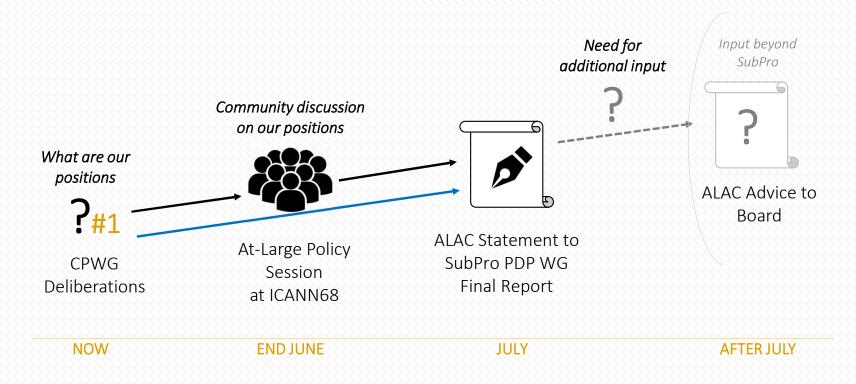
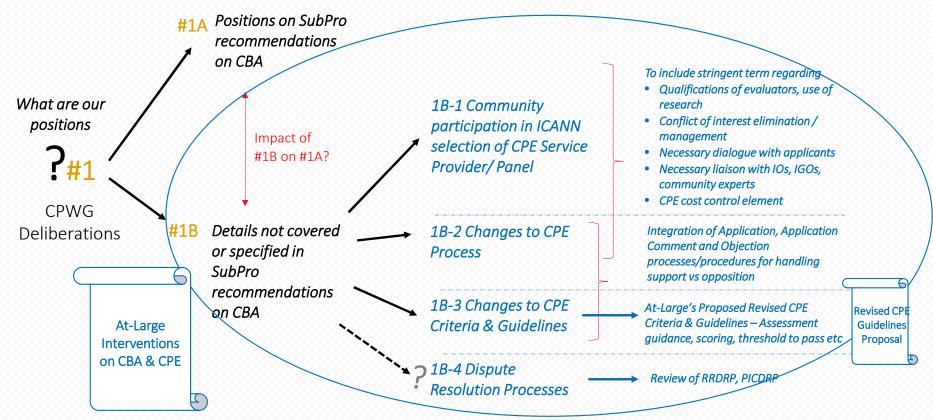


# Proposed Approach for Community Applications



# **#1** Where can we intervene?



# **#1B Community Applications**

# 1B-3 Changes to CPE Criteria & Guidelines

# Proposition to Fix Concerns with Scoring Mechanism / Threshold to Prevail

Possibility of revamping scoring scale and/or threshold to prevail in CPE - balance increasing "accessibility" to deserving communities without opening floodgates

- 1. Any major concerns with the 0-2 or 0-3 scoring scale for sub-criterions after taking into consideration the proposed revision fixes?
- 2. Do we think the threshold of 14 points of max 16 points should be lowered?

# **CPE Criteria in 2012 Round**

Surrounding the FOUR Criteria stated in the Applicant Guidebook, Module 4 s. 4.2

Criterion #1: Community Establishment	Criterion #2: Nexus between Proposed String and Community	Criterion #3: Registration Policies	Criterion #4: Community Endorsement
Measured by 2 sub-criteria  1-A Delineation  1-B Extension  Scoring  Max of 4 points for Criterion #1  Max of 2 points for each sub-criterion	Measured by 2 sub-criteria  • 2-A Nexus • 2-B Uniqueness  Scoring • Max of 4 points for Criterion #2 • Max of 3 points for 2-A Nexus and max of 1 point for 2-B Uniqueness	Measured by 4 sub-criteria  • 3-A Eligibility  • 3-B Name Selection  • 3-C Content and Use  • 3-D Enforcement  Scoring  • Max of 4 points for Criterion #3  • Max of 1 point for each sub-criterion	Measured by 2 sub-criteria  4-A Support  4-B Opposition  Scoring  Max of 4 points for Criterion #4  Max of 2 points for each sub-criterion

Need at least 14 points of max 16 points to prevail in CPE

# Review: Criterion #1: Community Establishment – 2 Sub-criteria

# Comparison of 6 Examples from 2012 Round

# GAY

#### dotgay LLC

#### Scored 4/4 here

And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail

## 1-A Delineation = 2/2

#### Delineation

- Y-Standard of "coming out" whether publicly or privately suff. clear & straightforward &
- Y-Link among these individuals goes well beyond "a mere commonality of interest"

