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Reason for change:	* The ServiceIdentification section - see 7.4.4 - now contains a profile property of cardinality 0..*. Table 11 states that the definition of this property is: "Identifier of OGC Web Service (OWS) Application Profile". This property and its definition seem to be outdated with respect to "The Specification Model" (see OGC 08-131r3), especially that specifications are going to be structured in conformance classes that are supported by implementations (or not).
Summary of change:	* The "profile" property should be revised to support this new concept.
Consequences if not approved:	With respect to SPS, it would be desirable to indicate which profile(s) / set of conformance classes a specific service instance supports. This is especially true as the SPS EO profile will extend the SPS functionality and thus clients could readily determine that

the EO profile is supported by a service or not. In addition, service requests and responses now allow additional parameters via extension elements (see SWE Service Model specification, work in progress and foreseen to be ready at Nov 19th 09). With a revised "profile" element, a service could indicate which extensions it supports.



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see 7.4.4

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