



IGO/INGO Identifiers Protection Policy Implementation

Implementation Review Team Meeting | 25 August 2016

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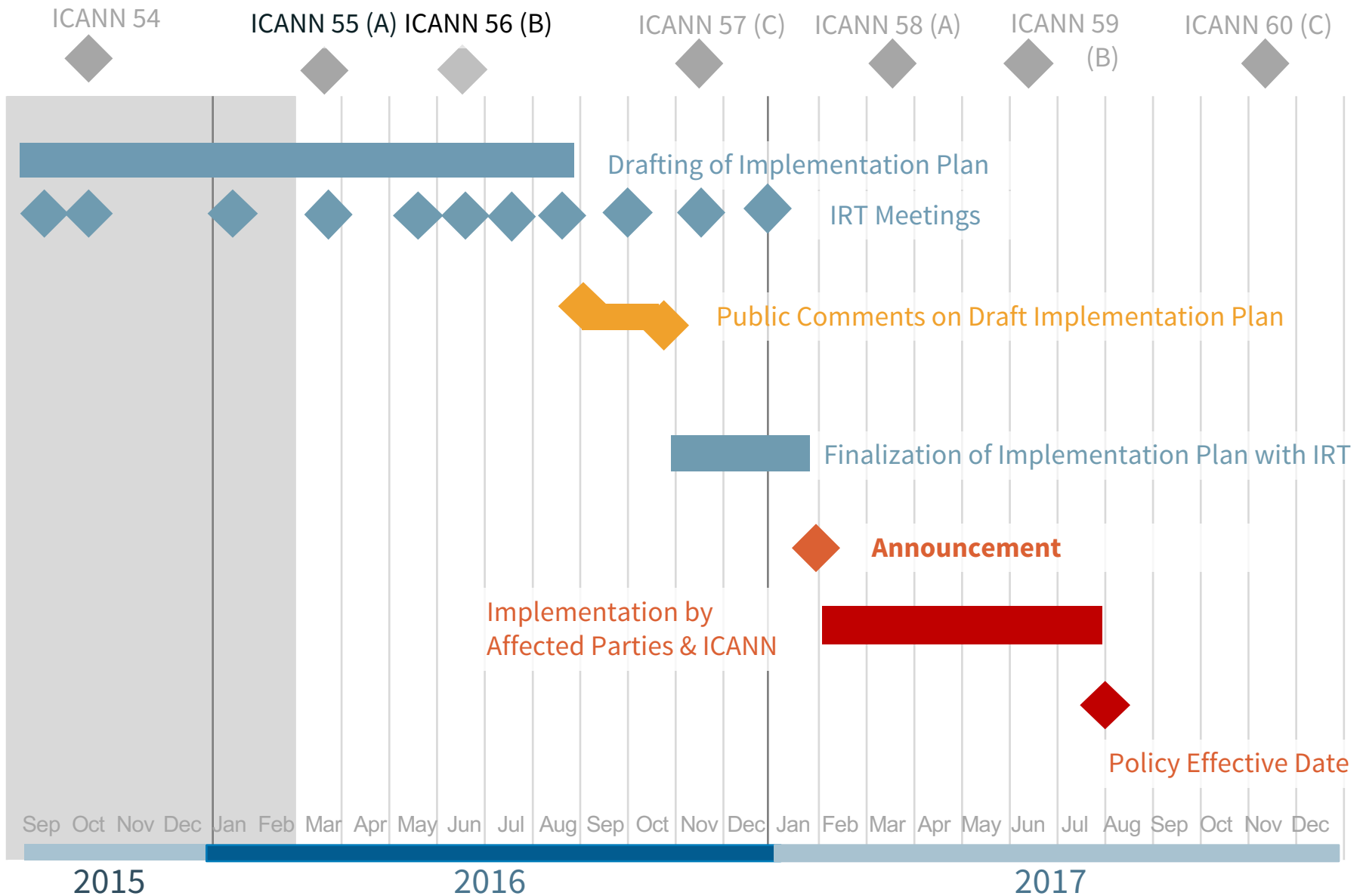
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Current Timeline Assumptions for Implementation



