

# Oversight

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In **business, oversight** of a system or process is the responsibility for making sure that it works efficiently and correctly.

LAW, GOVERNMENT, MANAGEMENT **systems or actions to control an activity and make sure that it is done correctly and legally**

Group Peter: Assumption that oversight process would develop parallel to delegation and transfer process. Board as an oversight entity

## Open issues

**What is the purpose of oversight and what does it mean**

**What needs to be done**

## Sequence of decision

### **Board as an oversight entity**

Assumption that oversight process would develop parallel to delegation and transfer process.  
Board as an oversight entity

Observation: the more the ICANN Board is involved in the operations, the lesser it is available for oversight

Disadvantages of having ICANN Board involved: responsibility of IFO. Board decisions can be harder un-done than PTI decisions.

### **ICANN Board is Backstop**

**When would oversights happen?**

**5 year or 10-year timeline**

**Who takes a decision?**

**ICANN Board**

**Decision subject to review?**

**IFO denied time extension, or lesser extension than requested**

**Any request by ccTLD manager could be subject to review**

**Discretionary decisions by IFO**

**Transparency**

**Material should not, but decisions should**

Any piece of communication between ccTLD and IFO: should not be public record. But the decisions should be