retrieve, transfer, and conference. This was carried out for the inbound and outbound service calls. Email, Web call back and Web chat were also tested. Additional features such as call capturing, direct agent transfer and malicious calls were tested. The serviceability test cases were performed manually by busying out and releasing the CTI link and by disconnecting and reconnecting LAN cables.

Note: Only call control of H.323 stations is possible, no SIP stations were used in the compliance testing.

DevConnect Compliance Testing is conducted jointly by Avaya and DevConnect members. The jointly-defined test plan focuses on exercising APIs and/or standards-based interfaces pertinent to the interoperability of the tested products and their functionalities. DevConnect Compliance Testing is not intended to substitute full product performance or feature testing performed by DevConnect members, nor is it to be construed as an endorsement by Avaya of the suitability or completeness of a DevConnect member's solution.

2.1 Interoperability Compliance Testing

The interoperability compliance test included both feature functionality and serviceability testing. The feature functionality testing focused on verifying Presence Suite handling of TSAPI messages in the areas of routing, call control and event notification. The serviceability testing focused on verifying the Presence Suite ability to recover from adverse conditions, such as stopping the TSAPI Service, taking the CTI link offline and disconnecting the Ethernet cable from all the devices in the solution.

2.2 Test Results

All test cases passed successfully.

2.3 Support

Technical support can be obtained for Presence Technology Presence Suite as follows:

Email: support@presenceco.com
Website: www.presenceco.com
+34 93 10 10 300

3 Reference Configuration

Figure 1 shows the network topology during interoperability testing. A Communication Manager with an Avaya G430 Media Gateway was used as the hosting PBX. Presence Suite, including Presence Agent PC's, are connected to the LAN and control the Avaya H.323 IP telephones via Application Enablement Services using TSAPI.

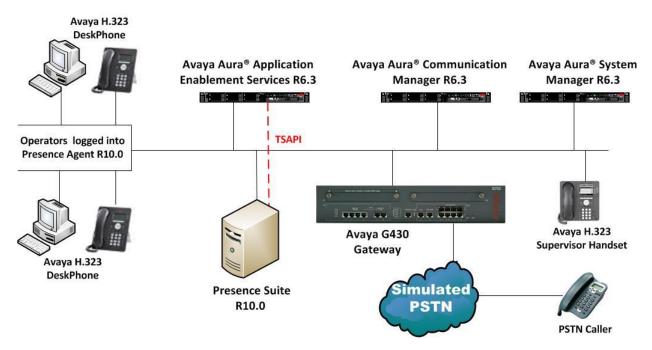


Figure 1: Avaya Aura® Communication Manager R6.3 with Aura® Application Enablement Services R6.3 and Presence Technology Presence Suite Server configuration

4 Equipment and Software Validated

All the hardware and associated software used in the compliance testing is listed below.

Equipment/Software	Release/Version			
	System Manager 6.3.0 - FP2			
Avaya Aura® System Manager running on	Build No 6.3.0.8.5682-6.3.8.1814			
Avaya S8800 Server	Software Update Revision No:			
	6.3.3.5.1719			
Avaya Aura® Communication Manager running	R6.3 SP1			
on Avaya S8800 Server	R016x.03.0.124.0			
Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services	R6.3			
running on Avaya S8800 Server	Build No - 6.3.0.0.212-0			
Avaya G430 Gateway	R6.3			
Avaya 96xx Series Deskphone	96xx H.323 Release 3.1 SP2			
Presence Server running on Windows Server	R10.0			
2008 SP2	K10.0			
Presence Client running on Windows XP and Windows Server 2008 SP2	R10.0			

5 Configure Avaya Aura® Communication Manager

The information provided in this section describes the configuration of Communication Manager for this solution. For all other provisioning information such as initial installation and configuration, please refer to the product documentation in **Section 10**. The configuration and verification operations illustrated in this section were all performed using Communication Manager System Administration Terminal (SAT). The configuration operations described in this section can be summarized as follows:

- Verify System Features
- Administer Special Information Tones (SIT) Treatment for Call Classification
- Define Feature Access Codes (FAC)
- Administer Trunk Group
- Administer Hunt Groups, Vectors and VDN's
- Administer Class of Restriction
- Administer Agent Logins
- Administer Agent Stations
- Administer Phantom Stations
- Note procr IP Address for AES Connectivity
- Configure Transport link for AES Connectivity
- Configure CTI Link for TSAPI Service

5.1 Verify System Features

Use the **display system-parameters customer-options** command to verify that Communication Manager has permissions for features illustrated in these Application Notes. On **Page 3**, ensure that **Computer Telephony Adjunct Links?** is set to **y** and **Answer Supervision by Call Classifier?** is set to **y** as shown below.

```
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display system-parameters customer-options
                                                              Page
                               OPTIONAL FEATURES
   Abbreviated Dialing Enhanced List? y
                                                Audible Message Waiting? y
       Access Security Gateway (ASG)? n
                                                 Authorization Codes? y
       Analog Trunk Incoming Call ID? y
                                                              CAS Branch? n
A/D Grp/Sys List Dialing Start at 01? y
                                                                CAS Main? n
Answer Supervision by Call Classifier? y
                                                       Change COR by FAC? n
                                ARS? y Computer Telephony Adjunct Links? y
                ARS/AAR Partitioning? y Cvg Of Calls Redirected Off-net? y
                                                             DCS (Basic)? y
         ARS/AAR Dialing without FAC? y
         ASAI Link Core Capabilities? n
                                                       DCS Call Coverage? y
         ASAI Link Plus Capabilities? n
                                                       DCS with Rerouting? y
      Async. Transfer Mode (ATM) PNC? n
 Async. Transfer Mode (ATM) Trunking? n Digital Loss Plan Modification? y
             ATM WAN Spare Processor? n
                                                                 DS1 MSP? y
                                ATMS? y
                                                   DS1 Echo Cancellation? y
                 Attendant Vectoring? y
```

On **Page 6**, verify the following customer options are set to y as shown below.

- ACD? to y
- Vectoring (Basic)? to y
- Expert Agent Selection (EAS)? to y

```
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display system-parameters customer-options
                                                               Page
                         CALL CENTER OPTIONAL FEATURES
                          Call Center Release: 6.0
                               ACD? y
                                                               Reason Codes? y
                                       Service Level Maximizer: n
Service Observing (Basic)? y
                       BCMS (Basic)? y
         BCMS/VuStats Service Level? y
                                        Service Observing (Remote/By FAC)? y
 BSR Local Treatment for IP & ISDN? y
                 Business Advocate? n
                                                   Service Observing (VDNs)? y
                   Call Work Codes? y
                                                                  Timed ACW? y
      DTMF Feedback Signals For VRU? y
                                                          Vectoring (Basic)? y
                                                      Vectoring (Prompting)? y
                   Dynamic Advocate? n
                                                 Vectoring (G3V4 Enhanced)? y
      Expert Agent Selection (EAS)? y
                           EAS-PHD? y
                                                   Vectoring (3.0 Enhanced)? y
                  Forced ACD Calls? n Vectoring (ANI/II-Digits Routing)? y
              Least Occupied Agent? y
                                          Vectoring (G3V4 Advanced Routing)? y
         Lookahead Interflow (LAI)? y
                                                          Vectoring (CINFO)? y
                                           Vectoring (Best Service Routing)? y
Multiple Call Handling (On Request)? y
   Multiple Call Handling (Forced)? y
                                                       Vectoring (Holidays)? y
  PASTE (Display PBX Data on Phone)? y
                                                      Vectoring (Variables)? y
```

Use the command display system-parameters features and on Page 1, verify that the Trunk-to-Trunk Tranfer option is set to all as shown below.

```
display system-parameters features

FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS

Self Station Display Enabled? n

Trunk-to-Trunk Transfer: all

Automatic Callback with Called Party Queuing? n

Automatic Callback - No Answer Timeout Interval (rings): 3

Call Park Timeout Interval (minutes): 10

Off-Premises Tone Detect Timeout Interval (seconds): 20

AAR/ARS Dial Tone Required? y

Music (or Silence) on Transferred Trunk Calls? no

DID/Tie/ISDN/SIP Intercept Treatment: attendant

Internal Auto-Answer of Attd-Extended/Transferred Calls: transferred

Automatic Circuit Assurance (ACA) Enabled? n
```

On page 10 ensure that **Station Tone Forward Disconnect** is set to **silence** as shown below.

```
display system-parameters features
                                                               Page
                                                                    10 of 20
                       FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS
                Pull Transfer: n
                                           Update Transferred Ring Pattern? n
                                           Wait Answer Supervision Timer? n
        Outpulse Without Tone? y
                                              Repetitive Call Waiting Tone? n
        Misoperation Alerting? n
   Allow Conference via Flash? y
                                 Network Feedback During Tone Detection? y
Vector Disconnect Timer (min):
  Hear Zip Tone Following VOA? y System Updates Time On Station Displays? n
                   Station Tone Forward Disconnect: silence
                           Level Of Tone Detection: precise
         Charge Display Update Frequency (seconds): 30
                       Onhook Dialing on Terminals? n
              Edit Dialing on 96xx H.323 Terminals? n
                 Allow Crisis Alert Across Tenants? n
                  Send DTMF Over Telecommuter Link? y
ITALIAN DCS PROTOCOL
 Italian Protocol Enabled? n
```