Implementation Plan Status

- ⦿ **Secure Initial Authoritative Lists of Identifiers and Required Data**
 - RCRC, IOC, INGO Identifiers – Complete
 - INGOs Contact Data – Complete
 - IGOs Identifiers – seeking ”up to two languages” from GAC
 - Letter to GAC submitted on 17 June 2016
 - Information expected by October 2016

- ⦿ **Define List Update Process**
 - INGO – in development working with UNDESA
 - IGO/IOC/RCRC – defined in draft CP

- ⦿ **Develop Systems and Processes**
 - Full name reservation process
 - Use current system/process
 - 90-day claims system in design
 - ICANN staff to review/evaluate proposal from the current TMCH system vendor

Required Deliverables for Key Milestones

- ◎ **Implementation Plan Release for Public Comment (target August 2016)**
 1. INGO: 90-day claims solution defined
 2. List update process defined
 3. Draft consensus policy language document
 4. Sample Protected Identifier Lists page on IRT wiki page
- ◎ **Announce Policy Effective Date (target February 2017)**
 1. Protected Identifier List posted
 1. IGO list: up to two language from GAC
 2. IOC List
 3. RCRC List
 4. INGO List: ECOSOC
 2. INGO: MoU with UNDESA for ECOSOC list & Contact list
 3. Claims system designed and ready to implement
 4. Final Consensus Policy Language
- ◎ **Policy Effective Date (6 months from announcement)**
 1. The Policy Language posted
 2. Claims system operational

Policy Recommendation Scope Tracking

Org	Board Resolution (A): “Not Inconsistent” Implementation Authorized	Board Res (B) GNSO differing GAC Implementation Not Authorized
RCRC	Reserve Full Names; Top & Second levels In UN6 languages with Exception Procedure: <i>Red Cross, Red Crescent, Red Crystal, Red Lion & Sun</i>	189 National RC Societies: permanent protection & 90-days claims? Full name only vs acronyms also for ICRC and IFRC, etc?
IOC	Reserve Full Names; Top & Second levels in UN6+German, Greek, & Korean with Exception Procedure: <i>OLYMPIC and OLYMPIAD</i>	N/A
IGO	Reserve Full Names; Top & Second levels Up to 2 languages with Exception Procedure: <i>GAC List</i>	Protection for Acronyms? 90-days claims? Access to Curative rights (PDP)?
INGO	Reserve Full Names; Top level with Exception Procedure: <i>ECOSOC General List</i> English only 90-days Claims for Full Names; Second level: <i>ECOSOC General and Special Lists</i> English only	N/A

Protected Identifiers Lists

- ⦿ “[Protected Identifiers Lists](#)” is currently posted on the IRT Community Wiki page. Permanent home is intended to be icann.org. For Public Comment, it may moved to icann.org
- ⦿ The lists are similar but different from the IOC, Red Cross, and IGO reserved names for new gTLDs on icann.org:
<https://www.icann.org/sites/default/files/packages/reserved-names/ReservedNames.xml>
- ⦿ The list to be used for both Top and Second Level and Reservation and Claims.
- ⦿ This list is to be maintained as simple lists to be used as reference from AGB, Policy and Contacts.
- ⦿ Treatment of the list is specified elsewhere such as AGB, RA, etc.

Draft Consensus Policy Language

- ⦿ Review of the Draft Consensus Policy Language Document

Next Steps for Implementation Team

- ⦿ Publish Draft Consensus Policy Language for Public Comment with an announcement; 45 days, September – October 2016
- ⦿ MoU with USDESA
- ⦿ Request English Full Name only for ECOSOC from UNDESA
- ⦿ 90-day claims system proposal evaluation/design
- ⦿ Receive two language IGO names from GAC and update the Protected Identifier List
- ⦿ Next scheduled Meetings
 - IRT calls monthly: September 29, October 27 or as needed
 - ICANN 57 Session request submitted; likely the week of the 7th November
- IRT Community wiki page
<https://community.icann.org/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=54694212>

A world map where the continents are defined by a network of white dots and connecting lines, set against a dark blue background. The dots vary in size, and the lines are thin and white, creating a digital or network-like appearance of the globe.

