5.1. Element <SubjectMatch>

The <SubjectMatch> element SHALL identify a set of **subject**-related entities by matching **attribute** values in the <xacml-context:Subject> element of the **context** with the embedded **attribute** value.

- 18 The <SubjectMatch> element is of **SubjectMatchType** complex type.
- 19 The <SubjectMatch> element contains the following attributes and elements:
- 20 MatchId [Required]
- This attribute pecifies a matching function. The value of this attribute MUST be of type xs:anyURI, with legal values documented in Appendix A.
- 23 <QualfiedSubjectAttributeDesignator> [Required choice]
- This element MAY be used to identify one or more *attribute* values in the <xacml-context:Subject> child elements of the <xacml-context:Request> element.
- 26 AttributeSelector> [Required choice]
 - This element MAY be used to identify one or more attribute values in the context:Subject> child elements of the context:Request> element.
- 29 <AttributeValue> [Required]
- This element contains the embedded *attribute* value.

5.2. Complex type AttributeDesignatorType

The AttributeDesignatorType complex type is the base type for elements and extensions that refer to *named attributes*. A *named attribute* has specific criteria with which to match attributes within a specific part of the <xacml-context:Request> element. The AttributeDesignatorType complex type specifies the attributes used for the match criteria that are common to all *named attributes*. Elements and extensions of the AttributeDesignatorType complex type MAY determine the presence of *named attributes* or select *attribute values* associated with *attributes* that match *named attributes*. Elements and extensions of the AttributeDesignatorType SHALL only enhance the match semantics.

 A named attribute SHALL match an attribute if the values of their respective AttributeId, DataType, and Issuer attributes match. The AttributeId attribute MUST match, by URI equality, that of the AttributeId attribute of the attribute. The DataType attribute MUST match, by URI equality, that of the DataType attribute of the same attribute. If the Issuer attribute is supplied, it MUST match, by URI equality, the Issuer attribute of the same attribute. If the Issuer attribute is not supplied, the matching of the named attribute SHALL be governed by AttributeId and DataType attributes alone, regardless of the presence, absence, or actual value of the Issuer attribute of the otherwise matching attribute.

- 57 AttributeId [Required]
- 58 This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the *attribute*.
- 59 DataType [Required]
- This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the *attribute*.
- 61 Issuer [Optional]
- 62 This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the *attribute*.
- 63 MustBePresent [Optional]

This attribute governs the whether the element returns *indeterminate* in the case of the absence of the *named attribute*. If the *named attribute* is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in *indeterminate*. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false

5.3. Complex type SubjectQualifierType

The SubjectQualifierType complex type that extends the AttributeDesignatorType complex type. It is the base type for elements and extensions that specify qualified subjects. A subject is a <Subject> element of the <Subjects> element of the <xacml-context:Request> element. A subject contains a grouping of subject attributes. A named subject attribute is a named attribute from any and all subjects. The SubjectQualifierType complex type extends the AttributeDesignatorType with a Matchld attribute and an <AttributeValue> element. The SubjectQualifierType extends the match semantics of the AttributeDesignatorType such that it SHALL select only the subjects, i.e. the qualified subjects, for which the subject attributes for the named subject attribute are present and their attribute values match the value contained in the <AttributeValue> element. Elements and extensions of the SubjectQualifierType complex type MAY select or determine the presence of subjects that have subject attributes that match the attribute values of named subject attributes. Elements and extensions of the SubjectQualifierType SHALL only enhance the match semantics.

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<xs:complexType name="SubjectQualifierType">
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84
              <xs:complexContent>
                 <xs:extension base="xacml:AttributeDesignatorType">
86
                    <xs:attribute name="MatchId"</pre>
87
                                type="xs:anyURI"
88
                                use="required"/>
89
                    <xs:element ref="xacml:AttributeValue"/>
90
                 </xs:extension>
91
               </xs:complexContent>
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             </xs:complexType>
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- The <SubjectQualifierType> complex type contains the following attributes and elements in addition to the attributes of the **AttributeDesignatorType** complex type:
- 96 MatchId [Required]
- 97 This attribute SHALL specify the function with which to compare *attribute values*.
- 98 AttributeValue [Required]
- This element SHALL specify the attribute value with which to *match named subject* attributes.

5.4. Element <SubjectQualifier>

The <SubjectQualifier> element of the **SubjectQualifierType** and follows it semantics which are specified in Section 5.3.

