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The IANA Stewardship Transition

ccNSO
Los Angeles

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1. The Process

2. The Timescale

3. How can you get involved

4. Q&A

IANA Stewardship Transition Coordination Group ICG:

- 30 individuals, direct and indirect stakeholders

- ccTLD representatives are:
  - Xiaodong Lee .cn
  - Mary Uduma .ng
  - Keith Davidson .nz
  - Martin Boyle .uk
    - Mohamed El Bashir .qa (ALAC) & Demi Getschko (ISOC), Hartmut Glaser (ASO) .br

- Coordinate the development of a proposal among the communities affected by the IANA functions

- In parallel with the ICANN accountability process

- Issued a Request for Proposals from protocols, numbers and naming communities

Focus of transition

- IANA functions currently specified in NTIA contract. IANA administration of registries containing:

    - DNS root zone

    - Internet numbering resources

    - Protocol parameters

- Stewardship (not policy development, etc.)

Request for Proposals

Requests complete formal proposals from processes convened by operational communities

- All interested parties should get involved in the relevant community process

- Interested parties can submit comments directly to ICG about specific aspects of proposals, the community processes or ICG's processes

- ICG will address comments to the relevant operational community wherever appropriate

Community proposal processes should be open & inclusive

Communities asked to actively seek out and encourage wider participation by other parties interested in the response

Proposal Elements

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I. Description of Community's Use of IANA Functions

II. Existing, Pre-Transition Arrangements

    A. Policy Sources

    B. Oversight and Accountability

III. Proposed Post-Transition Oversight and Accountability Arrangements

IV. Transition Implications

V. NTIA Requirements

VI. Community Process

Proposal Elements - I

Description of Community's Use of IANA Functions

- Description of function

- Description of the customer(s) of the function

- What registries are involved in providing the function

- A description of any overlaps or interdependencies between your IANA requirements and the functions required by other customer communities

Proposal Elements - II

Existing, Pre-Transition Arrangements

- Policy Sources

  - Description of how policy is developed & established. Who is involved?

  - How are disputes about policy resolved?

  - References to documentation

- Oversight & Accountability

  - Description of oversight or accountability

  - Description of the mechanism, including the consequences of the IANA operator not meeting standards, transparency…

  - Jurisdiction(s) and the legal basis for the mechanism

Proposal Elements - III

Proposed Oversight & Accountability Arrangements

- Changes to oversight & accountability arrangements in light of the transition. Proposals to replace existing arrangements should be explained and the elements of oversight & accountability should be described for the new arrangements with the rationale and justification for the new arrangements

- Implications for the interface between the IANA functions and existing policy arrangements

- If the community is not proposing changes to oversight & accountability, the rationale and justification should be provided
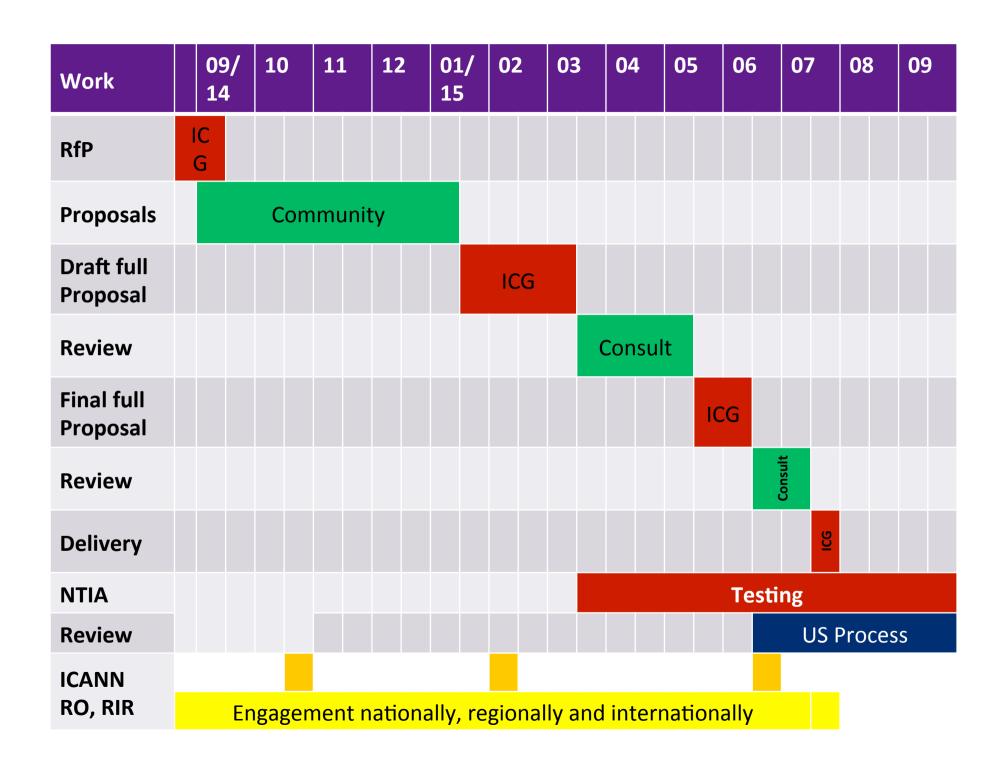
The Process: the CWG