On **Page 11**, verify that the **Expert Agent Selection (EAS) Enabled?** option is set to **y** as shown below.

```
display system-parameters features

FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS

CALL CENTER SYSTEM PARAMETERS

EAS

Expert Agent Selection (EAS) Enabled? y

Minimum Agent-LoginID Password Length:

Direct Agent Announcement Extension:

Message Waiting Lamp Indicates Status For: station
```

On page 12 ensure that ACW Agents Considered Idle is set to y.

```
display system-parameters features
                                                                Page 12 of 20
                        FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS
 AGENT AND CALL SELECTION
                         MIA Across Splits or Skills? n
                         ACW Agents Considered Idle? y
                          Call Selection Measurement: current-wait-time
   Service Level Supervisor Call Selection Override? n
                                Auto Reserve Agents: none
      Block Hang-up by Logged-in Auto-Answer Agents? n
 CALL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
    REPORTING ADJUNCT RELEASE (determines protocol used by appl link)
                                     CMS (appl mis):
                                  AAPC/IQ (appl ccr):
                               BCMS/VuStats LoginIDs? y
                  BCMS/VuStats Measurement Interval: hour
          BCMS/VuStats Abandon Call Timer (seconds):
                     Validate BCMS/VuStats Login IDs? n
                           Clear VuStats Shift Data: on-login
                Remove Inactive BCMS/VuStats Agents? n
```

On **Page 13**, verify that **Call Classification After Answer Supervision** option is set to **y** as shown below.

```
display system-parameters features

FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS

CALL CENTER MISCELLANEOUS

Callr-info Display Timer (sec): 10

Clear Callr-info: next-call

Allow Ringer-off with Auto-Answer? n

Reporting for PC Non-Predictive Calls? n

Interruptible Aux Notification Timer (sec): 3

ASAI

Copy ASAI UUI During Conference/Transfer? y

Call Classification After Answer Supervision? y

Send UCID to ASAI? y

For ASAI Send DTMF Tone to Call Originator? y
```

5.2 Administer Special Information Tones Treatment for Call Classification

This form is used to specify the treatment of Special Information Tones (SIT) used for outbound call management type calls with USA tone characteristics. Enter the **change sit-treatment** command. Set the **Pause Duration** to **0.8** and **Talk Duration** to **3.0**. Please note this may vary depending on the country where the PBX is installed.

```
Change sit-treatment

SIT TREATMENT FOR CALL CLASSIFICATION

SIT Ineffective Other: dropped

SIT Intercept: dropped

SIT No Circuit: dropped

SIT Reorder: dropped

SIT Vacant Code: dropped

SIT Unknown: dropped

AMD Treatment: dropped

Pause Duration (seconds): 0.8

Talk Duration (seconds): 3.0
```

5.3 Administer Trunk

The PSTN trunk may differ depending on the installation. For the compliance testing, a QSIG ISDN trunk was used and configured in the following way: Use the **change trunk-group n** command, where **n** is the trunk group number for the pre-configured ISDN trunk which will be used for inbound and outbound service calls. It is assumed that the ISDN trunk and the corresponding signaling group are already configured. The trunk group number used for interoperability testing is **9**. On **Page 1** set the **COR** (class of restriction) to **1**, this is the COR used for the sample configuration.

```
Change trunk-group 9

TRUNK GROUP

Group Number: 1

Group Type: isdn

COR: 1

TN: 1

TAC: *19

Direction: two-way

Outgoing Display? y

Carrier Medium: PRI/BRI

Dial Access? y

Busy Threshold: 255 Night Service:

Queue Length: 0

Service Type: tie

Auth Code? n

TestCall ITC: rest

Far End Test Line No:
```

On **Page 3**, **UUI IE Treatment** was set to **service-provider** (This may differ for a DID trunk connecting to the carrier in some cases **shared** is recommended with **Maximum Size of UUI IE Contents** set to **32**. Default values may be used in the remaining fields.

```
Change trunk-group 2

TRUNK FEATURES

ACA Assignment? n Measured: none Wideband Support? n Maintenance Tests? y

Data Restriction? n NCA-TSC Trunk Member:
Send Name: n Send Calling Number: n

Used for DCS? n Send EMU Visitor CPN? n

Suppress # Outpulsing? n Format: public

Outgoing Channel ID Encoding: preferred UUI IE Treatment: service-provider
```

5.4 Administer Hunt Groups, Call Vectors and Vector Directory Numbers

In order for calls to be routed to agents, Hunt Groups (skills), Vectors, and Vector Directory Numbers (VDN) must be configured.

5.4.1 Hunt Groups

Enter the **add hunt-group n** command where **n** in the example below is **33**. On **Page 1** of the **hunt-group** form, assign a **Group Name** and **Group Extension** valid under the provisioned dial plan. Set the following options to **y** as shown below.

- ACD? to y
- Queue? to y
- Vector? to y

```
add hunt-group 33
                                                                Page
                                                                       1 of
                                 HUNT GROUP
                                                         ACD? y
           Group Number: 33
            Group Name: Presenceco Inbound
                                                       Queue? y
        Group Extension: 3330
                                                      Vector? y
             Group Type: ucd-mia
                     TN: 1
                    COR: 1
                                             MM Early Answer? n
                                     Local Agent Preference? n
          Security Code:
ISDN/SIP Caller Display:
            Queue Limit: unlimited
Calls Warning Threshold: Port:
 Time Warning Threshold:
                             Port:
```

On Page 2, set the Skill field to v as shown below.

```
add hunt-group 33

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HUNT GROUP

Skill? y
AAS? n
Measured: none
Supervisor Extension:

Controlling Adjunct: none

Timed ACW Interval (sec):
Multiple Call Handling: none
```

Repeat the above steps to create a hunt groups for the outbound service, hunt group **34** is shown below.

```
add hunt-group 34
                                                                  Page
                                                                         1 of
                                                                                4
                                  HUNT GROUP
                                                           ACD? y
           Group Number: 34
             Group Name: Presenceco Outbound
                                                         Queue? y
        Group Extension: 3340
                                                        Vector? y
             Group Type: ucd-mia
                     TN: 1
                                              MM Early Answer? n
                    COR: 1
                                      Local Agent Preference? n
          Security Code:
ISDN/SIP Caller Display:
            Queue Limit: unlimited
Calls Warning Threshold:
                             Port:
 Time Warning Threshold:
                              Port:
```

On Page 2, set the Skill field to y as shown below.

```
add hunt-group 34

Skill? y

AAS? n

Measured: none
Supervisor Extension:

Controlling Adjunct: none

Timed ACW Interval (sec):

Multiple Call Handling: none
```

5.4.2 Vectors

Enter the **change vector n** command, where **n** is the vector number. The adjunct routing link enables Presence or Presence Server to specify the destination of a call. The **adjunct routing link** number is defined by the position of the AESVCS link on **Page 3** of the ip-services page, as configured in **Section 5.10**, in this case Server ID **1.** Enter the vector steps to queue to **skill 33** as shown below. Skill 33 relates to the skill enabled hunt group configured previously.

```
CALL VECTOR

Number: 3

Name: Presenceco In

Multimedia? n

Basic? y

EAS? y

G3V4 Enhanced? y

ANI/II-Digits? y

Prompting? y

Variables? y

3.0 Enhanced? y

O1 adjunct

routing link 1

O2 wait-time

O3 queue-to

Skill 33

pri m

O4 wait-time

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CALL VECTOR

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CALL VECTOR

Name: Presenceco In

Meet-me Conf? n

Lock? n

ASAI Routing? y

ASAI Routing? y

CINFO? y

BSR? y

Holidays? y

Secs hearing silence

skill 33

pri m

O4 wait-time

999 secs hearing ringback
```

The above step may should also be used to create a Vector for the Outbound service, as shown below.

```
Change vector 4

CALL VECTOR

Number: 4

Name: Presenceco Outb

Multimedia? n

Basic? y

EAS? y

G3V4 Enhanced? y

ANI/II-Digits? y

ASAI Routing? y

Prompting? y

LAI? y

G3V4 Adv Route? y

CINFO? y

BSR? y

Holidays? y

Variables? y

3.0 Enhanced? y

01 adjunct

routing link 1

02 wait-time

5 secs hearing silence

03 queue-to

skill 34 pri m

04 wait-time

999 secs hearing ringback
```

5.4.3 Vector Directory Numbers (VDN)

Enter the **add vdn n** command, where **n** is an available extension number. On **Page 1** assign a **Name** for the VDN and set the **Vector Number** to the relevant vector.

```
add vdn 3300
                                                                       1 of
                            VECTOR DIRECTORY NUMBER
                             Extension: 3300
                                 Name*: Presenceco Inbound
                           Destination: Vector Number
                                                            3
                  Attendant Vectoring? n
                  Meet-me Conferencing? n
                   Allow VDN Override? n
                                  COR: 1
                                  TN*: 1
                              Measured: none
       VDN of Origin Annc. Extension*:
                            1st Skill*:
                            2nd Skill*:
                            3rd Skill*:
```

