

IDN ccPDP

Purpose of IDN ccPDP

- A policy on the selection and delegation of IDN ccTLDs
- Changes to Article IX of the ICANN Bylaws to include IDN ccTLDs in the ccNSO.

Process

- Focus on selection of IDN ccTLDs
- Topic Paper: delineate topics and issues to be considered in developing an overall policy
- Interim Paper: structure and potential directions for the overall policy
 - Chairs draft
- Final Paper: recommendations for policy for selection of IDN ccTLDs

Basic Assumptions

- The structure of the IDNC WG proposals is followed
 - Principles that shape and structure the recommendations,
 - Proposed process including criteria for selection of IDN ccTLDs, and roles and responsibilities of the actors).
- The Fast Track recommendations are refined and updated to reflect, the discussions and experiences of the Fast Track process and the nature of the ccPDP.

Basic Assumptions

- IDN ccTLDs are ccTLDs and should be treated in the same manner, unless the nature of being an IDN does not allow for it.
- Delegation, re-delegation and retirement policies for (ASCII) ccTLD apply to IDN ccTLDs;

Basic assumptions

- Proposals are limited to selection mechanisms of IDN ccTLDs
- Proposals are limited to non-Latin script

Overarching Principles

- **Association of the (IDN) country code Top Level Domain with a territory**
- **(ASCII) ccTLD and IDN ccTLDs are all country code Top Level Domains.**
- **Preserve security, stability and interoperability of the DNS**

Overarching Principles

- **Purpose of the introduction of IDN ccTLDs is to provide accessibility for whom ASCII script is inaccessible (or at high cost)**
- **An IDN ccTLD is a (non ASCII) ccTLD**

Overarching Principles

- **The IDN ccTLD string should be non-contentious within the territory**
- **Criteria determine the number of IDN ccTLDs**
- **Ongoing Process.**