

ccNSO Framework of Interpretation WG UPDATE

ISSUE

GAC input on draft Recommendations of ccNSO Framework of Interpretation Working Group (Significantly Interested Parties)

SUMMARY

The ccNSO has established a working group with participation of the GAC on the interpretation of existing policy for the delegation and re-delegation of ccTLD's. This ccNSO Framework of Interpretations WG (ccNSO FoI WG) has developed a draft set of recommendations on the obtaining and documenting support from Significantly Interested Parties in the process of delegation and re-delegation of ccTLD's. This is one of the five topics the WG will address. The topics are:

- Obtaining and documenting consent
- Obtaining and documenting support from Significantly Interested Parties (Local Internet Community or LIC)
- Revocation and un-consented re-delegations
- IANA reporting on delegation and re-delegation
- Glossary of Terms

The GAC has provided initial feedback and input on the draft recommendations.

The ccNSO FoI WG is preparing its response, which will be submitted to the GAC. The Working Group will then finalize its recommendations.

Once all topics are addressed the recommendations will be submitted to the GAC to seek their support, before submitting the recommendations to the ICANN Board of Directors.

GAC ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITY STATUS

Members of the GAC participate in the FoI WG as observers and could provide feedback and input. The GAC will be formally requested to support the recommendations of the WG. According to the charter of the FoI WG support of the GAC is a requirement in order to submit the advice to the ICANN Board of Directors. The full set of recommendations is anticipated at or after the Beijing meeting (April 2013).

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Latest progress report of the FoI WG can be found at: <http://ccnso.icann.org/node/34549>

The charter of the WG can be found at: <http://ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups/charter-foiwb-07jun11-en.pdf>

Background information on the FoI WG can be found at: <http://ccnso.icann.org/workinggroups/foiwb.htm>