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President's Strategy Committee Report

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President's Strategy Committee Update

- Background:
 - December 2005: ICANN Board approved the appointment by the President of a President's Strategy Committee.
 - Advice of a group responsible for making observations and recommendations concerning strategic issues facing ICANN.
 - Does not replace the bottom-up process nor the strategic planning process.



PSC Update continued

- Committee engaged with community at ICANN's meeting in Morocco and in early July posted consultation materials for the community that posed questions the Committee identified for further exploration.
 - Translated into Arabic, French, Italian and Spanish.
- Comments received from Wolfgang Kleinwächter; George Richards; NSI; INTA; Sebastian Ricciardi; Danny Younger; Laura Abba, Vittorio Bertola, Stefano Trumpy, Members of an Italian governmental committee on Internet Governance; ISPCP; Becky Burr; Go Daddy, Remmy Nweke, Chairman, International Relations Committee Nigeria Internet Group (NIG); Edward Hasbrouck, Patrick Vande Walle; ISOC.
- Committee held town-hall consultations with the community on 21 July 2006, transcripts and audio available on the website.



Participants in consultations

- Participants in the consultations included:
- Erika Mann (Member of the European Parliament, Chairperson, European Internet Foundation)
- Hans Corell (former Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Legal Counsel of the United Nations)
- Roelof Meijer (CEO of SIDN, registry for the .nl ccTLD)
- Stefano Trumpy (.it Registry, ISOC Italy)
- Becky Burr (Partner, Law Firm of WilmerHale)
- Jon Nevett (Vice President, Policy and Ethics, Network Solutions)
- Bahvin Turakhia (CEO and Chairman of Directi and LogicBoxes)
- Tim Ruiz (Vice President of Domain Services for GoDaddy)



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- Bernie Turcott (CEO of CIRA, registry for the .ca ccTLD)
- Margarita Valdes (Legal and Business Manager, NIC CL, registry for the .cl ccTLD, and President of the Latin America and Caribbean ccTLDs Organization, LACTLD)
- Mark McFadden, ICANN's ISPCP Secretariat (Internet Service Provider and Connectivity Provider Constituency)
- Chris Disspain (CEO of auDA, registry for the .au ccTLD, Chair of ICANN's Country Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO))
- Mr. Naomasa Maruyama, Vice President, Japan Network Information Center, JPNIC, registry for the .jp ccTLD
- Danny Younger, Former Chair of the General Assembly of the DNSO; regular participant in the ICANN community
- David Maher (Senior Vice President, Law and Policy, PIR)



PSC Update continued

- President's Committee met to review the comments and input received and prepared the draft report posted.
- The Committee will take input and feedback to the recommendations.
- The Committee will hold an online town meeting in February 2007 (date to be provided) for further community discussion, with the aim to provide a finalized report to the Board at its March 2007 meeting.