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MANAL ISMAIL, GAC CHAIR: So good morning, everyone, and thank you for making it at this early hour even though we finished very late last night. Thank you to everyone. This is the first GAC session for today. And as we do every day, we allocate the first 15 minutes to providing an overview of GAC discussions and meetings that will be taking place today, June 28th. Over to you, Tom.

TOM DALE: Good morning, everybody. The first substantive session this morning will deal with the outcomes and proposals from the GAC NomCom working group and GAC participating in the NomCom and then a session from GAC support staff providing update on developments and the ongoing evolution of the GAC website, and then GAC support staff will be taking you through work that has been done on GAC on-boarding to assist new members and also some issues concerning travel support.

Then after the break there will be a session dealing with a number of GAC operational matters including the directions in which the GAC wishes to take the independent secretariat function then an update from one or both colleagues on the

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cross community working group on new ccTLD and the work of that group then a session on work stream accountable and Jordan Carter will provide an update on the conclusion of the work and the next steps with their report.

Then after lunch there are two sessions for the GAC finally. One, a further briefing from the ccNSO dealing with the ISO list and then schedule 28, the last hour before the afternoon break we will deal at the request of Brazil, not here at the moment, dealing with how the GAC wishes to prepare for its taking of a -- and then the GAC sessions will conclude and this room will be used for the second open session of the geographic names Work Track of the new gTLD subsequent procedures working group. Thank you, Manal.

MANAL ISMAIL, GAC CHAIR: Thank you, Tom. So for the moment we are just trying to make sure that everyone knows about the new slot for coordination for our input as a chartering organization for the community working group work stream report. Maybe we can get back to this again when we have Brazil in the room because they offered to lead on this so it makes sense that we reiterate this when they are in the room to make sure that we are all on the same page. So this concluded agenda item 20 on daily overview of the GAC agenda.

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