The above step may also be used to create a VDN for the Outbound service, as shown below.

```
add vdn 3400
                                                                        1 of
                                                                                3
                                                                 Page
                            VECTOR DIRECTORY NUMBER
                             Extension: 3400
                                 Name*: Presenceco Outbound
                           Destination: Vector Number
                   Attendant Vectoring? n
                  Meet-me Conferencing? n
                    Allow VDN Override? n
                                   COR: 1
                                   TN*: 1
                              Measured: none
       VDN of Origin Annc. Extension*:
                            1st Skill*:
                            2nd Skill*:
                            3rd Skill*:
```

5.5 Administer Class of Restriction

Enter the **change cor 1** command where **1** corresponds to the Class of Restriction assigned to the trunk group in **Section 5.3** and the agent login IDs in **Section 5.6**. On **Page 1**, set the **Direct Agent Calling** to **y**. This will allow agents to be called directly once they are logged in.

```
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change cor 1
                                                              Page
                             CLASS OF RESTRICTION
              COR Number: 1
         COR Description: Default
                     FRL: 0
                                                          APLT? y
 Can Be Service Observed? y
                                    Calling Party Restriction: none
Can Be A Service Observer? y
                                     Called Party Restriction: none
       Time of Day Chart: 1
Priority Queuing? n
                                Forced Entry of Account Codes? n
    Restricted Call List? n
                                         Direct Agent Calling? y
                                   Facility Access Trunk Test? n
                                   Can Change Coverage? n
```

5.6 Administer Agent Logins

Enter the **add agent-loginID n** command; where **n** is an available extension number. Enter a descriptive name for the agent in the **Name** field. Ensure the **COR** field is set to **1** which relates to the COR configured in **Section 5.5**. The **Auto Answer** field is set to **station** except for those logins that will be used for outbound services. In that case, the field will be set to **all**. Configure a password as required.

```
add agent-loginID 201
                                                                Page 1 of
                                AGENT LOGINID
               Login ID: 201
                                                              AAS? n
                   Name: Presenceco Agent 1
                                                            AUDIX? n
                                                    LWC Reception: spe
                     TN: 1
                    COR: 1
                                            LWC Log External Calls? n
          Coverage Path:
                                           AUDIX Name for Messaging:
          Security Code:
                                       LoginID for ISDN/SIP Display? n
                                                          Password:
                                             Password (enter again):
                                                       Auto Answer: station
                                                 MIA Across Skills: system
```

On Page 2, assign a skill to the agent by entering the relevant hunt group number created in Section 5.4.1 for SN and entering a skill level of 1 for SL. In this case, an agent able to handle both inbound and outbound calls is created. Set the Direct Agent Skill to the Inbound hunt group 33.

change agent-loginII	201		Page	2 of 3	
	AGENT	LOGINID			
Direct Agent S	Skill: 33		Service Objective? n		
Call Handling Preference: skill-level			Local Call Preference? n		
SN RL SL	SN RL SL	SN RL	SL SN	RL SL	
1: 33 1	16:	31:	46:		
2: 34 1	17:	32:	47:		

Repeat this task accordingly for any additional inbound or outbound agents required.

5.7 Configure Agent Stations

For each station that agents will log in to, enter the command **change station n**, where **n** is the station extension. On **Page 4**, the following buttons must be assigned as shown below:

- **aux-work** Agent is logged in to the ACD but is not available to take a call.
- manual-in Agent is available to accept ACD calls.
- **after-call** Agent state after the ACD call is completed. The agent is not available.
- **release** State when the call is dropped.

```
change station 4001
                                                                  Page
                                                                         4 of
                                      STATION
 SITE DATA
     Room:
                                                         Headset? n
      Jack:
                                                         Speaker? n
                                                        Mounting: d
     Cable:
                                                     Cord Length: 0
     Floor:
  Building:
                                                       Set Color:
ABBREVIATED DIALING
    List1:
                               List2:
                                                          List3:
BUTTON ASSIGNMENTS
1: call-appr
                                          5: manual-in
                                                                 Grp:
2: call-appr
                                          6: after-call
                                                                 Grp:
3: call-appr
                                          7: release
4: aux-work
                                          8::
```

5.8 Administer Phantom Stations

Presence Suite uses stations via AES to initiate calls on Communication Manager. These stations will be used to place calls to customers for outbound services as well as to place calls to agents in order to reserve an agent to handle the outbound call. Use the command **add station n**, enter a descriptive name for **Name** and enter **X** for the **Port**. Extensions **1500** to **1502** were created.

```
add station 1500
                                                           Page 1 of
                                    STATION
Extension: 1500
                                       Lock Messages? n
                                                                    BCC: 0
    Type: 6408D+
                                                                      TN: 1
                                       Security Code:
                                     Coverage Path 1:
    Port: X
                                                                     COR: 1
    Name: Presenceco Phantom
                                     Coverage Path 2:
                                                                     cos: 1
                                    Hunt-to Station:
STATION OPTIONS
                                         Time of Day Lock Table:
                                 Personalized Ringing Pattern: 1
            Loss Group: 1
            Data Module? n
                                               Message Lamp Ext: 3500
         Display Module? n
         Survivable COR: internal
                                              Media Complex Ext:
  Survivable Trunk Dest? y
```

5.9 Note procr IP Address for Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services Connectivity

Display the procr IP Address by using the command **display node-names ip** and noting the IP address for the **procr** and AES (aes62vmpg).

display node-names	ip			Page	1 of	2
		IP NODE	NAMES			
Name	IP Address					
SM100	10.10.40.34					
aes63vmpg	10.10.40.30					
default	0.0.0.0					
g430	10.10.40.15					
procr	10.10.40.31					

5.10 Configure Transport Link for Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services Connectivity

To administer the transport link to AES use the **change ip-services** command. On **Page 1** add an entry with the following values:

- **Service Type:** should be set to **AESVCS**.
- Enabled: set to v.
- Local Node: set to the node name assigned for the procr in Section 5.10.
- Local Port Retain the default value of 8765.

change ip-	services				Page	1 of	4
Service Type AESVCS	Enabled Y	Local Node procr	IP SERVICES Local Port 8765	Remote Node	Remote Port		

Go to **Page 4** of the **ip-services** form and enter the following values:

- AE Services Server: Name obtained from the AES server, in this case aes62vmpg.
- **Password:** Enter a password to be administered on the AES server.
- **Enabled:** Set to y.

Note: The password entered for **Password** field must match the password on the AES server in **Section 6.2**. The **AE Services Server** should match the administered name for the AES server, this is created as part of the AES installation, and can be obtained from the AES server by typing **uname –n** at the Linux command prompt.

change ip-services AE Services Administration					4 of	4
Server ID	AE Services	Password	Enabled	Status		
1:	Server aes63vmpg	*****	У	idle		
3:						

5.11 Configure CTI Link for TSAPI Service

Add a CTI link using the **add cti-link n** command. Enter an available extension number in the **Extension** field. Enter **ADJ-IP** in the **Type** field, and a descriptive name in the **Name** field. Default values may be used in the remaining fields.

add cti-link 1

CTI Link: 1

Extension: 2002
Type: ADJ-IP

COR: 1

Name: aes62vmpg

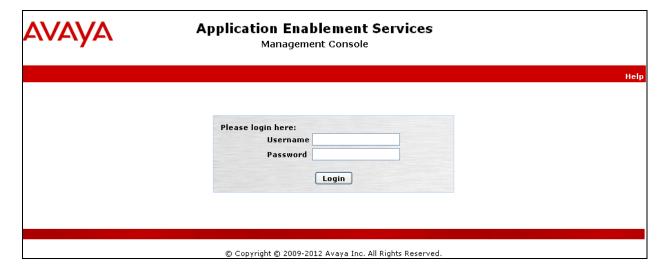
6 Configure Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services Server

This section provides the procedures for configuring Application Enablement Services. The procedures fall into the following areas:

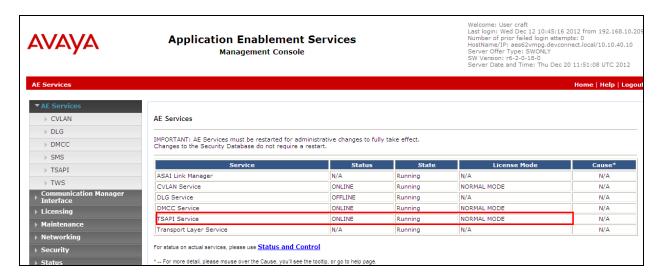
- Verify Licensing
- Create Switch Connection
- Administer TSAPI link
- Create CTI User
- Enable CTI Link User
- Identify Tlinks

6.1 Verify Licensing

To access the maintenance console, enter **https://<ip-addr>** as the URL in an Internet browser, where <ip-addr> is the active IP address of AES. The login screen is displayed, log in with the appropriate credentials and then select the **Login** button.