#### Organization

- Y-ILGA represents at least one entity dedicated to community &
- Y-II GA website showed documented evidence of community activity

#### Pre-existence

Y-ILGA existed before Sep'07

### 1-B Extension = 2/2

- Y-Global est = considerable size: &
- Y-Community has awareness/ recognition among its members Longevity
- · Y-Evidence of clear trend, greater visibility &
- · Y-Community has awareness/ recognition among its members

# .KIDS

#### DotKids Foundation Ltd. Scored 0/4 here

And 6/16 in total - Did not prevail

#### 1-A Delineation = 0/2

#### Delineation

- N-Community as defined by applicant (4 groups) does not delineate a clear & straightforward membership &
- N-Commonality of interest within 4 groups but, insuff. cohesion, i.e. no awareness or recognition by community overall

# Organization

- N-No entity mainly dedicated to entire comm – geo reach, range of categories; no single umbrella org &
- N-No evidence of activity

## Pre-existence

 N-Could not have been active before Sep'07

#### 1-B Extension = 0/2

- Y-Comm is of considerable size, but
- N-But no awareness/ recognition among its members

#### Longevity

- N-Not est, for entire community &
- N-No awareness/ recognition among its members

# .RADIO

European Broadcasting Union Scored 3/4 here

And 14/16 in total - Prevailed

### 1-A Delineation = 1/2

#### Delineation

- · Y-Community definition suff, clear & straightforward membership &
- Y-Link among these individuals goes well beyond "a mere commonality of interest"

#### Organization

- N-No single entity dedicated to all member categories per applicant &
- N-Since no entity, cannot be doc evidence of community activities Pre-existence
- Y-Community existed before Sep'07

## 1-B Extension = 2/2

- Y-Comm is of considerable size &
- Y-Awareness/recognition among its members est. as industry participants

#### Longevity

- Y-Longevity est. &
- Y-Awareness/recognition among its members est, as industry participants

# .MUSIC

DotMusic Limited

### Scored 0/4 here

And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail

## 1-A Delineation = 0/2

#### Delineation

- Y-Applicant provided a clear & straightforward membership but
- N-But awareness & recognition among members not est.

#### Organization

- N-No single entity dedicated to all member categories per applicant
- N-Since no entity, cannot be doc evidence of community activities

#### Pre-existence

 N-Lack of cohesion means community did not exist before Sep'07

## 1-B Extension = 0/2

- N-Lack of cohesion = fail on "size"
- N-Awareness & recognition among members not est.

### Longevity

- N-Longevity not est. &
- N-Awareness & recognition among members not est.

## .OSAKA

Interlink Co., Ltd

# Scored 4/4 here

And 15/16 in total - Prevailed

# 1-A Delineation = 2/2

# Delineation

- · Y-Community definition shows clear & straightforward membership - geo &
- · Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists.

# Organization

- · Y-Single entity dedicated to all members = Osaka Pref Govt &
- Y-Osaka Pref Govt website shows evidence of community activities Pre-existence
- Y-Community existed before Sep'07

# 1-B Extension = 2/2

- Y-Comm is of considerable size &
- · Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists
- Longevity · Y-Longevity est. &
- Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists

# .TENNIS

Tennis Australia Ltd.

#### Scored 4/4 here

And 11/16 in total - Did not prevail

#### 1-A Delineation = 2/2 Delineation

- Y-Community definition shows clear & straightforward membership - state tennis associations &
- · Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists. Organization
- Y-Is single entity dedicated to members &
- Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists.

#### Pre-existence

• Y-Community existed before Sep'07

## 1-B Extension = 2/2

- Y-Comm is of considerable size &
- Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists.

#### Longevity · Y-Longevity est. &

· Y-Awareness & recognition among members exists.