5.5. Complex type SubjectAttributeDesignatorType

105 The SubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type that extends the AttributeDesignatorType 106 complex type. It is the base type for elements and extensions that refer to *named subject* attributes. A subject attribute is an attribute that SHALL only be located within the <Subject> 107 108 elements of the <Subjects> element the <xacml-context:Request> element. A named subject attribute is a named attribute from any and all <Subject> elements. The 109 110 SubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type extends the AttributeDesignatorType with a SubjectQualifier elements. The SubjectAttributeDesignatorType extends the match 111 112 semantics of the AttributeDesignatorType such that the attribute search space SHALL be 113 restricted *qualified subjects*. A *qualified subject* is a <Subject> element that match all of the 114 contained SubjectQualifier elements. Elements and extensions of the 115 SubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type MAY determine the presence of named subject attributes or select attribute values associated with subject attributes that match named 116 subject attributes. Elements and extensions of the SubjectAttributeDesignatorType SHALL only 117 enhance the match semantics. 118

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120
             <xs:complexType name="SubjectAttributeDesignatorType">
121
               <xs:complexContent>
122
                 <xs:extension base="xacml:AttributeDesignatorType">
123
                     <xs:element ref="SubjectQualifier"</pre>
124
                               minOccurs="0"
125
                                 maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
126
                  </xs:extension>
127
               </xs:complexContent>
128
             </xs:complexType>
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The <SubjectAttributeDesignatorType> complex type contains the following elements in addition to the attributes of the **AttributeDesignatorType** complex type:

SubjectQualifier [Optional]

These elements SHALL restrict the attribute search space to *qualified subjects*.

5.6. Complex type QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType

The QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type that extends the SubjecAttributeDesignatorType complex type. The QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type extends the SubjectAttributeDesignatorType with a FromSubjects attribute. The QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType extends the match semantics of the SubjectAttributeDesignatorType such that it matches all subject attribute values from all qualified subjects. If the FromSubjects attribute is set to single-subject, (its default value) and there are more than one qualified subjects, this element results in indeterminate. Elements and extensions of the SubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type select attribute values associated with subject attributes that match named subject attributes from qualified subjects. Elements and extensions of the QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType SHALL only enhance the match semantics.

 The <QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType> complex type contains the following attribute in addition to the attributes of the **SubjectAttributeDesignatorType** complex type:

160 FromSubjects [Optional]

This attribute SHALL specify whether named attributes match subject attributes from multiple *qualified subjects*. If FromSubjects is not supplied, its default value SHALL be single-subject. Its alternate valid value SHALL be multiple-subjects.

5.7. Complex type QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresentType

The QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresentType complex type that extends the SubjecAttributeDesignatorType complex type. The QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresentType complex type extends the SubjectAttributeDesignatorType with a MustBeSingleSubject attribute. The QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresentType extends the match semantics of the SubjectAttributeDesignatorType such that it matches subject attribute values from all the qualified subjects. If the MustBeSingleSubject attribute is set to true, (its default value) and there are more than one qualified subjects, this element results in indeterminate. Elements and extensions of the SubjectAttributelsPresentType complex type determine the presence of attribute values associated with subject attributes that match named subject attributes from

qualified subjects. Elements and extensions of the QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresentType SHALL only enhance the match semantics.

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- The <QualifiedSubjectAttributeIsPresentType> complex type contains the following attribute in addition to the attributes of the **SubjectAttributeDesignatorType** complex type:
- 191 MustBeSingleSubject [Optional]

This attribute SHALL specify whether *named subject attributes* match *subject attributes* from a single *qualified subject*. If MustBeSingleSubject is not supplied, its default value SHALL be true.

5.8. Element < Qualified Subject Attributels Present >

- The <QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresent> element determines whether a *named subject attribute* is present or not. Its match semantics are that of the **QualifiedSubjectAttributelsPresentType**.
- 198 The <QualifiedSubjectAttributeIsPresent > element SHALL result in *true* if its *named*
- 199 **subject attribute** is present. If the MustBeSingleSubject attribute is set to true (its default
- value), a result of true SHALL mean that a < Qualified Subject Attribute Designator >
- 201 element with its FromSubject attribute set to single-subject (its default value) for this *named*
- 202 **subject attribute** SHALL return a bag consisting of at least one **attribute value**. The
- 203 MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns false or indeterminate in the case
- of the absence of the *named subject attribute*. If the *named subject attribute* is not present and
- 205 the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in false.
- 206 If the *named resource attribute* is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true,
- 207 this element SHALL result in *indeterminate*. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it
- 208 cannot be determined whether the *named subject attribute* is present or not present in the
- 209 request context, or the value of the *named subject attribute* is unavailable, then the expression
- 210 SHALL result in *indeterminate*.
- 211 A *named subject attribute* SHALL be considered present if at least one *subject attribute* exists
- that matches the values of its corresponding AttributeId, DataType, and Issuer attributes as
- 213 well as the **SubjectQualifier** elements as per the match semantics of the
- 214 **QualfiedSubjectAttributeIdPresentType** specification [Section 5.7].
- The <QualfiedSubjectAttributeIsPresent > MAY be passed to the <Apply> element as an argument.