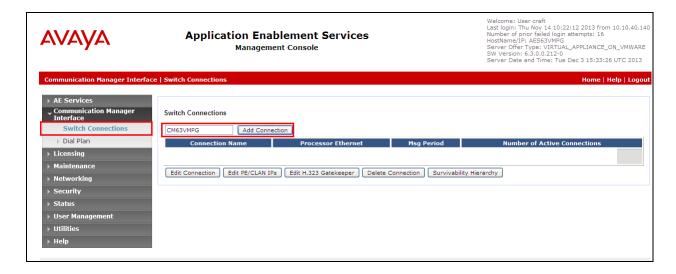


The Application Enablement Services Management Console appears displaying the **Welcome to OAM** screen (not shown). Select **AE Services** and verify that the TSAPI Service is licensed by ensuring that **TSAPI Service** is in the list of services and that the **License Mode** is showing **NORMAL MODE**. If not, contact an Avaya support representative to acquire the proper license for your solution.

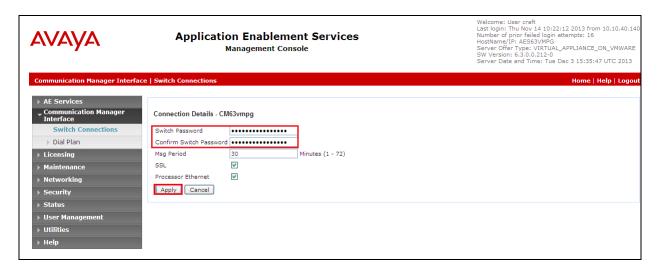


6.2 Create Switch Connection

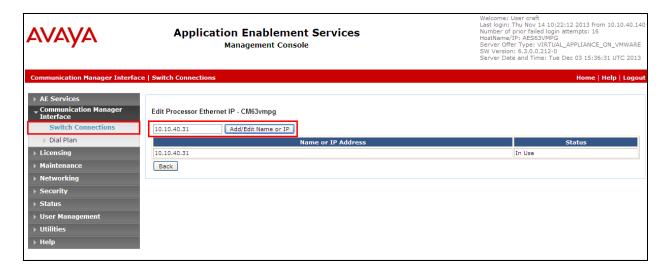
From the AES Management Console navigate to **Communication Manager Interface > Switch Connections** to set up a switch connection. Enter in a name for the Switch Connection to be added and click the **Add Connection** button.



In the resulting screen enter the **Switch Password**, the Switch Password must be the same as that entered into Communication Manager AE Services Administration screen via the **change ipservices** command, described in **Section 5.10**. Default values may be accepted for the remaining fields. Click **Apply** to save changes.

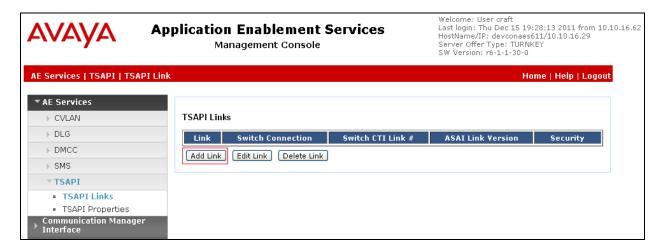


From the **Switch Connections** screen, select the radio button for the recently added switch connection and select the **Edit CLAN IPs** button (not shown). In the resulting screen, enter the IP address of the procr as shown in **Section 5.9** that will be used for the AES connection and select the **Add Name or IP** button.



6.3 Administer TSAPI link

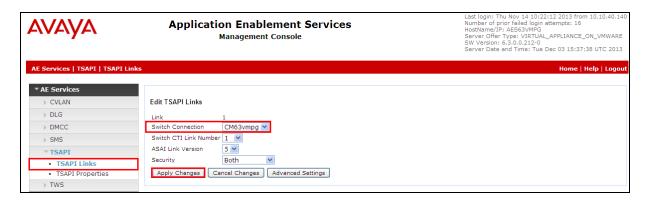
From the Application Enablement Services Management Console, select **AE Services** → **TSAPI** → **TSAPI Links**. Select **Add Link** button as shown in the screen below.



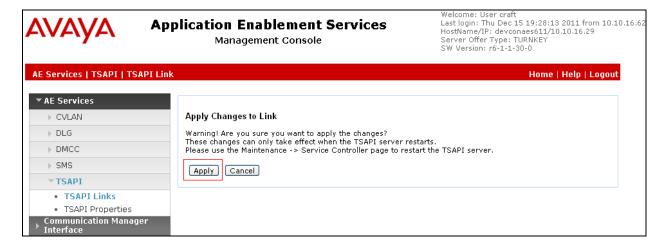
On the **Add TSAPI Links** screen, enter the following values:

- **Link:** Use the drop-down list to select an unused link number.
- **Switch Connection:** Choose the switch connection **CM63VMPG**, which has already been configured in **Section 6.2**, from the drop-down list.
- **Switch CTI Link Number:** Corresponding CTI link number configured in **Section 5.11** which is **1**.
- **ASAI Link Version:** This can be left at the default value of 5.
- **Security:** This can be left at the default value of **both**.

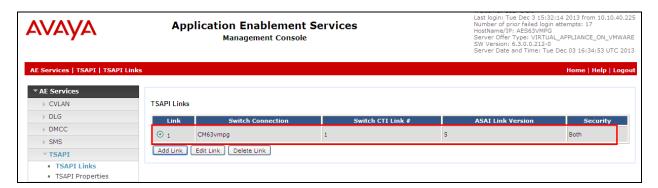
Once completed, select **Apply Changes**.



Another screen appears for confirmation of the changes. Choose **Apply**.



When the TSAPI Link is completed, it should resemble the screen below.



The TSAPI Service must be restarted to effect the changes made in this section. From the Management Console menu, navigate to **Maintenance** → **Service Controller**. On the Service Controller screen, tick the **TSAPI Service** and select **Restart Service**.

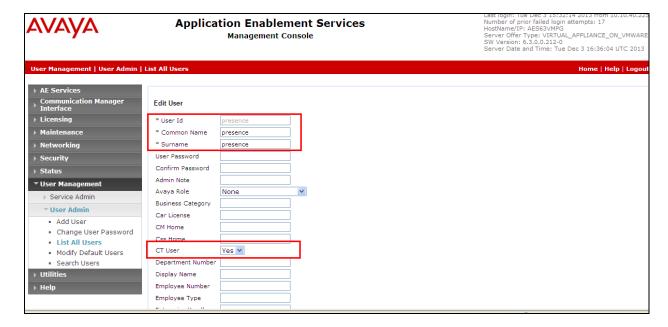


6.4 Create Avaya CTI User

A User ID and password needs to be configured for the Presence Suite server to communicate as a TSAPI client with the Application Enablement Services server. Navigate to the **User**Management → User Admin screen then choose the Add User option (not shown). In the Add User screen shown below, enter the following values:

- User Id This will be used by the Presence Suite Server in Section 7.1.
- Common Name and Surname Descriptive names need to be entered.
- User Password and Confirm Password This will be used with the User Id in Section 7.1.
- **CT User -** Select **Yes** from the drop-down menu.

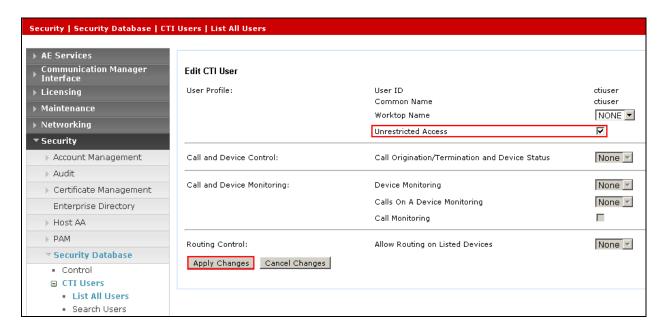
Complete the process by choosing **Apply** at the bottom of the screen (not shown).



The next screen will show a message indicating that the user was created successfully (not shown).

6.5 Enable Unrestricted Access for CTI User

Navigate to the CTI Users screen by selecting Security → Security Database → CTI Users → List All Users. Select the user that was created in Section 6.4 and select the Edit option (not shown). The Edit CTI User screen appears. Check the Unrestricted Access box and Apply Changes at the bottom of the screen.



A screen (not shown) appears to confirm applied changes to CTI User, choose **Apply**. This CTI user should now be enabled.

6.6 Identify Tlinks

Navigate to **Security → Security Database → Tlinks**. Verify the value of the **Tlink Name**. This will be needed to configure Presence Suite in **Section 7.1**.

