

FOIWG



ICANN DAKAR MEETING

October 2011

Presentation outline



- Scope of framework for interpretation
- Process
- Topics for interpretation
- Activities since Singapore
- Revised Charter
- Terminology, Valid Manager, AC and TC
- Consent
- Significantly Interested Parties (SIP)
- Meeting of the working group in Dakar

Scope of Framework



- Applicable policy and guidelines: RFC 1591 and GAC-Principles 2005
- Framework for interpretation adding colour and depth to existing policy and guidelines
- Not in scope
 - Changing applicable policy or guidelines
 - The IANA Functions contract, including contract implementation issues or procedures

Process for topics



- WG prepares draft set of interpretations for a topic in an Interim Report (Example: Consent report).
- WG undertakes a public consultation of the draft set of interpretations.
- WG reviews comments and input from the public consultation.
- WG prepares a Final Report of interpretation for a topic.

Process for topics (cont'd)



- GAC and ccNSO support for Final Report - BOTH communities have to support report
- Submission of Report to the Board by chair of the ccNSO, includes:
 - Confirmation of support by GAC and ccNSO
 - Report with recommendations

Topics for interpretation



- Consent for delegation and re-delegation requests
- Support for delegation and re-delegation from Significantly Interested Parties (LIC)
- Recommendations for un-consented re-delegations
- Comprehensive glossary
- Recommendations for IANA reports on delegation and re-delegation

Activities since Singapore



- The working group met by teleconference 9 times since the Singapore meeting.
- Has updated its charter and work plan
- Has published a progress report on its activities since Singapore
- Has published a public consultation on Consent.
- Is currently working on the topic on Significantly Interested Parties.

Revised Charter



- The charter of the working group was updated to confirm the full participation of the GAC in the working group.
- <http://ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups/charter-foiwg-07jun11-en.pdf>

Terminology Topic



- The objective is to develop a comprehensive glossary of terms used in context of delegation and re-delegation of ccTLDs.
- WG concluded that it would be more effective to evolve the glossary in parallel with other work. Terminology topic has been moved to the end of schedule.

Consent Topic (1)



- The objective was to develop guidelines as to how IANA should obtain and document consent from the proposed manager for a ccTLD delegation and from the proposed and incumbent managers for a re-delegation.
- The working group completed its initial work on the Consent topic in September and results are included in Interim Report which is currently the subject of a public consultation. See:
<http://www.icann.org/en/announcements/announcement-12oct11-en.htm>.

Consent Topic (2)



- Input and comments on Interim Report are taken into consideration by the participants in the WG.
- Based on input and comments the WG will prepare a Final Report
- Final Report on Consent will be published prior to the Costa Rica meeting
- At the Costa Rica meeting: Seek support from GAC and ccNSO on recommendations on obtaining and documenting consent

Valid Manager, AC and TC Topic



- No need for the Valid Manager, Administrative Contact and Technical Contact topic.
- FOIWG has proposed that only the manager approve the delegation and that only the incumbent and proposed managers approve a re-delegation
- No change of project plan.

Significantly Interested Parties (SIP)



- The objective is to develop guidelines as to how IANA should obtain and document support for delegations and re-delegations from significantly interested parties as defined in RFC1591.
- It is expected that the working group will complete its initial work on this topic and publish Interim Paper prior to Costa Rica meeting.

Dakar meeting of the FOIWG



- Thursday October 27th, 13:00 to 16:00 in the Salon Vert.
 - Always open to observers.
- Agenda:
 - Review update to terminology
 - Review documents from last meeting
 - Review input from Consent public consultation
 - Significantly Interested Parties
 - Schedule of meetings to Costa Rica

FOIWG URL's and Email Addresses



- FOIWG website (including this progress report)
ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups/foiwg.htm
- Consent public consultation <http://www.icann.org/en/announcements/announcement-12oct11-en.htm>
- WG Chair - Keith Davidson – kieith@internetnz.net.nz
- Staff support – Bernard Turcotte – turcotte.bernard@gmail.com