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221	The <qualifiedattributeispresent> element has the following attributes:</qualifiedattributeispresent>
222	AttributeId [Required]
223 224	This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the <i>subject attribute</i> of <i>qualified subjects</i> .
225	DataType [Required]
226 227	This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the subject attribute of qualified subjects .
228	Issuer [Optional]
229 230	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the subject attribute of qualified subjects .
231	MustBePresent [Optional]
232 233 234 235 236 237	This attribute governs the whether the <qualifiedsubjectattributelspresent> element returns false or indeterminate in the case of the absence of the named subject attribute. If the named subject attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to false, this element SHALL result in false. If the named subject attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in indeterminate. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.</qualifiedsubjectattributelspresent>
238	MustBeSingleSubject [Optional]
239 240 241 242 243 244	This attribute governs the whether the <qualifiedsubjectattributelspresent> element returns <i>true</i> or <i>false</i> in the case of the presence of the <i>named subject attribute</i> within multiple <i>qualified subjects</i>. If MustBeSingleSubject is set to true and there are zero or more than one <i>qualified subject</i>, this element SHALL result in <i>false</i>. Otherwise, this element SHALL result in the presence of the <i>named subject attribute</i> in the qualified subjects. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.</qualifiedsubjectattributelspresent>
245	5.9. Element <qualifiedsubjectattributedesignator></qualifiedsubjectattributedesignator>
246 247	The <qualifiedsubjectattributedesignator> element selects attribute values that match <i>named subject attribute</i>. Its match semantics are that of the QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType.</qualifiedsubjectattributedesignator>
248 249 250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257 258	The <qualifiedsubjectattributedesignator> element SHALL return a bag of all the subject attribute values that are matched by the named subject attribute from qualified subjects. The FromSubjects attribute governs whether the matched attributes come are merged from multiple qualified subjects or are required to come from a single qualified subject. If the FromSubjects attribute is set to single-subject (its default value) and there are multiple qualified subjects, this element results in indeterminate. The MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns an empty bag or indeterminate in the case of the absence of the named subject attribute. If the named subject attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the named subject attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element SHALL result in indeterminate. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be</qualifiedsubjectattributedesignator>

determined whether the *named subject attribute* is present or not present in the request context,

or the value of the *named subject attribute* is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in

indeterminate.

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262 A *named subject attribute* SHALL match a *subject attribute* as per the match semantics specified in the QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type [Section 5.6]. 263 264 The <QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignator > MAY appear in a <SubjectMatch> 265 element and MAY be passed to the <Apply> element as an argument. 266 267 <xs:element name="QualifiedSubjectAttributeIsPresent"</pre> 268 type="xacml:SubjectAttributeDesignatorType"/> 269 270 The <QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignator > element is of the QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignatorType complex type. 271 272 The <QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignator > element has the following attributes: 273 AttributeId [Required] 274 This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the subject attribute 275 within *qualified subjects*. 276 DataType [Required] 277 This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the **subject attribute** within 278 qualified subjects. 279 Issuer [Optional] 280 This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the subject 281 attribute within qualified subjects. 282 MustBePresent [Optional] 283 This attribute governs the whether the <QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignator > 284 element returns an empty bag or *indeterminate* in the case of the absence of the *named* 285 subject attribute. If the named subject attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to 286 false, this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the *named subject attribute* is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in *indeterminate*. 287 288 If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false. 289 FromSubjects [Optional] 290 This attribute governs the whether the <QualifiedSubjectAttributeDesignator > 291 element returns subject attribute values from a single or multiple qualified subjects. If 292 FromSubjects is set to single-subject and there are more than one qualified 293 subject, then this element SHALL result in indeterminate. Otherwise, this element returns a bag consisting of the *subject attribute values* matching the *named subject attributes* 294 295 of all the *qualified subjects*. If FromSubjects is not supplied, its default value SHALL be 296 single-subject. Its alternate valid value is multiple-subjects. 5.10. Element < Resource Attributels Present > 297 298 299 The <ResourceAttributeIsPresent> element determines whether a named resource 300 attribute is present. A resource attribute is an attribute that SHALL only be located within the