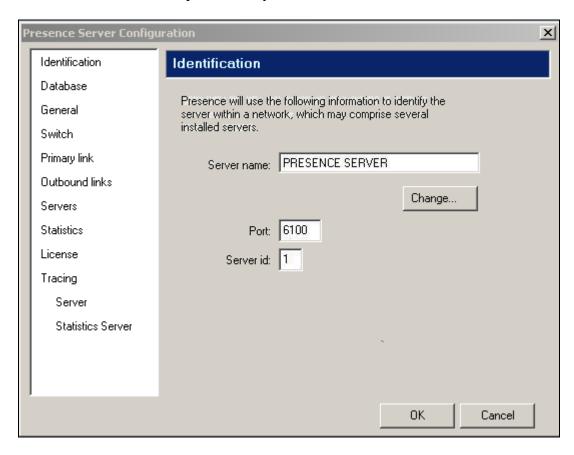


7 Configure the Presence Suite Server

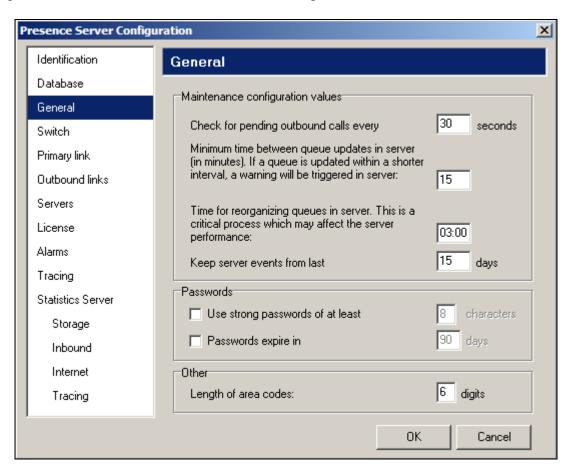
The Presence Suite includes the Presence Server, Presence Mail Interactions Server, Presence Web Interactions Server, Presence Administrator, Presence Supervisor, and Presence Agent. The Presence Server and the Oracle database were pre-installed on the same machine for convenience during the compliance testing. The Presence server was configured and provided by Presence Technology. An outline of the configuration relevant to the Avaya solution integration is detailed below.

7.1 Presence Server Configuration

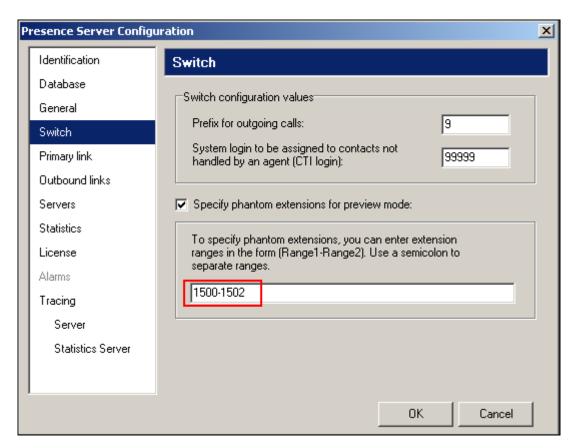
Launch the Presence Server configuration application by double clicking the **pcoservercfg.exe** located in the pre-installed Presence folder on the Presence Server (not shown). Select the **Identification** option from the menu on the left side of the screen, enter the **Server name** as **PRESENCE SERVER** as used for the identification of the server. The **Port** can be set to **6100**. Note that the actual value for server port can vary. Press **OK** to continue.



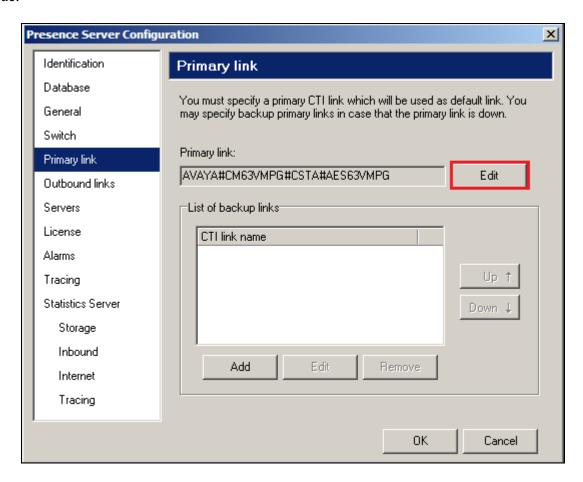
Select **General** from the menu on the left side of the screen. If desired, the Maintenance configuration values can be altered here, for the compliance test the default values were retained.



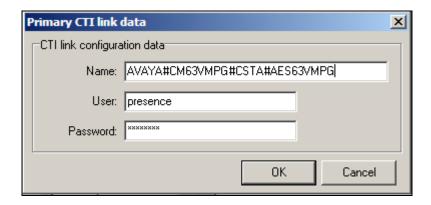
Select the **Switch** option from the menu on the left side of the screen. If required, enter a value in the **Prefix for outgoing calls** field, in this example the ARS feature access code of **9** was used. The **System login to be assigned to contacts not handled by an agent (CTI login)** field should be set to a value supplied by Presence, the value used for this configuration is **99999**. Check the **Specify phantom extension for preview mode** checkbox and enter the phantom extensions configured in **Section 5.9**.



Select the **Primary link** menu on the left side of the screen and choose the **Edit** button to enter a value.



In the resulting pop-up box enter the Tlink name from **Section 6.6** in the **Name** field. For the **User** and **Password** fields enter the user name and password configured on the Application Enablement Services in **Section 6.4**. Click **OK**.



7.2 Presence Service Configuration

A number of services for inbound, outbound, email and internet were configured via the Presence Administrator. This section covers the basic configuration for each type of service. Please refer to **Section 10** for detailed documentation on configuring Presence Suite services.

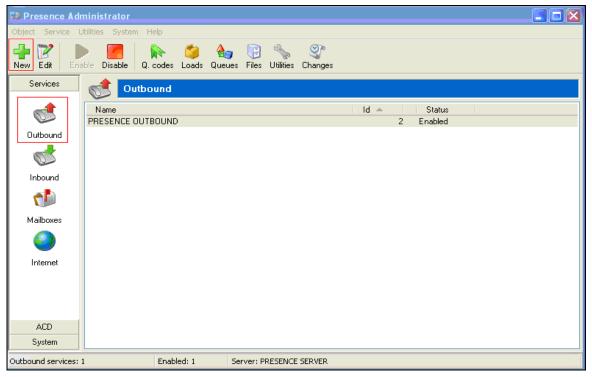
7.2.1 Logging in to Presence Administrator

Launch the **Presence Administrator** application by double clicking the **proadmin.exe** located in the Presence folder (not shown). The username and password that appear in the **User** and **Password** fields are created during the Presence Server installation.

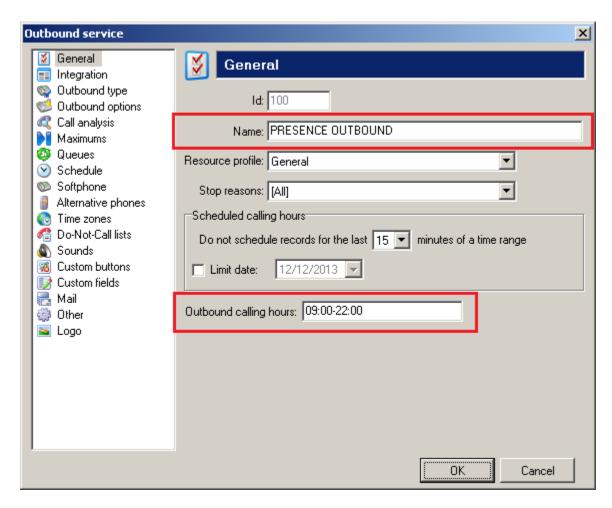


7.2.2 Outbound Service

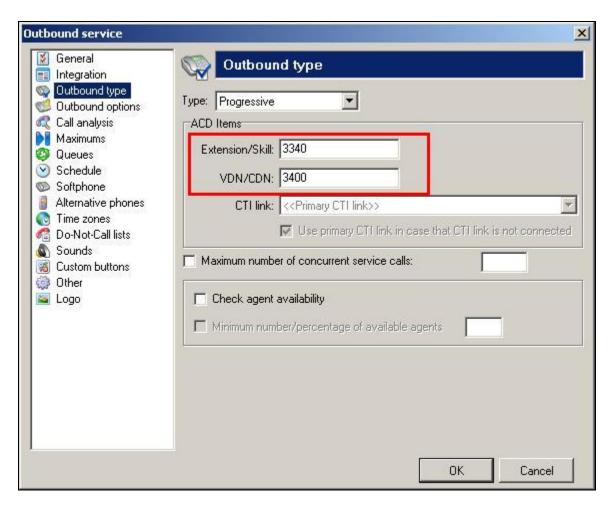
After logging in to Presence Administrator the following screen will be displayed. Select **Services** →**Outbound** from the Presence Administrator main menu on the left hand side. Click the **New** button to configure an outbound service.



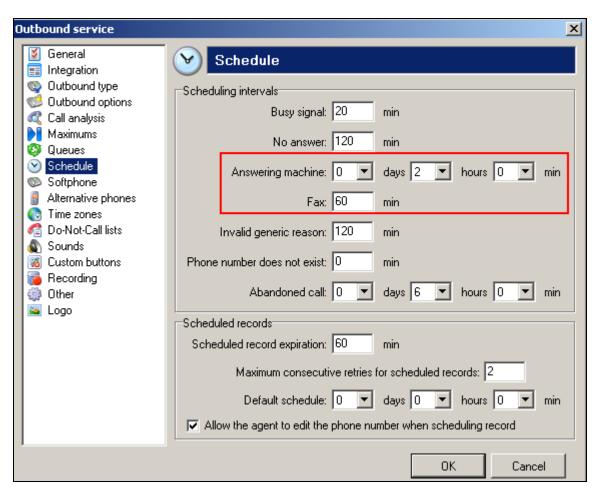
In the resulting screen, select **General** from the menu on the left hand side and enter a **Name** for the outbound service. In the **Calling hours** field set the time range for which the outbound service will be active. All other fields are left with their default values. Click **OK** to save service.