Cross-community Working Group to Develop an IANA Stewardship Transition Proposal on Naming Related Functions (CWG on Stewardship Transition)

- Produce consolidated transition proposal for the elements of the IANA Functions relating to the Domain Name System

- Principles of openness, diversity, global participation, involvement of affected parties, transparency, and bottom-up, consensus-based decision-making

- Expectation that will operate as much as possible with the views and consensus support of all participants

- GNSO, ccNSO, SSAC, ALAC, GAC adopted the charter

- ccTLD members from .dk, .pe, .ac, .za, .se

- Open to observers who can contribute to the discussion

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Work	09/14	10	11	12	01/15	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09
RfP	ICG												
Proposals		Community											
Draft full Proposal					ICG								
Review								Consult					
Final full Proposal										ICG			
Review											Consult		
Delivery											ICG		
NTIA Review									Testing				
											US Process		
ICANN RO, RIR													
		Engagement nationally, regionally and internationally											

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Outreach

- ccNSO

- cc-world mailing list

- Regional organisations (eg CENTR work on principles and risks, mailing list)

- National networks?

- Other outreach?

ICG, CWG-Stewardship Transition

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- Follow the discussions
  - Become a participant (ex observer) in the CWG
  - Monitor the ICG proceedings
  - Comment

- Discuss with ICG & CWG members
- Mary Uduma, Keith Davidson, Xiaodong Lee, Martin Boyle
- Lise Fuhr, Erik Iriarte, Paul Kane, Vika Mpisane, Staffan Jonson

- Interaction with the process – community discussion and input to consultations (community reviews)

- Time is short: need to prepare now!

Engagement

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Important that we achieve!

- Late engagement could lead to failure – and the risk that something would be imposed on us
- Opportunity for engagement via ccTLD regional organisation and RIR as well as direct contact to identify shared interests and concerns as well as with members and participants of CWG-IANA and members of ICG

Sources of Information

NTIA:

- Announcement:
http://www.ntia.doc.gov/press-release/2014/ntia-announces-intent-transition-key-internet-domain-name-functions

- FAQ:
http://www.ntia.doc.gov/other-publication/2014/iana-functions-and-related-root-zone-management-transition-questions-and-answ

ICG: https://www.icann.org/stewardship/coordination-group

CWG:
https://community.icann.org/display/gnsocwgdtstwrdshp/CWG+to+Develop+an+IANA+Stewardship+Transition+Proposal+on+Naming+Related+Functions

SSAC:

– SAC067 Overview and History of the IANA Functions

https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/files/sac-067-en.pdf

– SAC068 Report on the IANA Functions Contract

https://www.icann.org/en/system/files/files/sac-068-en.pdf

CENTR paper:
https://centr.org/system/files/agenda/attachment/centr-paper-transition-of-ntias-stewardship-of-the-iana-functions-20140624.pdf

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