<Resource> element of the <xacml-context:Request> element. A named resource

attribute has specific criteria (described below) with which to match a resource attribute. A

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303 304	named resource attribute SHALL be considered present, i.e. not absent, if there is at least one resource attribute that matches the criteria.
305 306 307 308 309 310 311 312 313 314 315	The <resourceattributeispresent> element SHALL result in <i>true</i> if its <i>named resource attribute</i> is present. A result of <i>true</i> SHALL mean that a <resourceattributedesignator> element for this <i>named resource attribute</i> SHALL return a bag consisting of at least one <i>attribute value</i>. The MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns <i>false</i> or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named resource attribute</i>. If the <i>named resource attribute</i> is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in <i>false</i>. If the <i>named resource attribute</i> is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be determined whether the <i>named resource attribute</i> is present or not present in the request context, or the value of the <i>named resource attribute</i> is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>.</resourceattributedesignator></resourceattributeispresent>
316 317 318	A <i>named resource attribute</i> SHALL be considered present if at least one <i>resource attribute</i> exists that matches the values of its corresponding AttributeId, DataType, and Issuer attributes as per the match semantics of the AttributeDesignatorType specification [Section 5.1].
319 320	The <resourceattributeispresent> MAY be passed to the <apply> element as an argument.</apply></resourceattributeispresent>
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322 323	<pre><xs:element <="" name="ResourceAttributeIsPresent" td=""></xs:element></pre>
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325 326	The <resourceattributeispresent> element is of the AttributeDesignatorType complex type.</resourceattributeispresent>
327	The <resourceattributeispresent> element has the following attributes:</resourceattributeispresent>
328	AttributeId [Required]
329 330	This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the <i>resource attribute</i> .
331	DataType [Required]
332	This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the <i>resource attribute</i> .
333	Issuer [Optional]
334 335	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the resource attribute .
336	MustBePresent [Optional]
337 338 339 340 341 342	This attribute governs the whether the <resourceattributelspresent> element returns <i>false</i> or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named resource attribute</i>. If the <i>named resource attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to false, this element SHALL result in <i>false</i>. If the <i>named resource attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.</resourceattributelspresent>

343	5.11. Element <resourceattributedesignator></resourceattributedesignator>
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345 346 347 348 349 350 351	The <pre>ResourceAttributeDesignator> element retrieves a bag of values for a named resource attribute. A resource attribute is an attribute that SHALL only be located within the <pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre>
352 353 354 355 356 357 358 359 360 361	The <resourceattributedesignator> element SHALL return a bag of all the resource attribute values that are matched by the named resource attribute. The MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns an empty bag or indeterminate in the case of the absence of the named resource attribute. If the named resource attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the named resource attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element SHALL result in indeterminate. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be determined whether the named resource attribute is present or not present in the request context, or the value of the named resource attribute is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in indeterminate.</resourceattributedesignator>
362 363	A named resource attribute SHALL match a resource attribute as per the match semantics specified in the AttributeDesignatorType complex type [Section 5.1].
364 365	The <resourceattributedesignator> MAY appear in the <resourcematch> element and MAY be passed to the <apply> element as an argument.</apply></resourcematch></resourceattributedesignator>
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367 368	<pre><xs:element <="" name="ResourceAttributeDesignator" td=""></xs:element></pre>
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370 371	The $<$ ResourceAttributeDesignator> element is of the AttributeDesignatorType complex type.
372	The <resourceattributedesignator> element has the following attributes:</resourceattributedesignator>
373	AttributeId [Required]
374 375	This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the resource attribute .
376	DataType [Required]
377	This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the <i>resource attribute</i> .
378	Issuer [Optional]
379 380	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the resource attribute.
381	MustBePresent [Optional]
382 383 384	This attribute governs the whether the <resourceattributedesignator> element returns an empty bag or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named resource attribute</i>. If the <i>named resource attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to</resourceattributedesignator>