Select **Outbound type** from the left hand side menu and moving to the right, select the **Type** of outbound service. This specifies the mode in which the outbound service will operate, for further details of the type of outbound service available please refer to documentation in **Section 10**. In the **Extension/Skill** field enter the extension number assigned to the outbound hunt group configured in **Section 5.5.1**. In the **VDN/CDN** field enter the VDN number assigned to Outbound calls configured in **Section 5.5.3**. In the test configuration only one CTI link was configured so the **CTI Link** field is set to **<<Pri>Primary CTI Link>>** if multiple CTI links exist on the system then the specific CTI link can be specified. All other field may be left at their default values.

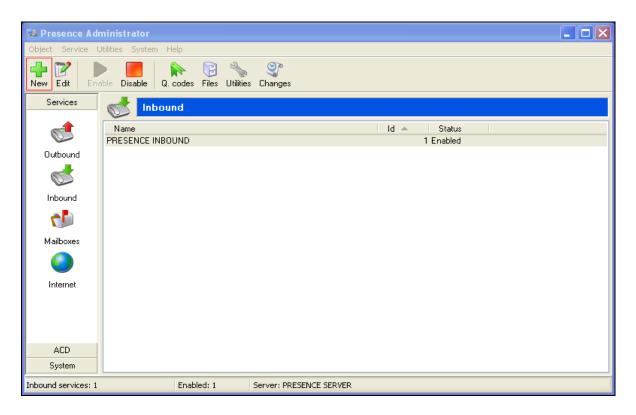


Select **Schedule** from the left hand side menu. The fields in the right hand side define how the outbound service should behave following an unsuccessful attempt at contacting the customer. For testing, the **Answering machine** and **Fax** box were checked with default values accepted for all other fields, as shown in the screen below. Click **OK** to complete the outbound service configuration.

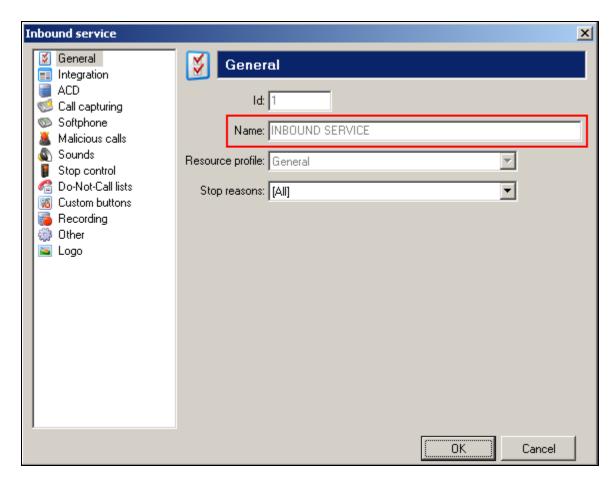


7.2.3 Inbound Service

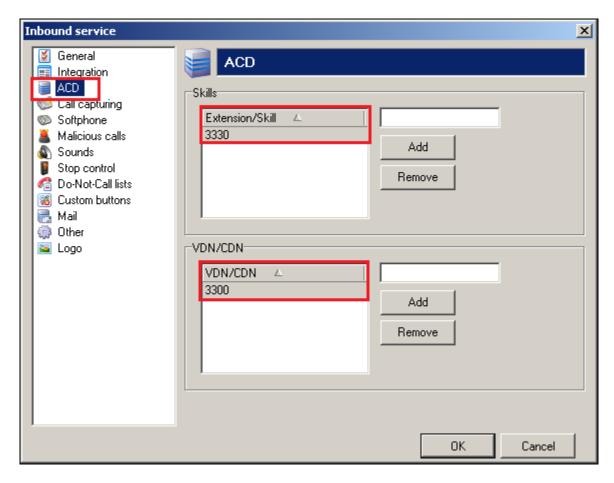
To configure an inbound service, from the left hand side select **Services** →**Inbound** from the Presence Administrator main menu. Click the **New** button.



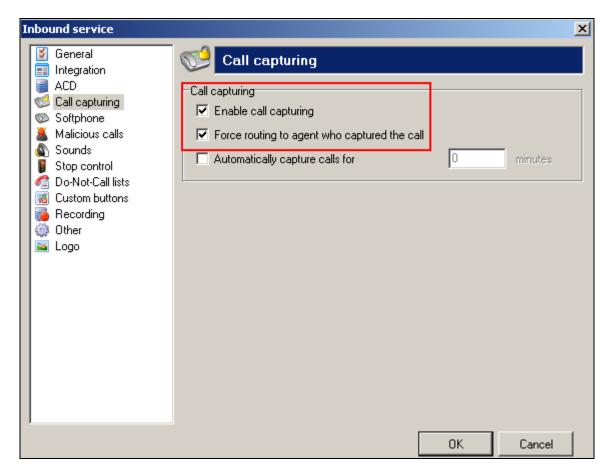
In the resulting screen, select **General** from the menu on the left hand side and enter a **Name** for the inbound service. All other fields are left with their default values.



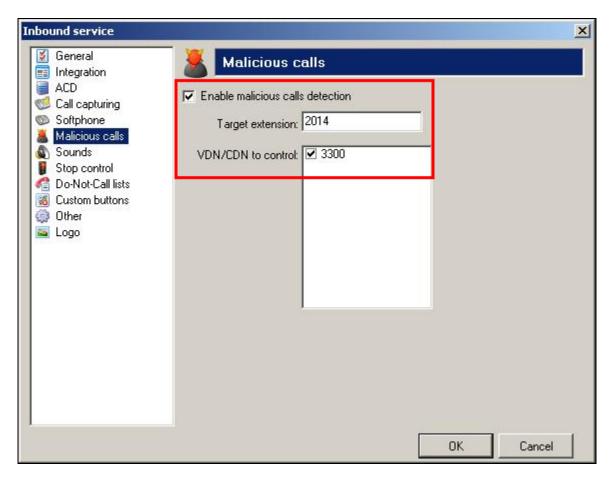
Select **ACD** from the left hand side menu and moving to the right, under the heading **Skills**, enter the skill group extensions configured in **Section 5.5.1** that will handle inbound calls in the untitled box (this includes email and web chat call types) and click **Add**. The skill group extensions will then appear to the left in the **Extension/Skill** box. Under the heading **VDN/CDN** enter the VDN configured in **Section 5.5.3** that will handle inbound calls in the untitled box and click **Add**. The VDN will then appear to the left in the **VDN/CDN** box.



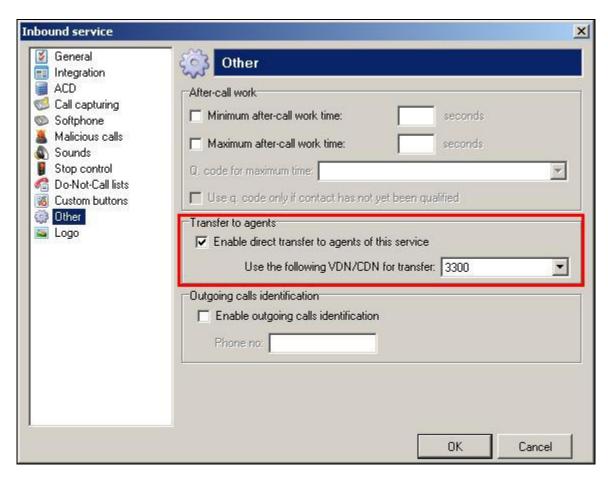
Select **Call capturing** from the left hand side menu and moving to the right, select the **Enable call capturing. Force routing to agent who captured the call** was checked for this compliance testing but is each user's preference. These options allow an agent to mark an inbound call so that if the caller rings back while that agent is logged onto the system, the call will be routed again to the agent who tagged the call.



Select **Malicious calls** from the left hand side menu and moving to the right, select the **Enable malicious calls detection** check box. This option allows agents to mark calls as malicious, so that the caller can be directed to another location such as a supervisor position if they call back again. In the **Target extension** field enter the extension that any malicious calls will be redirected to. In the **VDN/CDN to control** field select the VDNs this option will be available on.

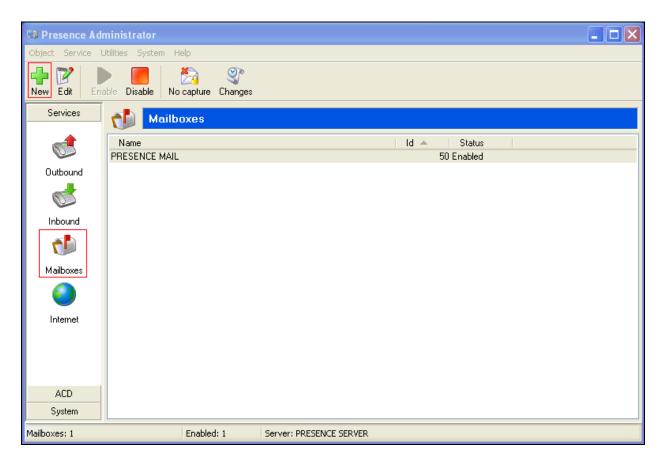


Select Other from the left hand side menu and moving to the right, select the Enable direct transfer to agents of this service check box. Enter the direct agent transfer VDN assigned in Section 5.5.3 in the Use the following VDN/CDN for transfer field. Click OK to complete the inbound service configuration.