Back up slides

IGO/INGO Identifier Lists Update Process

◉ INGO

- List Authority: ECOSOC List – UNDESA
- Annual updated list provided by UNDESA to ICANN
- ICANN provides the updated list to Claims system

◉ IGO

- List Authority: GAC
- GAC may provide updated list “time to time” per policy recommendation
- ICANN updates the reservation list upon receipt

◉ RCRC

- No policy recommendation language received regarding updates
- Follow the same process as IGO

◉ IOC

- No policy recommendation language received regarding updates
- Follow the same process as IGO

Engage with ICANN



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Project Background

This Policy Development Process (PDP) was initiated to develop policy recommendations for the provision of protection for identifiers of certain International Governmental Organizations (IGOs) and International Non-Governmental Organizations (INGOs), including the Red Cross/Red Crescent Movement (RCRC) and the International Olympic Committee (IOC).

The PDP Working Group completed its work in November 2013 and its consensus recommendations were approved by the GNSO Council. In April 2014, the ICANN Board adopted those of the PDP recommendations that were “not inconsistent” with GAC advice received on the topic, and requested more time to consider the remaining, inconsistent recommendations.

The adopted recommendations relate to protection at the top and second level for specific RCRC, IOC and IGO names (with an Exception Procedure to be designed for the affected organizations), and a 90-days Claims Notification process at the second level for certain INGO acronyms.

Implementation Review Team

- ⦿ This Policy Implementation Review Team session at ICANN56 is open to public
- ⦿ Community is invited to learn about this policy implementation project, ask questions and provide inputs to the Implementation Team
- ⦿ Implementation Project Team consists of ICANN Staff and Implementation Review Team (IRT)
- ⦿ Implementation Review Team is made up of community volunteers:

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INGOs Identifiers Labels and Contact Data

Reminder of Policy Recommendation Scope (PDP Final Report §3.4)

- ⦿ Scope 1 Identifiers: [ECOSOC List](#) (General Consultative Status) (Language: English only)
- ⦿ Scope 2 Identifiers: [ECOSOC List](#) (Special Consultative Status) (Language: English only)

Implementation

- ⦿ Labels will be listed in an authoritative document (TBD) to serve implementation of protection at the Top Level (ineligible for delegation) and at the 2nd Level (90-day Claims)

Implementation Challenges/Progress

- ⦿ ICANN Staff established contact with UNDESA CSO Net (ECOSOC list manager)
- ⦿ We received the ECOSOC list with contract information in Excel format
- ⦿ Drafted a MoU detailing the use of the data and update; currently in IPT review
- ⦿ Next steps: Conference with USDESA to discuss the agreement to be documented then follow up with the MoU

INGOs Identifiers: ECOSOC List

- ⦿ Total 3582 identifiers on the list
- ⦿ 144 are of General Consultative status
- ⦿ Information received include:
 - Official name
 - English name if official name isn't in English
 - Address
 - Phone
 - Email
 - Fax
 - URL
 - Consultative status

INGOs Identifiers implementation plan

- ⦿ Sample “Official Names” from the list
 - AARP
 - AVSI Foundation
 - ANAJA (L'Eternel a répondu)
 - Association for Progressive Communications (APC)
 - CIVICUS – World Alliance for Citizen Participation
 - Institut international pour la paix, la justice et les droits de l'Homme-IIPJDH
 - International Association “Znanie”
- ⦿ Implementation plan:
 - Use the names exactly as provided by UNDESA
 - No ICANN evaluation, adjustment or normalization
 - Treat ECOSOC list received as the authoritative list

IGO Scope 1 Identifiers Labels

Reminder of Policy Recommendation Scope (PDP Final Report §3.3)

- ⦿ Scope 1 Identifiers: [GAC List \(22 March 2013\)](#) - Full Name (Up to two languages)
- ⦿ Protected at the top-level (ineligible for delegation)
- ⦿ Protected at the 2nd level (reservation with exception procedure)

Implementation

- ⦿ Labels will be listed on the Reserved Names List (2nd level)
<https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/reserved-2013-07-08-en>
- ⦿ This list will also serve as reference for future application rounds (Top-level)

Implementation steps

- ⦿ The 22 March 2013 GAC List contains Full Names of the IGO in English only
- ⦿ IPT is working to gather "up to two languages;" The 2nd language is optional
- ⦿ Letter sent to GAC on 17 June 2016 with the request
- ⦿ Next steps: IPT is following up with ICANN GAC support team