385 386 387	false, this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the <i>named resource attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i> . If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.
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389	5.12. Element <actionattributeispresent></actionattributeispresent>
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391 392 393 394 395 396	The <actionattributeispresent> element determines whether a named action attribute is present. An action attribute is an attribute that SHALL only be located within the <action> element of the <acml-context:request> element. A named action attribute has specific criteria (described below) with which to match an action attribute. A named action attribute SHALL be considered present, i.e. not absent, if there is at least one action attribute that matches the criteria.</acml-context:request></action></actionattributeispresent>
397 398 399 400 401 402 403 404 405 406 407	The <actionattributeispresent> element SHALL result in <i>true</i> if its <i>named action attribute</i> is present. A result of <i>true</i> SHALL mean that a <actionattributedesignator> element for this <i>named action attribute</i> SHALL return a bag consisting of at least one <i>attribute value</i>. The MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns <i>false</i> or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named action attribute</i>. If the <i>named action attribute</i> is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in <i>false</i>. If the <i>named action attribute</i> is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be determined whether the <i>named action attribute</i> is present or not present in the request context, or the value of the <i>named action attribute</i> is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>.</actionattributedesignator></actionattributeispresent>
408 409 410	A <i>named action attribute</i> SHALL be considered present if at least one <i>action attribute</i> exists that matches the values of its corresponding AttributeId, DataType, and Issuer attributes as per the match semantics of the AttributeDesignatorType specification [Section 5.1].
411	The <actionattributeispresent> MAY be passed to the <apply> element as an argument.</apply></actionattributeispresent>
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413 414	<pre><xs:element name="ActionAttributeIsPresent" type="xacml:AttributeDesignatorType"></xs:element></pre>
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416	The <actionattributeispresent> element is of the AttributeDesignatorType complex type.</actionattributeispresent>
417	The <actionattributeispresent> element has the following attributes:</actionattributeispresent>
418	AttributeId [Required]
419	This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the action attribute.
420	DataType [Required]
421	This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the action attribute.
422	Issuer [Optional]
423 424	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the <i>action attribute</i> .
425	MustBePresent [Optional]

This attribute governs the whether the <ActionAttributelsPresent> element returns *false* or indeterminate in the case of the absence of the named action attribute. If the named action attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to false, this element SHALL result in false. If the named action attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in indeterminate. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.

5.13. Element < Action Attribute Designator >

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The <actionAttributeDesignator> element retrieves a bag of values for a named action attribute. An action attribute is an attribute that SHALL only be located within the <action> element of the <acml-context:Request> element. A named action attribute has specific criteria (described below) with which to match an action attribute. A named action attribute SHALL be considered present, i.e. not absent, if there is at least one action attribute that matches the criteria. A action attribute value is an attribute value that is contained within a action

440 attribute.

441 The <actionAttributeDesignator> element SHALL return a bag of all the action attribute 442 values that are matched by the named action attribute. The MustBePresent attribute governs 443 whether this element returns an empty bag or *indeterminate* in the case of the absence of the 444 named action attribute. If the named action attribute is not present and the MustBePresent 445 attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the *named* 446 action attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element 447 SHALL result in indeterminate. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be determined whether the *named action attribute* is present or not present in the request context, or 448 449 the value of the *named action attribute* is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in

A *named action attribute* SHALL match a *action attribute* as per the match semantics specified in the **AttributeDesignatorType** complex type [Section 5.1].

The <ActionAttributeDesignator> MAY appear in the <ActionMatch> element and MAY be passed to the <Apply> element as an argument.

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<xs:element name="ActionAttributeDesignator"
type="xacml:AttributeDesignatorType"/>
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The <ActionAttributeDesignator> element is of the AttributeDesignatorType complex type.

461 The <ActionAttributeDesignator> element has the following attributes:

462 AttributeId [Required]

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This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the action attribute.

464 DataType [Required]

This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the *action attribute*.

Issuer [Optional]