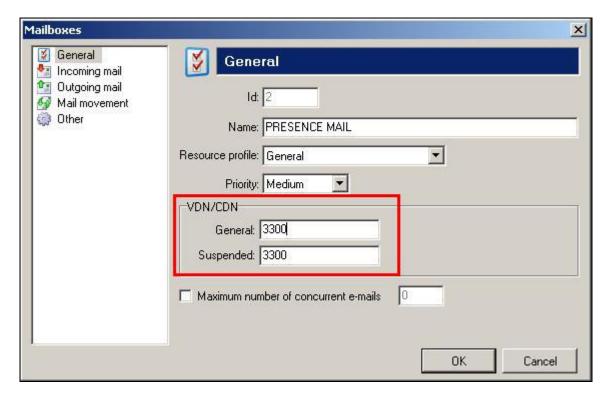


7.2.4 Email Service

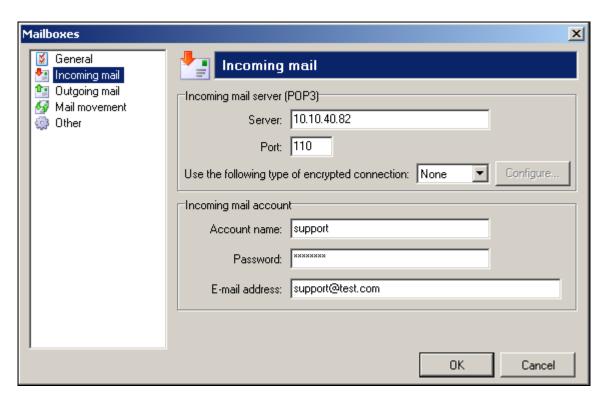
To configure an email service, from the left hand side select **Services** → **Mailboxes** from the Presence Administrator main menu. Click the **New** button.



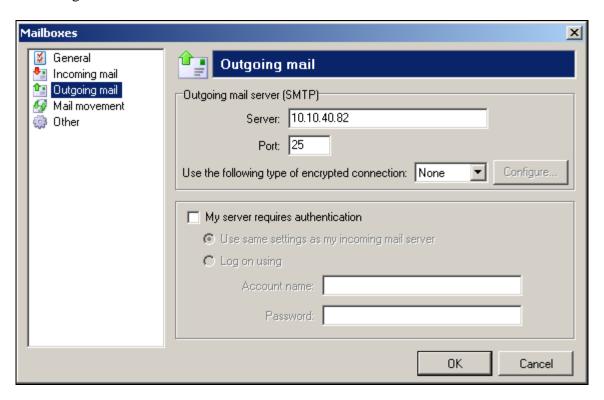
In the resulting screen, select **General** from the menu on the left hand side and enter a **Name** for the email service. Referring to **Table 2**, **Section 5.5**, under the heading **VDN/CDN** in the **General** field enter the VDN assigned for email and enter the VDN assigned for suspended emails in the **Suspended** field. The association of a VDN to an incoming email allows the reporting of incoming emails simply because the reporting of VDN's is standard on Communication Manager.



Select **Incoming mail** from the left hand side menu. This window allows administrator to specify the POP3 server and account from which to download incoming mails. In the **Server** field enter the POP3 mail server address. For the interoperability testing this was the same IP address as the Presence Server. The default POP3 port of **110** is entered into the **Port** field. Under the **Incoming mail account** heading enter the **Account name**, **Password** and **E-mail address** associated with the POP3 mail account.

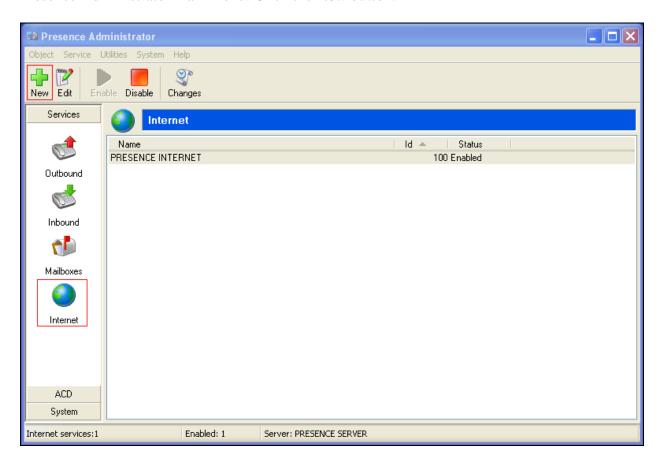


Select **Outgoing mail** from the left hand side menu and moving to the right, define the SMTP server that will be used to send response emails from Presence agents. Enter an IP address in the server field. For the interoperability testing this was the same IP address as the Presence Server. The default SMTP port of **25** is entered into the **Port** field. Click **OK** to complete the email service configuration.



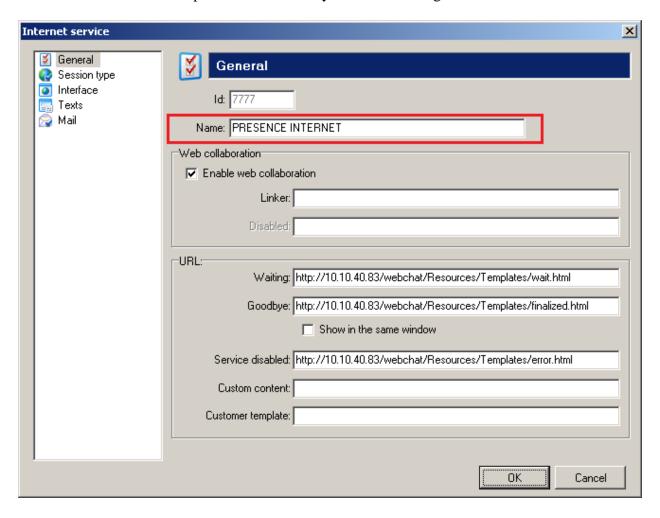
7.2.5 Web Chat / Web Call Back

To configure a web service, from the left hand side select **Services** → **Internet** from the Presence Administrator main menu. Click the **New** button.

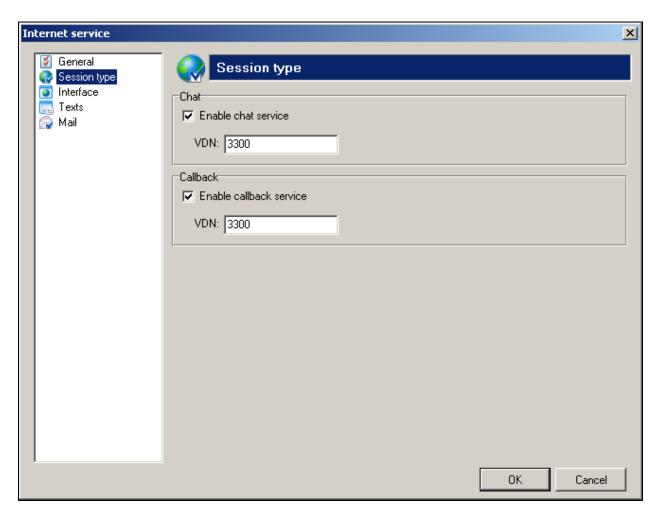


In the resulting screen, select **General** from the menu on the left hand side and enter a **Name** for the web service. Under the **URL** heading three URLs are defined:

- The **Waiting** URL is the URL that is presented to the customer if no agents are available.
- The **Goodbye** URL is the URL that is presented to the customer when the web callback or web chat session ends.
- The **Service disabled** URL is the URL that is presented to the customer if the service has been disabled for any reason.
- **Note:** These URL options were added by the Presence engineers.

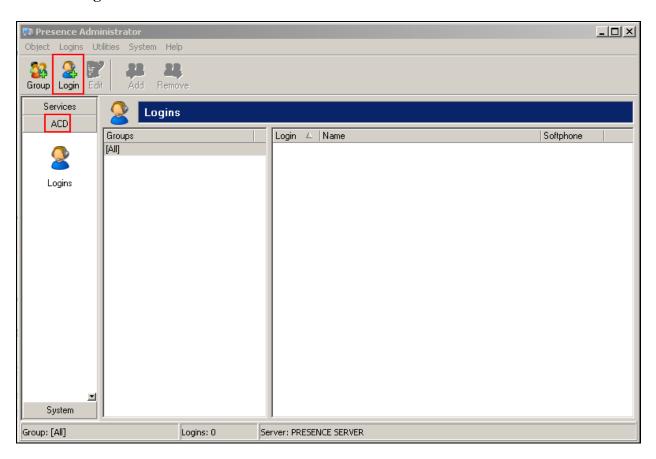


Select **Session type** in the left hand pane, the **Chat service** and **Callback service** check boxes should be selected and the relevant VDN for each entered into the **VDN/CDN** field, click **OK** when done.



