Statements of Interest for IDN Variant Issues Project

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- 1. Your Name: Giovanni Seppia
- 2. Current employer and position: EURid, External Relations Manager
- 3. Type of work performed: Coordination of the customer service, registrar relations, international relation and corporate relations, marketing initiatives
- Identify any financial ownership or senior management/leadership interest in that are interested parties in IDN Variant related topics: *None*
- 5. Identify any type of commercial or non-commercial interest in IDN Variant related topics. Are you representing other parties? Describe any arrangements/agreements between you and any other group, constituency or person(s) regarding your nomination/selection as a work team member: *None*
- 6. IDN Variant Case Study Team members are expected to demonstrate knowledge or expertise in aspects related to the IDN Variants. Please, identify any knowledge, expertise or experience you have that would be relevant to the work of the IDN Variants: I am currently looking after the .eu application for the eu extension in Greek and Cyrillic upon the European Commission mandate. I have been participating in the ccNSO IDN PDP wg2 and following the developments of IDN.IDN as well as their launch. I have coordinated the drafting of the EURid-UNESCO IDN State of Play report that EURid published in early June 2011.
- 7. Describe any tangible or intangible benefit that you receive from participation in such processes, for example, if you are an academic or NGO and use your position to advance your ability to participate, this should be a part of the statement of interest, just as should employment by an organization that has an interest in IDN Variant Working Group outcomes: None. I would like to provide my inputs to this working group in a structured and transparent way so that the

ICANN work in this complex area moves forward in a timely manner.