467 468	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the action attribute.
469	MustBePresent [Optional]
470 471 472 473 474 475	This attribute governs the whether the <actionattributedesignator> element returns an empty bag or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named action attribute</i>. If the <i>named action attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to false, this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the <i>named action attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.</actionattributedesignator>
476	5.14. Element <environmentattributeispresent></environmentattributeispresent>
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478 479 480 481 482 483	The <environmentattributeispresent> element determines whether a <i>named environment attribute</i> is present. An <i>environment attribute</i> is an <i>attribute</i> that SHALL only be located within the <environment> element of the <xacml-context:request> element. A <i>named environment attribute</i> has specific criteria (described below) with which to match an <i>environment attribute</i>. A <i>named environment attribute</i> SHALL be considered <i>present</i>, i.e. <i>not absent</i>, if there is at least one <i>environment attribute</i> that matches the criteria.</xacml-context:request></environment></environmentattributeispresent>
484 485 486 487 488 489 490 491 492 493 494 495	The <environmentattributeispresent> element SHALL result in <i>true</i> if its <i>named environment attribute</i> is present. A result of <i>true</i> SHALL mean that a <environmentattributedesignator> element for this <i>named environment attribute</i> SHALL return a bag consisting of at least one <i>attribute value</i>. The MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns <i>false</i> or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named environment attribute</i>. If the <i>named environment attribute</i> is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in <i>false</i>. If the <i>named environment attribute</i> is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be determined whether the <i>named environment attribute</i> is present or not present in the request context, or the value of the <i>named environment attribute</i> is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>.</environmentattributedesignator></environmentattributeispresent>
496 497 498 499	A <i>named environment attribute</i> SHALL be considered present if at least one <i>environment attribute</i> exists that matches the values of its corresponding AttributeId, DataType, and Issuer attributes as per the match semantics of the AttributeDesignatorType specification [Section 5.1].
500 501	The $<$ EnvironmentAttributeIsPresent> MAY be passed to the $<$ Apply> element as an argument.
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503 504	<pre><xs:element <="" name="EnvironmentAttributeIsPresent" td=""></xs:element></pre>
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506 507	The <environmentattributeispresent> element is of the AttributeDesignatorType complex type.</environmentattributeispresent>
508	The <environmentattributeispresent> element has the following attributes:</environmentattributeispresent>
509	AttributeId [Required]

510 511	This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the <i>environment</i> attribute.
512	DataType [Required]
513	This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the environment attribute.
514	Issuer [Optional]
515 516	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the environment attribute.
517	MustBePresent [Optional]
518 519 520 521 522 523	This attribute governs the whether the <environmentattributeispresent> element returns false or indeterminate in the case of the absence of the named environment attribute. If the named environment attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to false, this element SHALL result in false. If the named environment attribute is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in indeterminate. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.</environmentattributeispresent>
524	5.15. Element <environmentattributedesignator></environmentattributedesignator>
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526 527 528 529 530 531 532	The <environmentattributedesignator> element retrieves a bag of values for a named environment attribute. A environment attribute is an attribute that SHALL only be located within the <environment> element of the <xacml-context:request> element. A named environment attribute has specific criteria (described below) with which to match a environment attribute. A named environment attribute SHALL be considered present, i.e. not absent, if there is at least one environment attribute that matches the criteria. A environment attribute value is an attribute value that is contained within a environment attribute.</xacml-context:request></environment></environmentattributedesignator>
533 534 535 536 537 538 539 540 541 542	The <environmentattributedesignator> element SHALL return a bag of all the environment attribute values that are matched by the named environment attribute. The MustBePresent attribute governs whether this element returns an empty bag or indeterminate in the case of the absence of the named environment attribute. If the named environment attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to false (its default value) this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the named environment attribute is not present and the MustBePresent attribute is set to true, this element SHALL result in indeterminate. Regardless of the MustBePresent attribute, if it cannot be determined whether the named environment attribute is present or not present in the request context, or the value of the named environment attribute is unavailable, then the expression SHALL result in indeterminate.</environmentattributedesignator>
543 544	A named environment attribute SHALL match a environment attribute as per the match semantics specified in the AttributeDesignatorType complex type [Section 5.1].
545 546	The <environmentattributedesignator> MAY be passed to the <apply> element as an argument.</apply></environmentattributedesignator>
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548 549	<pre><xs:element <="" name="EnvironmentAttributeDesignator" td=""></xs:element></pre>
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551	The <environmentattributedesignator> element is of the AttributeDesignatorType</environmentattributedesignator>

complex type.

553	The <environmentattributedesignator> element has the following attributes:</environmentattributedesignator>
554	AttributeId [Required]
555 556	This attribute SHALL specify the AttributeId with which to match the <i>environment</i> attribute.
557	DataType [Required]
558	This attribute SHALL specify the DataType with which to match the environment attribute.
559	Issuer [Optional]
560 561	This attribute, if supplied, SHALL specify the Issuer with which to match the environment attribute.
562	MustBePresent [Optional]
563 564 565 566 567 568 569	This attribute governs the whether the <environmentattributedesignator> element returns an empty bag or <i>indeterminate</i> in the case of the absence of the <i>named environment attribute</i>. If the <i>named environment attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to false, this element SHALL result in an empty bag. If the <i>named environment attribute</i> is absent and MustBePresent is set to true, this element SHALL result in <i>indeterminate</i>. If MustBePresent is not supplied, its default value SHALL be false.</environmentattributedesignator>
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