# Review: Criterion #1: Community Establishment – 2 Sub-criteria

# Specifics of 2 Examples from 2012 Round

- Applicants defined "community" as 4 groups:
  - (i) Kids defined by UNCRC convention
  - (ii) Charities, NGOs and govt institutions that work on wellbeing of children, including alliances that promote causes that promote the well-being of children
- (iii) Parents & educators
- (iv) Educational institutions, orgs and operations that primarily serve children.
- Community defined by applicant does not delineate a clear & straightforward membership –
  - ☐ Children and parents are clearly defined
  - But groups (ii) and (iv) are not clearly defined, and given lack of clarity around membership parameters, is dispersed and unbound, so not clear and straightforward
- Community defined by applicant does not demonstrate an awareness and recognition among its members –
  - ☐ There is commonality in interest but "cohesion" requires more than, it requires awareness and recognition of a community among its members
  - ☐ While individuals within some of the member categories may show cohesion within a category or across a subset of member categories, the number of individuals and entities included in applicant's definition that do not show such cohesion is considerable enough so the community as a whole cannot be said to have the required cohesion.

# .KIDS

DotKids Foundation Ltd

Scored 0/4 here

And 6/16 in total – Did not prevail

#### 1-A Delineation = 0/2

#### Delineation

- N-Community as defined by applicant (4 groups) does not delineate a clear & straightforward membership &
- N-Commonality of interest within 4 / groups but, insuff. cohesion, i.e. no awareness or recognition by community overall

  Organization
- N-No entity mainly dedicated to entire comm – geo reach, range of categories; no single umbrella org &
- N-No evidence of activity
   Pre-existence
- N-Could not have been active before Sep'07

#### 1-B Extension = 0/2

#### Size

- Y-Comm is of considerable size, but
- N-But no awareness/ recognition among its members

#### Longevity

- . N-Not est. for entire community &
- N-No awareness/ recognition among its members

# .MUSIC

DotMusic Limited Scored 0/4 here

And 10/16 in total – Did not prevail

#### 1-A Delineation = 0/2

#### Delineation

- Y-Applicant provided a clear & straightforward membership but
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#### Organization

- N-No single entity dedicated to all member categories per applicant
  &
- N-Since no entity, cannot be doc evidence of community activities

#### Pre-existence

 N-Lack of cohesion means community did not exist before Sep'07

#### 1-B Extension = 0/2

#### Size

- N-Lack of cohesion = fail on "size"
- N-Awareness & recognition among members not est.
   Longevity
- N-Longevity not est. &
- N-Awareness & recognition among members not est.

- Applicants listed over 40 categories of community members and identifies each with a NA Ind. Classification System code AND included a more general definition "all constituents involved in music creation, production and distribution .... involved in support activities that are aligned with the .MUSIC mission"
  - ☐ But there are other categories in NAICS code not cited by applicant eg. "Music accountants" and "Music lawyers"
- Applicant bounds community membership by way of welldefined categories, therefore provided a clear & straightforward membership.
- Community defined by applicant does not demonstrate an awareness and recognition among its members –
  - ☐ Applicant's material and further research provides no substantive evidence of "cohesion" per AGB that is that the various members of the community defined by applicant are "united or form a whole".
  - ☐ There is "commonality in interest" in music but this was insufficient to demonstrate requisite awareness and recognition of the community among its members, even if some members may show cohesion within a category or across a subset of member categories, the number of individuals include in defined community, such cohesion is not considerable enough for the community as a whole to have the requisite cohesion.

