IANA WG
Charter and Work Plan

ccNSO members meeting

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Background

- The IANA WG was created at the Cape Town ICANN meeting in 2004;

- It was specifically set up to address a “list of concerns” that the community raised at that time;

- A charter for the working group was set up to organize activities of and participation in the IANA Working Group;

- IANA is a member of the IANA Working Group;
Background

• Although the ccNSO IANA WG was initially created to address certain specific concerns, it was subsequently designed to improve the service that IANA provides to ccTLDs;

• A membership protocol was therefore adopted by the ccNSO for the IANA Working Group to allow greater ccTLD participation, following the Sao Paulo meeting (2006);

• More recently new demands have been raised from the ccNSO and the community (such as input on DNSSEC, more readability on the IANA Working Group progresses, …);

• At the same time the Charter foresees that “the continuance and the Charter of the WG will be reviewed on a regular basis by the ccNSO”;
New Charter

• A new draft Charter was proposed to the IANA Working Group back in early January;

• It was posted to the Members and to the Council;

• The group adopted this Charter as a ccNSO IANA Working Group proposal to the Council;

• This document is a consolidation of earlier documents that were adopted by the ccNSO and the IANA WG to structure the WG activities;

• The new Charter includes a new “goal section” and a “work plan” section;
List of Identified Topics

* IANA Communication to ccs:
  * IANA tickets and reports ending requests
  * IANA dashboard reporting
  * IANA web site
  * IANA 24x7 phone support
  * Escalation Procedure for ccTLDs
* IANA software and procedures
  * RZM testing
  * IANA Process Flows
  * IANA processing time
  * IANA authentication processes
* DNS Technical Checks
* IANA re(delegation) procedure
* ccTLD database Whois accuracy
* Internationalized ccTLD Whois
* DNSSEC and signing the root
* IPv6
* Service level
* Liaison