7.2.6 Add ACD Agent Logins

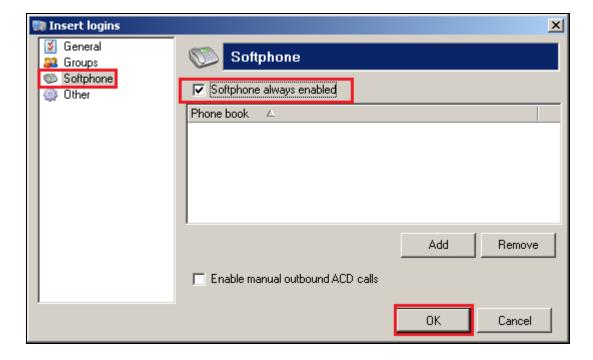
To add the agent logins administered on Communication Manager for use by Presence Suite, from the left hand pane of the Presence Administrator main menu select $\mathbf{ACD} \rightarrow \mathbf{Logins}$ and click the \mathbf{Login} button.



In the **Logins** field, enter a Communication Manager Agent Login ID and a password, as configured in **Section 5.7**. Best practice to tick **Agent cannot change password** as shown.

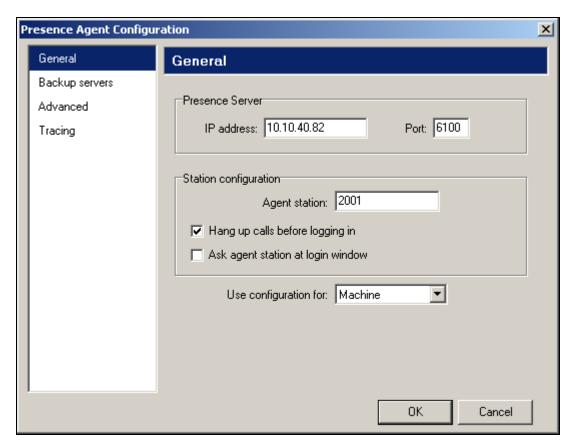


Click on **Softphone** in the left pane, and place a tick in the **Softphone always enabled** field. Click **OK** when done.



7.3 Presence Agent Configuration

The following steps are carried out on the Presence Suite Agent PC. Prior to installing the Presence agent, ensure that the DBExpress driver (dbexpoda.dll) is located in the C:\Windows\System32 directory. The DBExpress driver allows the agent application to communicate with the Oracle database. Installing this driver eliminates the need to install the Oracle client. Launch the Presence agent configuration application by double clicking the proagentcfg.exe located in the C: → Presence folder. Enter the Presence Server IP: address as 10.10.16.68. The Presence Server port can be left as the default value of 6100. Enter the extension of the agent that will be using this workstation in the Agent station field. Check the Hang up calls before logging in check box. In the field Use configuration for choose Machine from the drop down menu. Click OK. This step is needed for each agent configured; only the agent station field will vary.

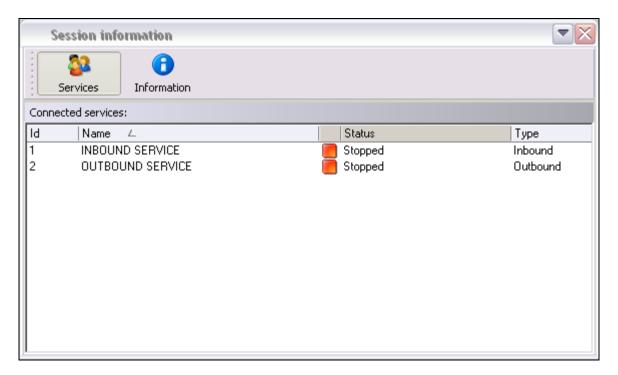


7.3.1 Logging in Presence Agent

Launch the Presence agent configuration application by double clicking the **proagent.exe** located in the Presence folder (not shown). Enter the agent **Login** and **Password** configured in **Section 5.7** and click on **OK**.



In the next screen, click on the **Services** button in the task bar. The service set up for the agent will be displayed.



A task bar is present at the top of the Agent PC. Click on the green arrow to put the agent in to an available state.



The information status on the task bar goes to available indicating the agent is ready to receive calls.

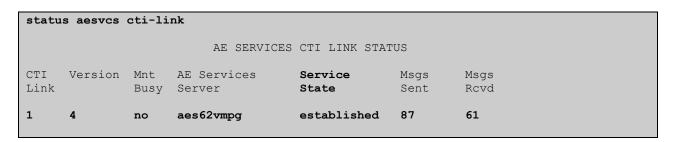


8 Verification Steps

This section provides the tests that can be performed to verify correct configuration of Communication Manager, Application Enablement Services and Presence Suite.

8.1 Verify Avaya Aura® Communication Manager CTI Link

The following steps can ensure that the communication between Communication Manager and the Application Enablement Services server is functioning correctly. Check the TSAPI link status with Application Enablement Services by using the command **status aesvcs cti-link**. Verify the **Service State** of the TSAPI link is **established**.



Use the command **status aesvcs interface** to verify that the status **Local Node** of Application Enablement Services interface is connected and **listening**.

status aesvcs interface									
AE SERVICES INTERFACE STATUS									
Local Node	Enabled?	Number of Connections	Status						
procr	yes	0	listening						

Verify that the there is a link with the Application Enablement Services and that messages are being sent and received by using the command **status aesvcs link**.

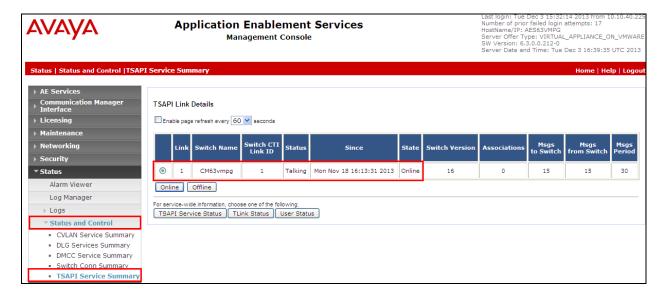
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Srvr/ Link	AE Services Server	Remote IP	Remote Port	Local Node	Msgs Sent	Msgs Rcvd			
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8.2 Verify Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services CTI Connection

The following steps are carried out on Application Enablement Services to ensure that the communication link between Communication Manager and the Application Enablement Services server is functioning correctly.

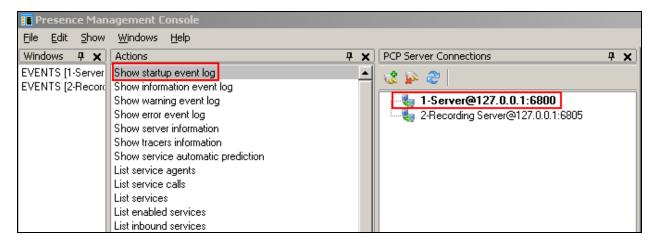
8.2.1 TSAPI Link

On the Application Enablement Services Management Console verify the status of the TSAPI link by selecting Status \rightarrow Status and Control \rightarrow TSAPI Service Summary to display the TSAPI Link Details screen. Verify the status of the TSAPI link by checking that the Status is Talking and the State is Online.

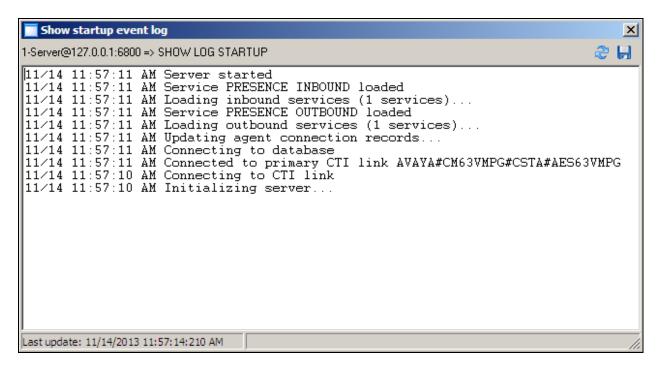


8.3 Verify Presence Suite CTI Connection

One of the available methods to confirm correct startup is a startup log which can be accessed from Presence Management Console. Navigate to $C: \rightarrow Presence \rightarrow pmconsole.exe$ (not shown). A startup log commences when the Presence Server is trying to load and connect to the Application Enablement Services server. Click on the item named Server@127.0.0.1:6800 in the PCP Server Connections pane of the Management Console. To open the startup event log, double click Show startup event log in the Actions pane.



Verify successful CTI connection and service startup.



9 Conclusion

These Application Notes describe the configuration steps required for Presence Suite R10.0 to successfully interoperate with Avaya Aura® Communication Manager R6.2 using Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services R6.2. All feature functionality and serviceability test cases were completed successfully with observations noted in **Section 2.2.**

10 Additional References

This section references the Avaya and Presence Suite product documentation that are relevant to these Application Notes.

Product documentation for Avaya products may be found at http://support.avaya.com.

- [1] Administering Avaya Aura® Communication Manager, Document ID 03-300509
- [2] Avaya Aura® Communication Manager Feature Description and Implementation, Document ID 555-245-205
- [3] Avaya Aura® Application Enablement Services Administration and Maintenance Guide Release 6.2

The following documentation is available on request from Presence: www.presenceco.com

- [4] ACD Sys Presence Administrator Manual Presence Suite, V10.0
- [5] Presence Installation Guides Presence Software, V10.0
- [6] PBX/ACD Requirements Presence Software, V10.0

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