# Review: Criterion #2: Nexus b/n String & Community - 2 Sub-criteria

#### Comparison of 6 Examples from 2012 Round GAY .KIDS .MUSIC .TENNIS .RADIO .OSAKA dotgay LLC DotKids Foundation Ltd European Broadcasting Union DotMusic Limited Interlink Co., Ltd Tennis Australia Ltd. Scored 0/4 here Scored 0/4 here Scored 3/4 here Scored 3/4 here Scored 0/4 here Scored 4/4 here And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail And 6/16 in total - Did not prevail And 14/16 in total - Prevailed And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail And 15/16 in total - Prevailed And 11/16 in total - Did not prevail 2-A Nexus = 0/3 2-A Nexus = 0/3 2-A Nexus = 2/3 2-A Nexus = 2/3 2-A Nexus = 3/3 2-A Nexus = 0/3 · N-String does not match the N-String does not match the name · N-String does not match the name of • N-String does not match the name · Y-String matched the name of the • N-String does not match the name of the community as of the community as defined by of the community as defined by community as defined by applicant. name of the community as the community as defined by defined by applicant (many applicant (4 groups) nor is a well applicant (many groups) nor is a well applicant (many groups) nor is a thus scored max 3 defined by applicant nor is a well known short-form or abbrev of the groups) nor is a well known shortknown short-form or abbrev of the well known short-form or abbrev known short-form or abbrev of form or abbrev of the community of the community the community community community · N-String does not identify name N-String does not identify name of · Y-But string does identify name of · Y-But string does identify name of • N- String "tennis" identifies a of community - more than a small community - applicant defined community without over-reaching community without over-reaching wider or related community of part of the applicant's defined community as a collection of substantially beyond the which applicant is a part but is not substantially beyond the community community is not identified by categories of individuals (children, applicant defined community to community - applicant defined specific to applicant's community "gay" i.e "gay" does not parents) and organizations include core community members community as a collection of many (Australian tennis community). sufficiently Identify some (charities, NGOs, govt institutions, (licensed prof/amateur radio categories of individuals and orgs "Tennis" captures a wider members of applicant's defined edu. Institutions, organizations broadcasters, assoc, unions, clubs, but with no "established name" for geographic/thematic remit community, in particular, primarily serving children), but "music": included limited entities despite Tennis Australia changing Internet radio) also entities transgender, intersex, and ally there is no "established name" for its brand to "Tennis". String refers tangentially related to "radio" tangentially related to "music" individuals; "gay" is not used to "kids" thus Nexus not est. (service/product providers eg network (accountant and lawyers) but also to the sport and global identify all LGBTQIA individuals so other categories of members community of people/groups interface equipment, software to associated with it, so there is does not est. Nexus (from radio industry which was enough to (musical groups, artists, indie music research, letters of support) artists, performers, arranges & substantial over-reach. So, Nexus est, a partial Nexus. composer) which was enough to not est. 2-B Uniqueness = 1/1 2-B Uniqueness = 0/1 2-B Uniqueness = 0/1 est. a partial Nexus. 2-B Uniqueness = 1/1 Scored max 1 - string has no other Did not score as string did not score Did not score as string did not score Scored max 1 – string has no other 2-B Uniqueness = 0/1 significant meaning beyond a 2 or 3 on Nexus a 2 or 3 on Nexus significant meaning beyond identifying 2-B Uniqueness = 1/1 Did not score as string did not score identifying community described in Scored max 1 – string has no other community described in application. a 2 or 3 on Nexus application significant meaning beyond identifying comm described in

application.

All CPE determinations are available at https://newgtlds.icann.org/en/applicants/cpe

# Review: Criterion #3: Registration Policies – 4 Sub-criteria

# Comparison of 6 Examples from 2012 Round

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#### dotgay LLC

#### Scored 4/4 here

And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail

### 3-A Eligibility = 1/1

1-Registration eligibility restricted to community members

#### 3-B Name Selection = 1/1

1-Name selection rules consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

### 3-C Content & Use = 1/1

1-Rules for content and use for registrants consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-D Enforcement = 1/1

1-Specific enforcement measures and appropriate appeal mechanisms provided

# .KIDS

DotKids Foundation Ltd Scored 3/4 here And 6/16 in total – Did not prevail

## 3-A Eligibility = 1/1

1-Eligibility requirement met by verifying registrants' participation in one of the defined community member categories – "Parents" and "children"'s eligibility are based not as individuals but as community orgs or members of such orgs within the community.

#### 3-B Name Selection = 1/1

1-Name selection rules consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-C Content & Use = 1/1

1-Rules for content and use for registrants consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-D Enforcement = 0/1

1-Complaint-response system missing dispute resolution process, so fails 1 condition

# .RADIO

European Broadcasting Union Scored 4/4 here And 14/16 in total – Prevailed

## 3-A Eligibility = 1/1

1-Registration eligibility restricted to community members

#### 3-B Name Selection = 1/1

1-Name selection rules consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-C Content & Use = 1/1

1-Rules for content and use for registrants consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-D Enforcement = 1/1

1-Specific enforcement measures and appropriate appeal mechanisms provided

# .MUSIC

DotMusic Limited Scored 4/4 here

And 10/16 in total – Did not prevail

### 3-A Eligibility = 1/1

1-Registration eligibility restricted to community members

### 3-B Name Selection = 1/1

1-Name selection rules consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-C Content & Use = 1/1

1-Rules for content and use for registrants consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