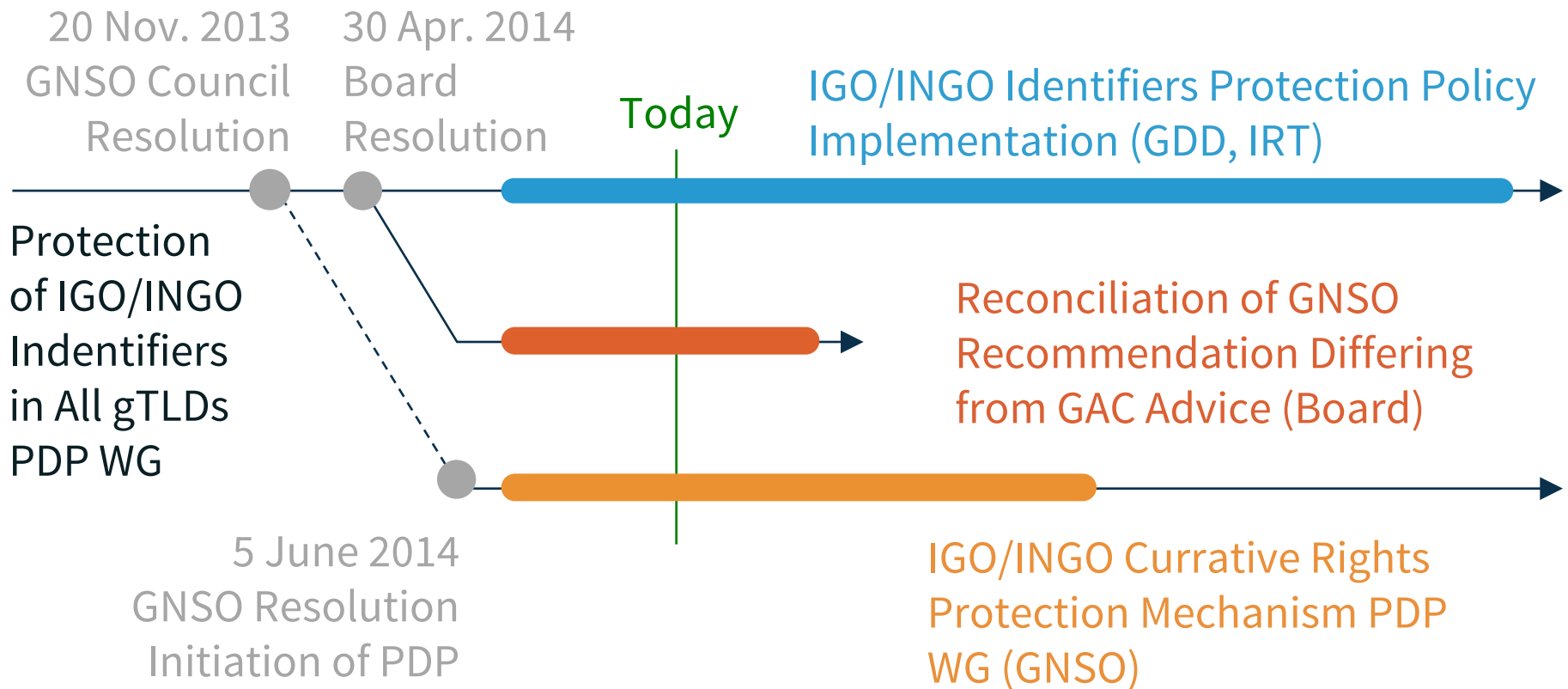
Why is this important?

Issues related to whether certain international organizations such as IGOs, the RCRC and the IOC should receive special protection for their names at the top level and second level in the domain name system have been raised throughout the development of the 2012 New gTLD program.

In the PDP launched by the GNSO Council, the scope of organizations was expanded to also consider International Non-Governmental Organizations (INGOs) other than the RCRC and IOC.

All these organizations perform important public interest or humanitarian work and have reported that cyber-squatting and related abuse of domain names identical or confusingly similar to their names and acronyms could significantly impact their missions and resources

Current Activities on IGO/INGOs Protections



This Policy Implementation Project is focused on the
“GNSO Recommendations Not Inconsistent with GAC Advice”