### 3-D Enforcement = 1/1

1-Specific enforcement measures and appropriate appeal mechanisms provided

# .OSAKA

Interlink Co., Ltd Scored 3/4 here And 15/16 in total – Prevailed

#### 3-A Eligibility = 1/1

1-Registration eligibility restricted to community members

#### 3-B Name Selection = 1/1

1-Name selection rules consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-C Content & Use = 1/1

1-Rules for content and use for registrants consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-D Enforcement = 0/1

1-Enforcement measures covering monitoring for content, with right to cancel or suspend DN in breach of policies, but no appeals process outlined

# .TENNIS

Tennis Australia Ltd Scored 3/4 here And 11/16 in total – Did not prevail

### 3-A Eligibility = 1/1

1-Registration eligibility restricted to community members

#### 3-B Name Selection = 1/1

1-Name selection rules consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-C Content & Use = 1/1

1-Rules for content and use for registrants consistent with articulated community-based purpose of string

#### 3-D Enforcement = 0/1

1-Conditions for registration along with mitigation measures such as investigation and termination of DN, but no appeals process outlined

# Review: Criterion #4: Community Endorsement – 2 Sub-criteria

# Comparison of 6 Examples from 2012 Round

#### .KIDS GAY .MUSIC .OSAKA .TENNIS .RADIO DotKids Foundation Ltd. dotgay LLC European Broadcasting Union DotMusic Limited Interlink Co., Ltd Tennis Australia Ltd. Scored 3/4 here Scored 4/4 here Scored 4/4 here Scored 4/4 here Scored 2/4 here Scored 3/4 here And 6/16 in total - Did not prevail And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail And 14/16 in total - Prevailed And 10/16 in total - Did not prevail And 15/16 in total - Prevailed And 11/16 in total - Did not prevail Applicant received: Applicant received: Applicant received: ■ 43 Application Comments ☐ 177 Application Comments ☐ 157 Application Comments ☐ 9 verified of 22 attachments to ☐ 51 verified of 128 attachments ☐ 40 verified of 150 attachments Form Q20(f) to Form Q20(f) to Form Q20(f) ■ 1 verified of 3 corres 56 verified of 152 corres 40 verified of 331 corres 4-A Support = 1/2 4-A Support = 1/2 4-A Support = 2/24-A Support = 1/2 4-A Support = 2/2 4-A Support = 2/2 1-Applicant not recognized community 1-Applicant not recognized community 1-Applicant not recognized 1-Max score as applicant had 1-Max score as applicant 1-Applicant not recognized institution / member org, no institution / member org, but had community institution / member documented support from determined to be the recognized community institution / member org. documented authority to represent documented support from institutions org, no documented authority to recognized community institution community institution / member no documented authority to community – while ILGA considered as / orgs representing a majority of the represent community, no evidence that represents community - Osaka organization, also had documented represent community, no evidence "entity mainly dedicated to the of single org recognized by all of the Prefectural govt had provided support from its member orgs community addressed, containing of single org recognized by all of the community" under 1-A Delineation, it process and rationale used in arriving defined community's members; but written endorsement for registry does not meet std of a "recognized" org defined community's members: but at expression of support and showing applicant had documented support services under the .OSAKA gTLD. (not "clearly recognized by the applicant had documented support 4-B Opposition = 2/2 understanding of implications of from many groups with relevance Govt also provided support for community members as representative from groups with relevance 1-Max score since no relevant of the community"). Also no evidence of applicant in the Geonames Initial support. So, max score given. containing process and rationale containing process and rationale opposition received – letters of single org recognized by all of the used in arriving at expression of Evaluation. used in arriving at expression of opposition were received but defined community's members but support and showing understanding support and showing understanding 4-B Opposition = 2/2 determined to not be relevant as applicant had documented support from of implications of support. So, of implications of support. So, partial 1-Max score since letters of opposition many groups with relevance containing were from individuals/groups of partial score given 4-B Opposition = 2/2 process and rationale used in arriving at score given were received but determined to not negligible size, or were not from 1-Max score since no letters of expression of support and showing be relevant as were from individuals/ communities which were not understanding of implications of support opposition received 4-B Opposition = 2/2 groups of negligible size, or were not mentioned in application but which 4-B Opposition = 2/2 So, partial score given. from communities either explicitly 1-Max score since no letters of have an association to string 1-Max score since no letters of relevant and verified opposition mentioned in application nor from 4-B Opposition = 1/2 relevant and verified opposition those which have an implicit received 1-Partial score due to opposition from received one relevant group of non-negligible size association to such communities